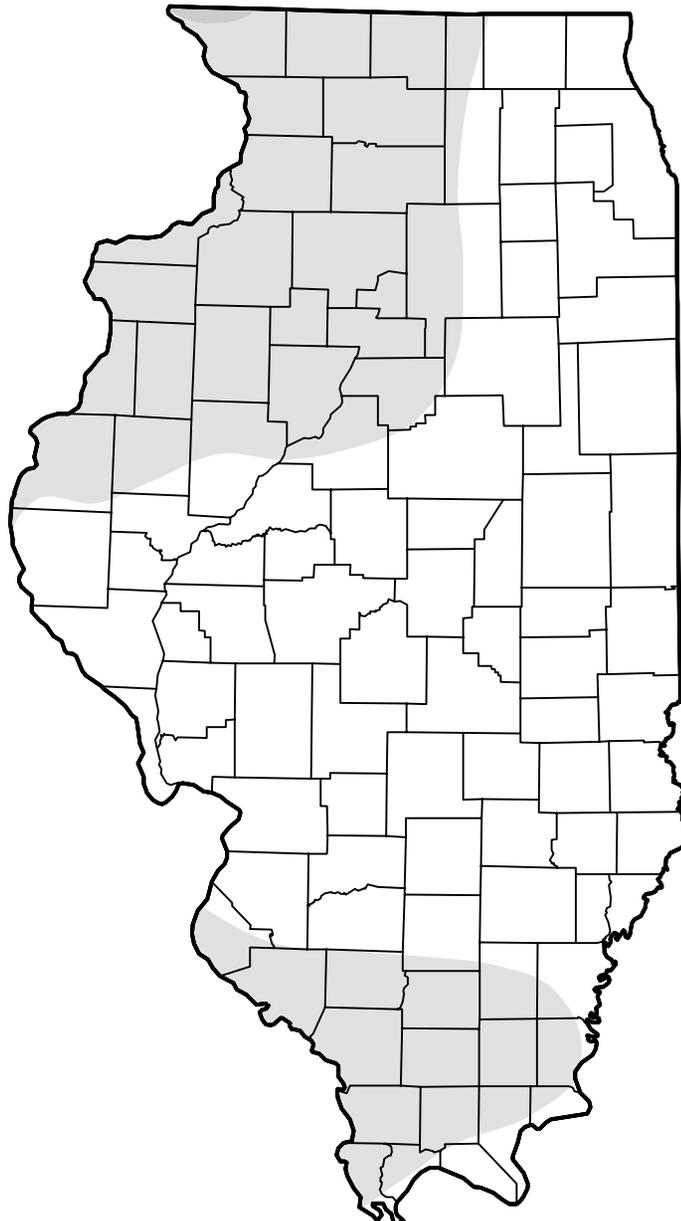


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Illinois

**August 19, 2003**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 21, 2003)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.63	34.19	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-14-2003</i>	82.16	17.58	0.26	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-22-2003</i>	99.57	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	40.14	26.06	33.28	0.51	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	56.24	34.22	9.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-22-2002</i>	62.20	27.21	10.59	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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