

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Illinois

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None   | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 43.07  | 56.93 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-07-2004</i>              | 43.07  | 56.93 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-15-2004</i>           | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2003</i> | 88.25  | 11.75 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2004</i>    | 79.95  | 20.05 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-16-2003</i>           | 73.43  | 26.57 | 16.92 | 0.32  | 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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