

U.S. Drought Monitor

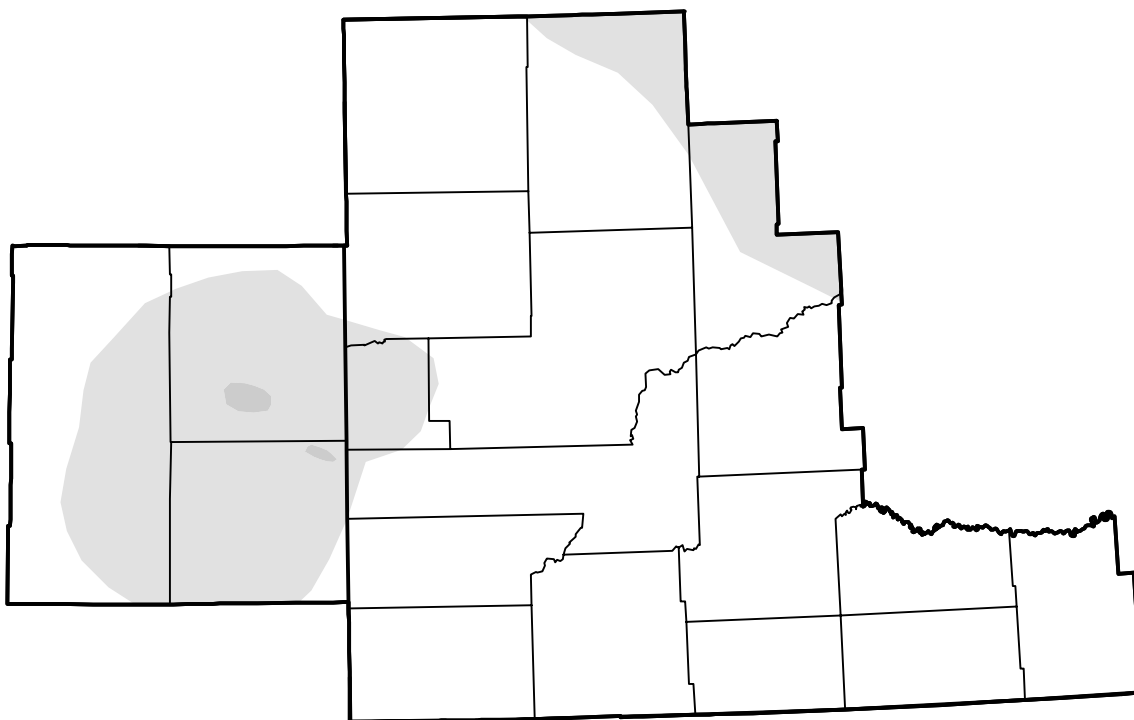
Rapid City, SD WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	77.31	22.41	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-11-2017</i>	75.37	24.35	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-16-2017</i>	7.86	24.75	67.38	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	7.85	24.76	55.17	12.21	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	12.57	24.96	42.31	18.13	2.02	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-19-2016</i>	83.29	13.24	3.47	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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