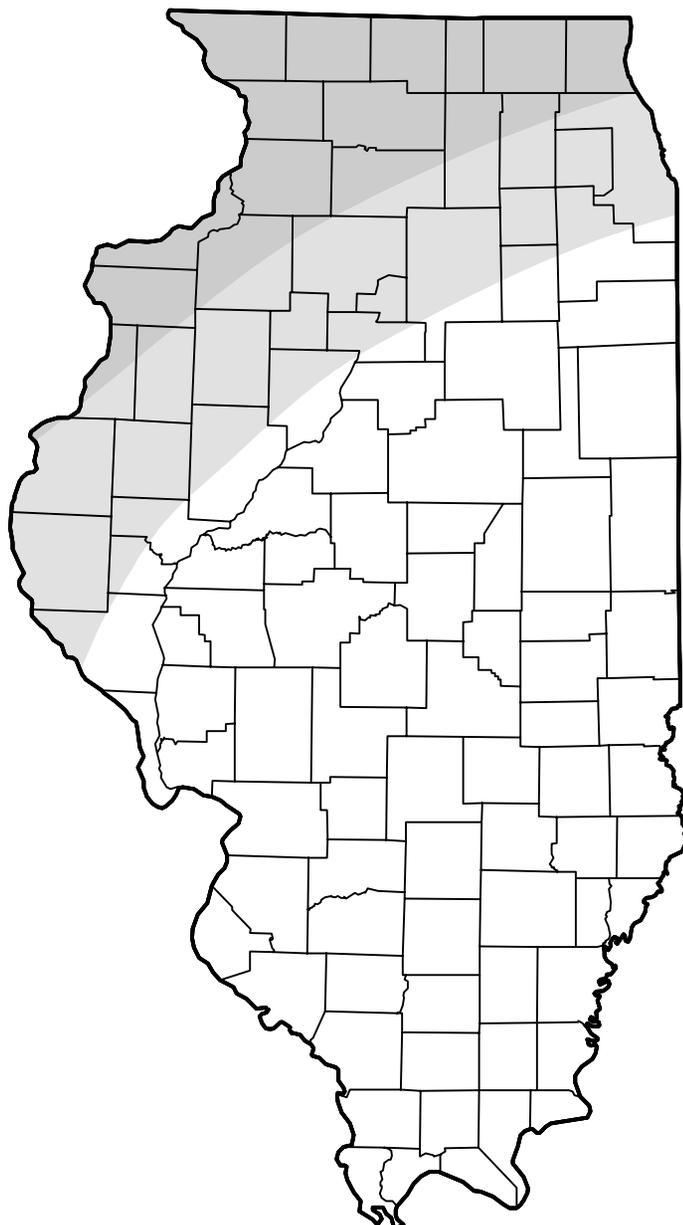


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Illinois

**September 16, 2003**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 18, 2003)*  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	67.25	18.72	14.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-11-2003</i>	68.16	13.03	13.53	5.28	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-19-2003</i>	74.48	25.52	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>09-19-2002</i>	71.85	10.94	10.80	6.41	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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