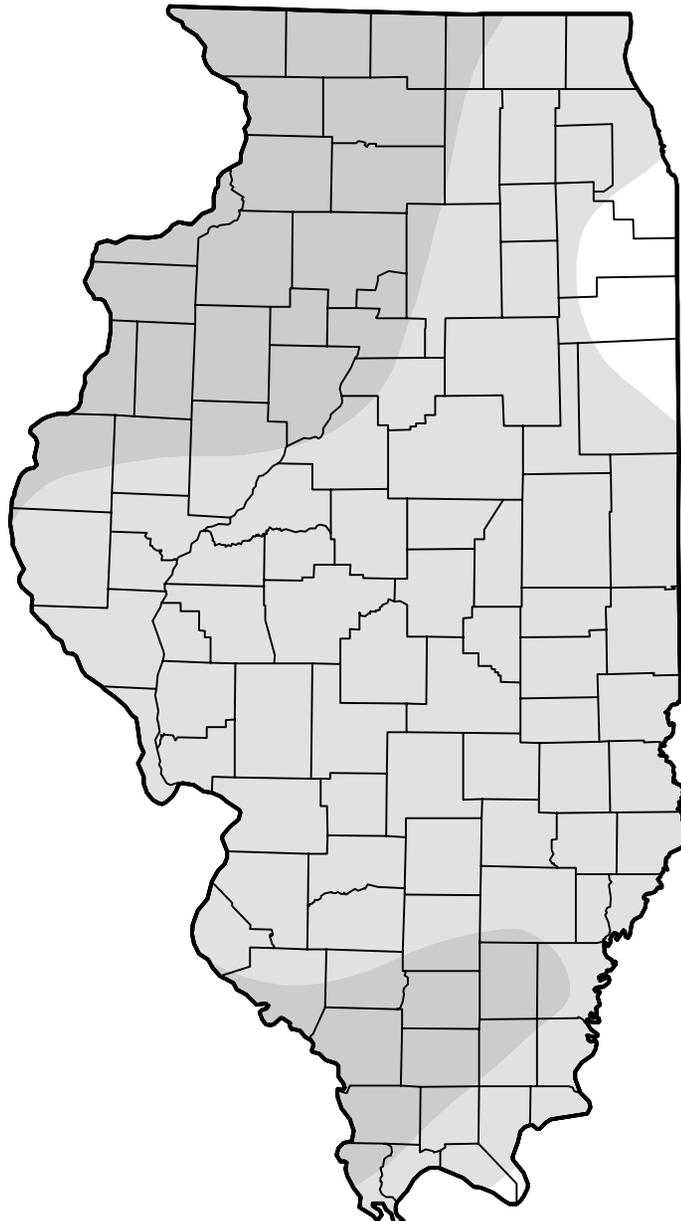


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	3.46	96.54	28.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-21-2003</i>	65.63	34.37	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-29-2003</i>	99.31	0.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	40.14	59.86	33.79	0.51	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	56.24	43.76	9.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-29-2002</i>	72.20	27.80	11.13	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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