

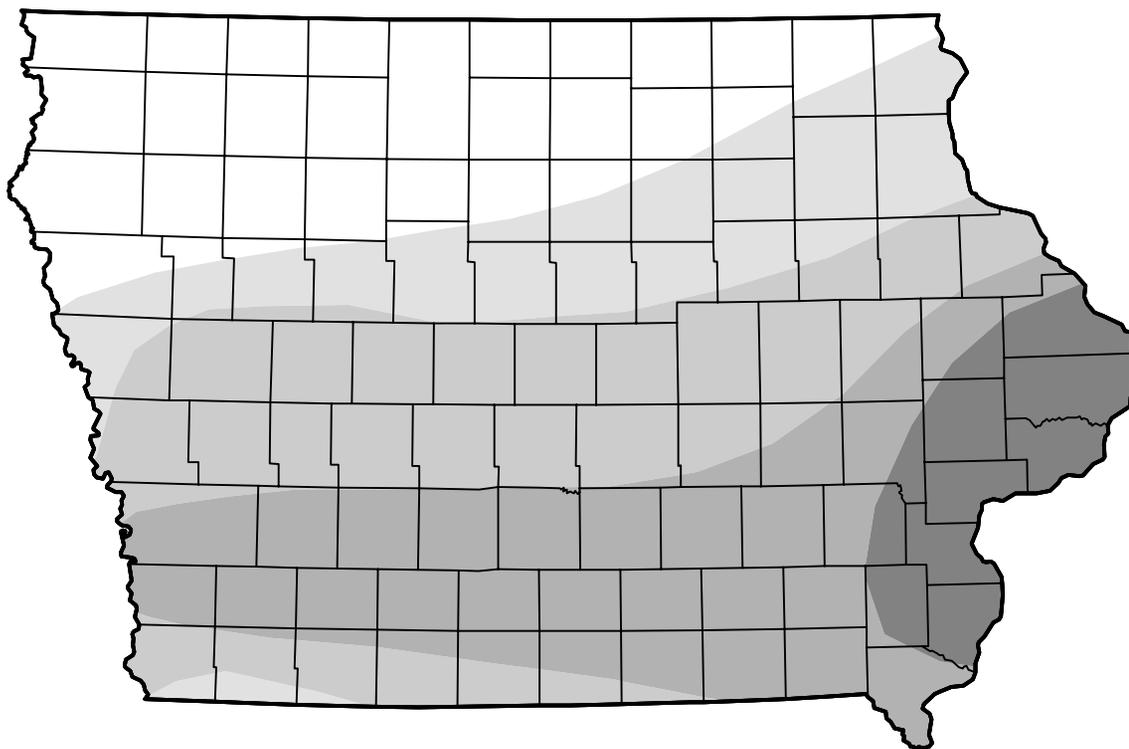
U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

December 13, 2005
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	25.37	74.63	58.90	32.72	8.08	0.00
Last Week <i>12-08-2005</i>	25.37	74.63	58.90	32.72	8.08	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-15-2005</i>	39.69	60.31	40.45	15.72	6.26	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	62.80	37.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	41.91	58.09	42.24	16.13	3.92	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-16-2004</i>	84.53	15.47	0.00	0.00	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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