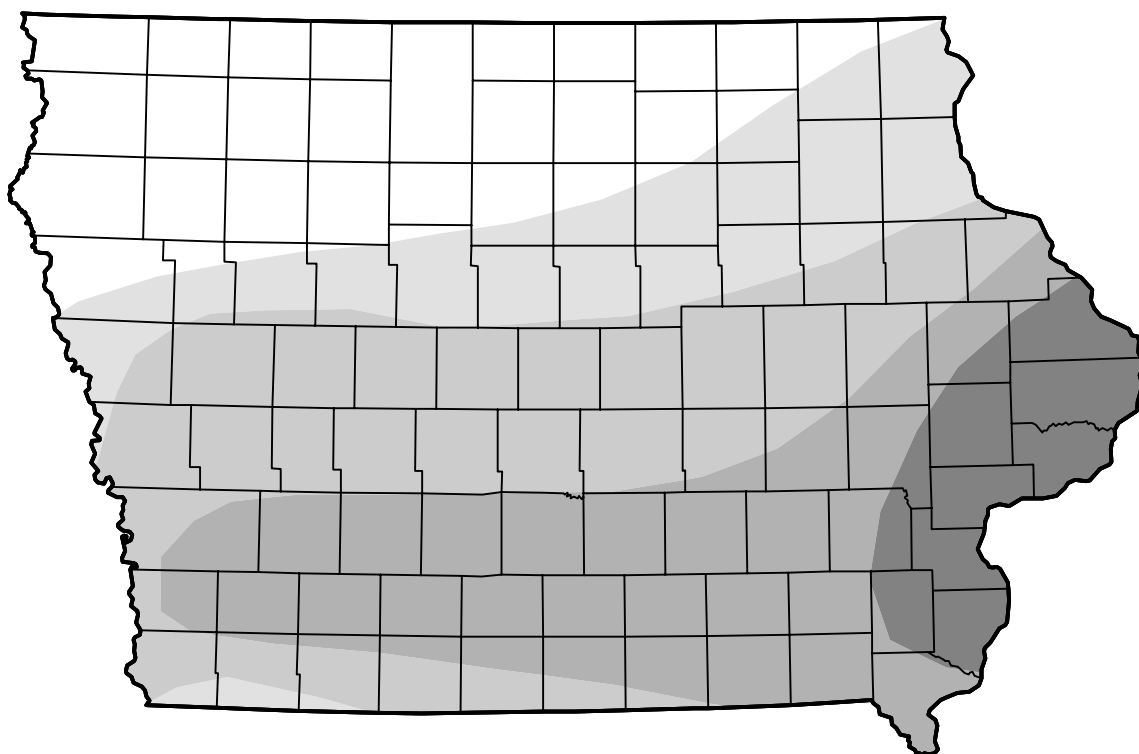


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Iowa



**November 1, 2005**

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 24.74 | 16.36 | 26.70 | 24.03 | 8.17 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-26-2005</i>              | 24.74 | 16.36 | 26.70 | 24.03 | 8.17 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-04-2005</i>           | 61.91 | 14.93 | 8.03  | 8.33  | 6.81 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-06-2005</i> | 62.80 | 37.20 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2005</i>    | 41.91 | 15.85 | 26.11 | 12.21 | 3.92 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-04-2004</i>           | 60.24 | 39.76 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 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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