

U.S. Drought Monitor

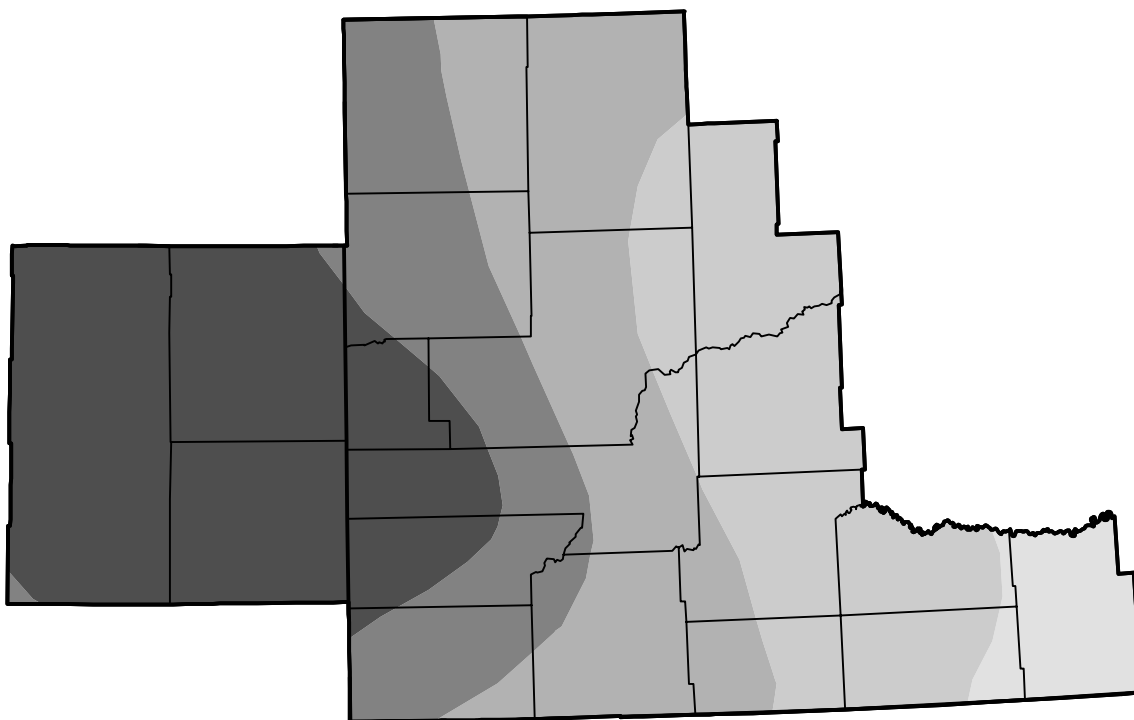
Rapid City, SD WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	4.77	22.64	24.53	17.23	30.83
Last Week <i>04-14-2005</i>	0.00	4.77	22.64	27.53	19.91	25.14
3 Months Ago <i>01-20-2005</i>	0.00	5.55	38.60	31.55	12.14	12.16
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	0.00	7.34	37.44	30.93	12.14	12.16
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	0.00	1.82	52.25	23.96	9.94	12.04
One Year Ago <i>04-22-2004</i>	0.00	0.00	47.26	44.23	8.51	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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