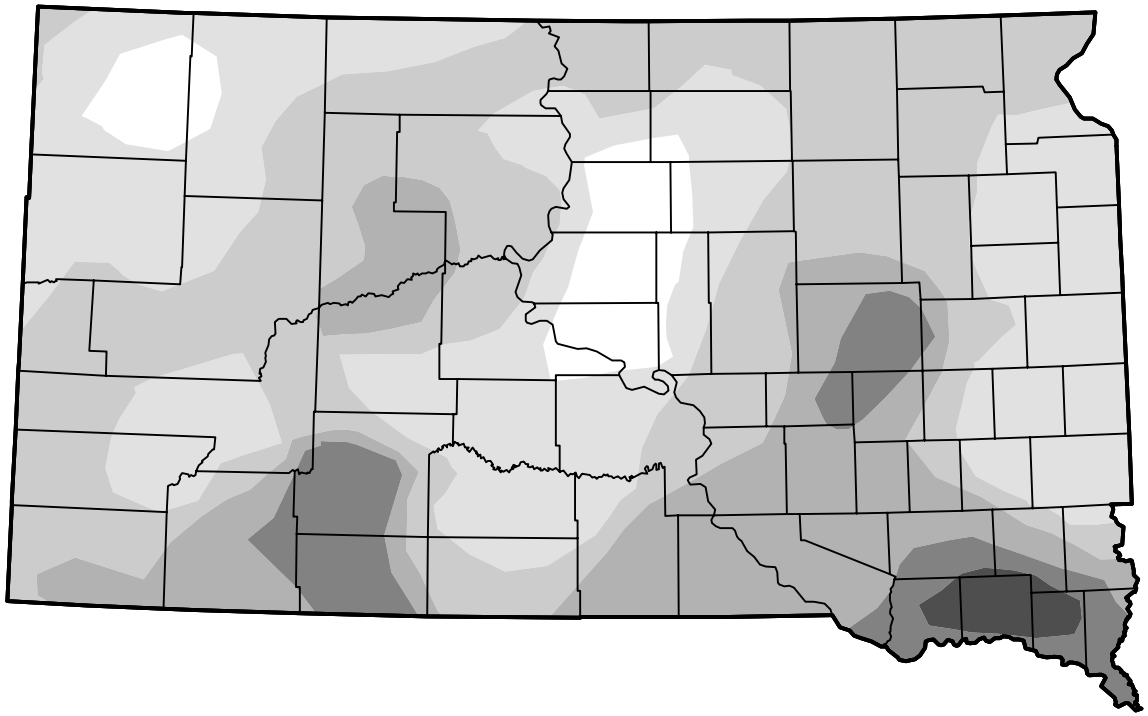
U.S. Drought Monitor

South Dakota



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	5.45	94.55	61.54	24.72	7.84	1.25
Last Week *10-04-2022*	6.79	93.21	60.25	22.47	5.01	1.25
3 Months Ago *07-12-2022*	46.23	53.77	30.47	4.94	0.31	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-04-2022*	21.31	78.69	34.91	6.63	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-27-2022*	6.81	93.19	61.01	19.02	3.59	1.25
One Year Ago *10-12-2021*	10.97	89.03	76.57	47.24	9.82	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx

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