

U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

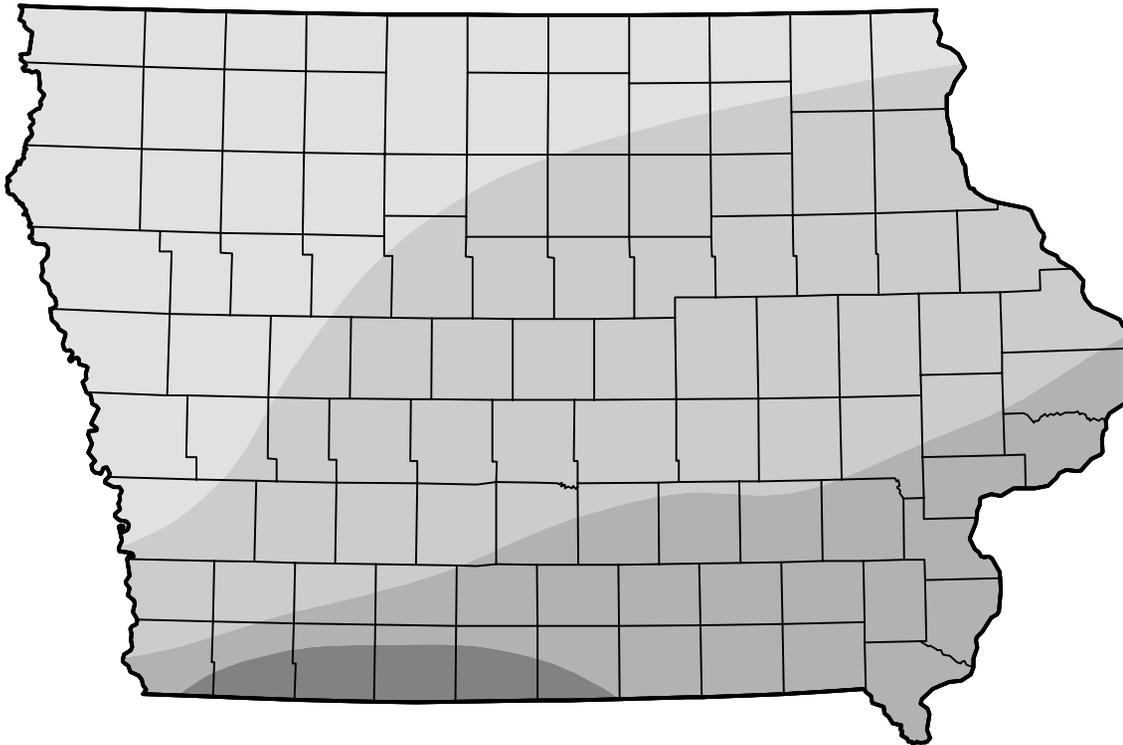
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 0.00 | 100.00 | 67.86 | 22.96 | 2.89 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-20-2003</i> | 0.00 | 100.00 | 68.04 | 19.41 | 3.28 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-27-2002</i> | 69.03 | 30.97 | 0.04 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i> | 39.64 | 60.36 | 33.16 | 0.80 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i> | 80.89 | 19.11 | 3.94 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>02-28-2002</i> | 57.93 | 42.07 | 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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