

# U.S. Drought Monitor

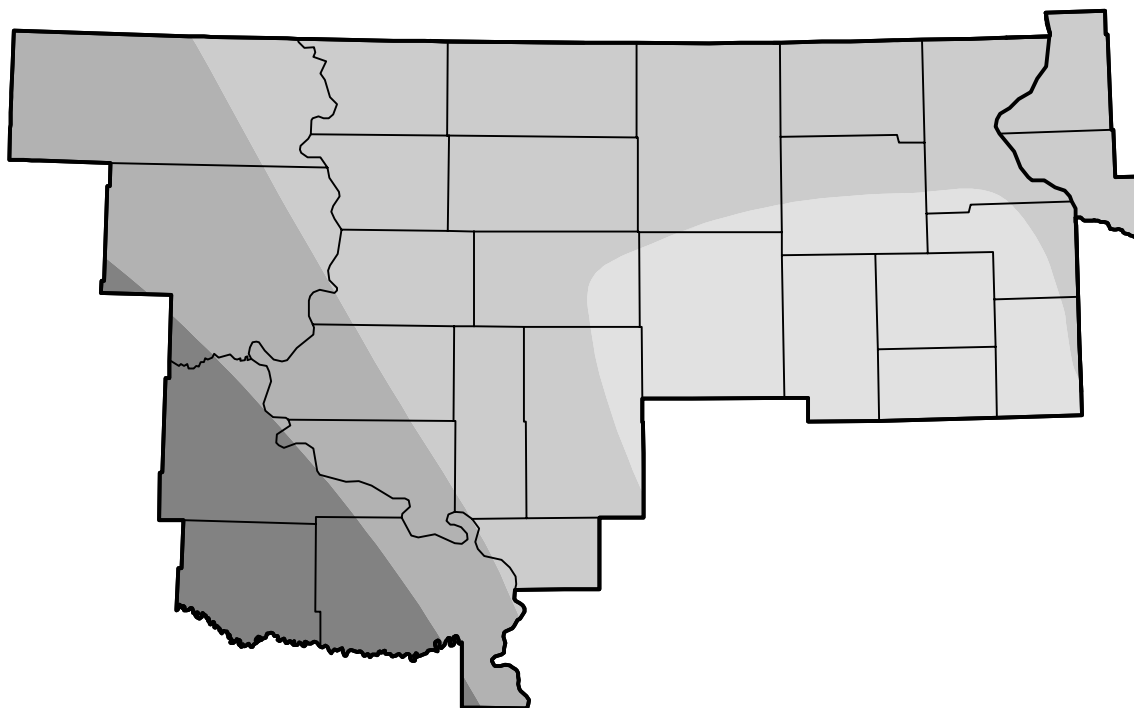
## Aberdeen, SD WFO

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	19.75	49.07	20.76	10.42	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-13-2003</i>	0.00	42.28	25.80	21.32	10.60	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-19-2002</i>	24.71	22.35	19.33	21.38	12.22	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	24.15	24.60	18.13	21.31	11.81	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	59.13	20.15	18.42	2.29	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-21-2002</i>	0.00	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:



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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