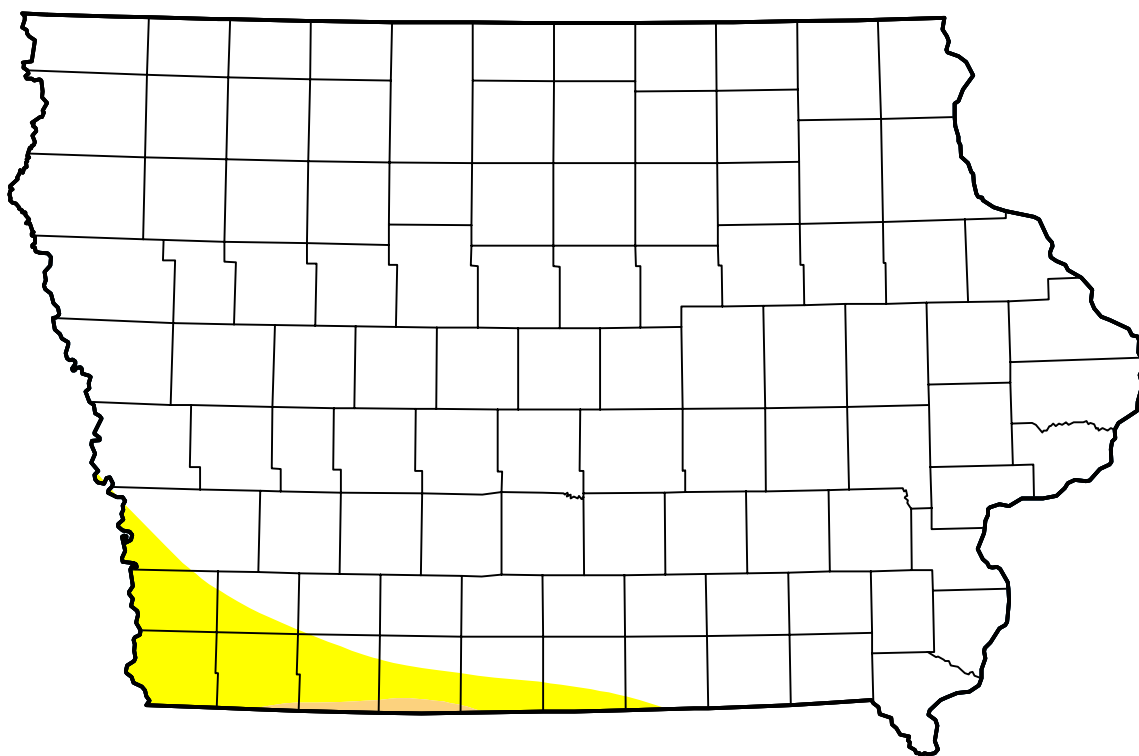


U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	94.63	5.03	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-19-2002</i>	92.70	6.45	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-27-2002</i>	93.74	6.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	90.98	9.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-27-2001</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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