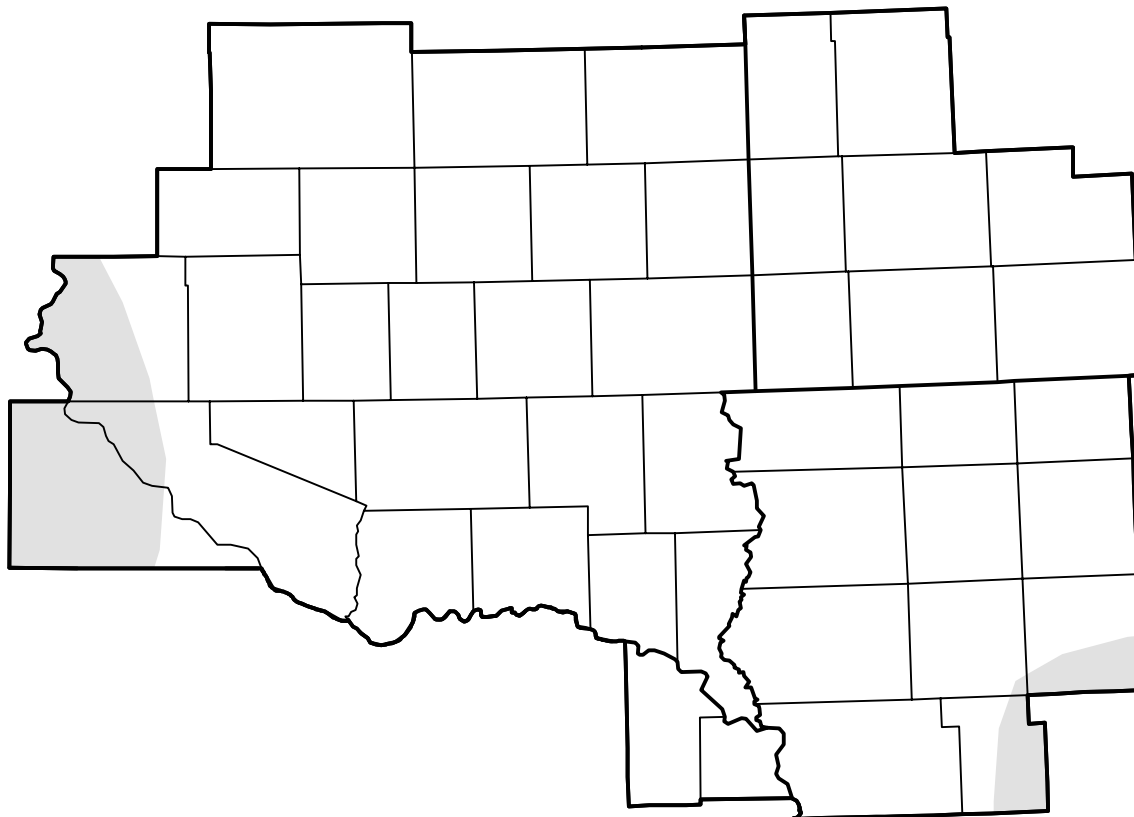


U.S. Drought Monitor

Sioux Falls, SD WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	92.93	7.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-28-2004</i>	91.37	8.63	0.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-05-2004</i>	79.77	20.23	3.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	28.07	13.28	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	93.24	6.76	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-06-2003</i>	21.10	78.90	43.72	9.62	0.00	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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