

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Iowa

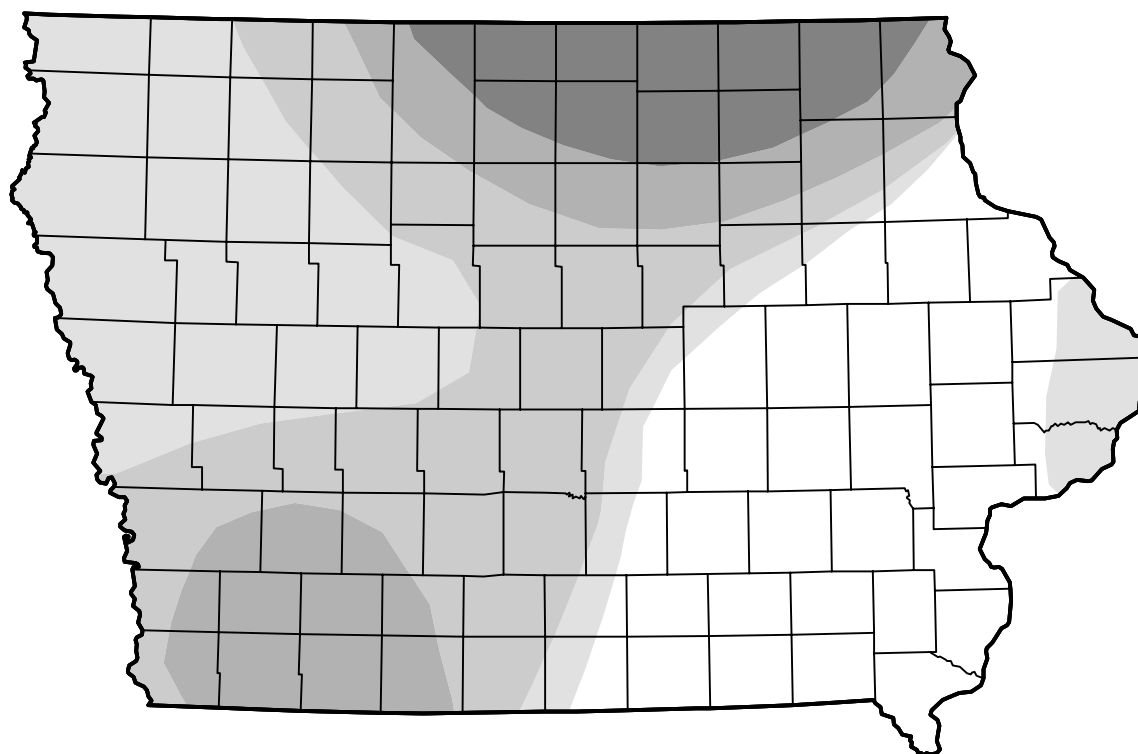
**January 13, 2004**

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**Valid 7 a.m. EST**

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 27.87 | 25.96 | 24.30 | 13.79 | 8.08  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-08-2004</i>              | 23.53 | 29.16 | 25.44 | 13.79 | 8.08  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-16-2003</i>           | 4.68  | 5.05  | 24.51 | 56.53 | 9.22  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2003</i> | 21.23 | 30.31 | 22.06 | 15.84 | 10.55 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2003</i>    | 4.26  | 4.93  | 21.04 | 58.33 | 11.44 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-16-2003</i>           | 1.84  | 21.65 | 64.18 | 9.75  | 2.57  | 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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