

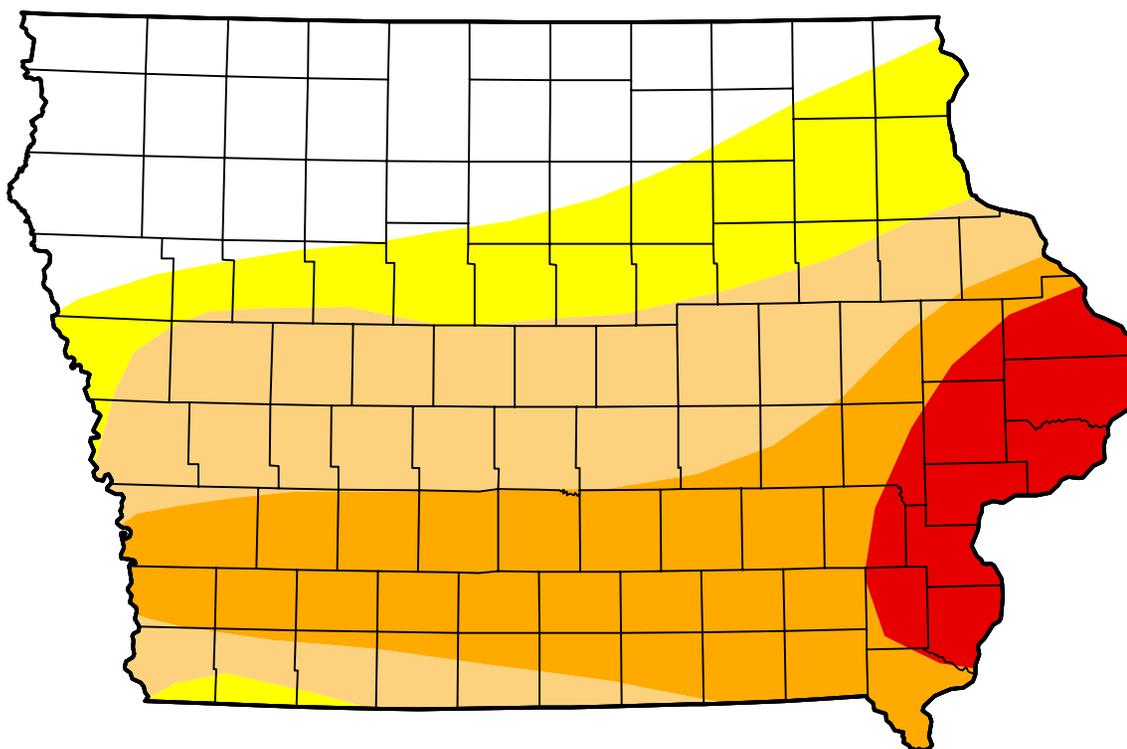
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Iowa

**November 29, 2005**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 1, 2005)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	25.37	15.73	26.18	24.65	8.08	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-24-2005</i>	25.37	15.73	26.90	23.92	8.08	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-01-2005</i>	66.14	13.11	8.46	7.17	5.13	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	62.80	37.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	41.91	15.85	26.11	12.21	3.92	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-02-2004</i>	86.77	13.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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