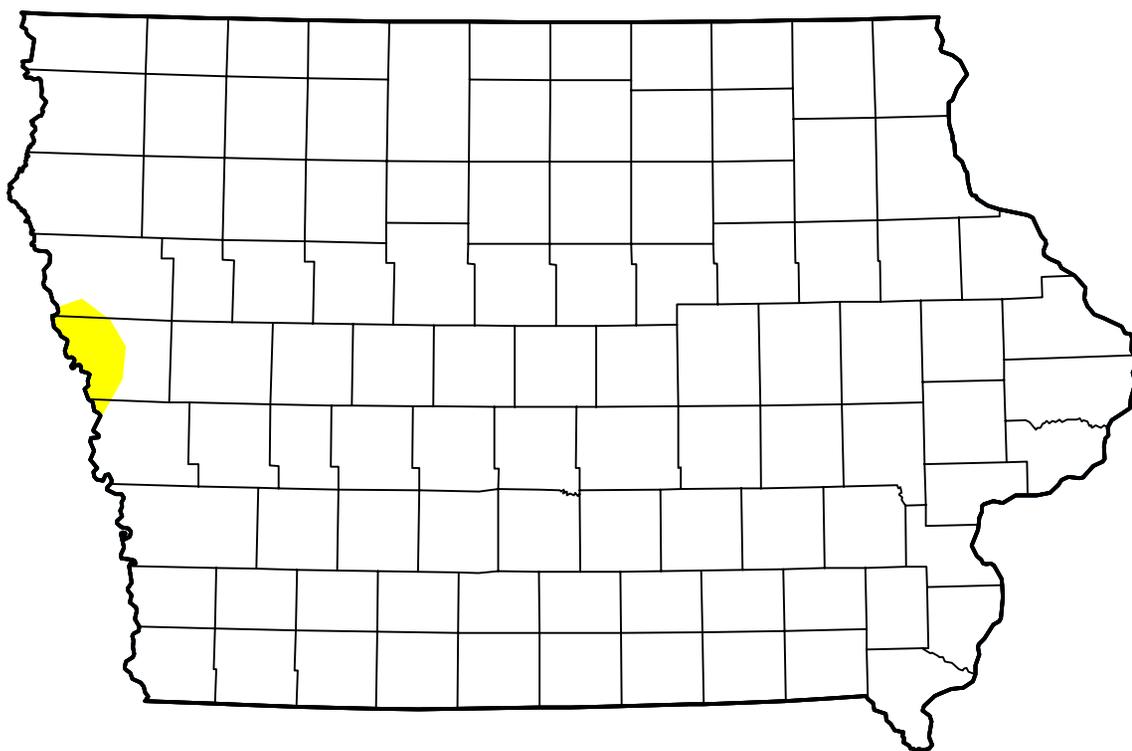


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Iowa

**September 7, 2004**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	99.28	0.72	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-02-2004</i>	99.37	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-10-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2003</i>	21.23	78.77	48.46	26.40	10.55	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2003</i>	4.26	95.74	90.81	69.77	11.44	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-11-2003</i>	0.00	100.00	99.86	83.31	18.91	0.00

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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