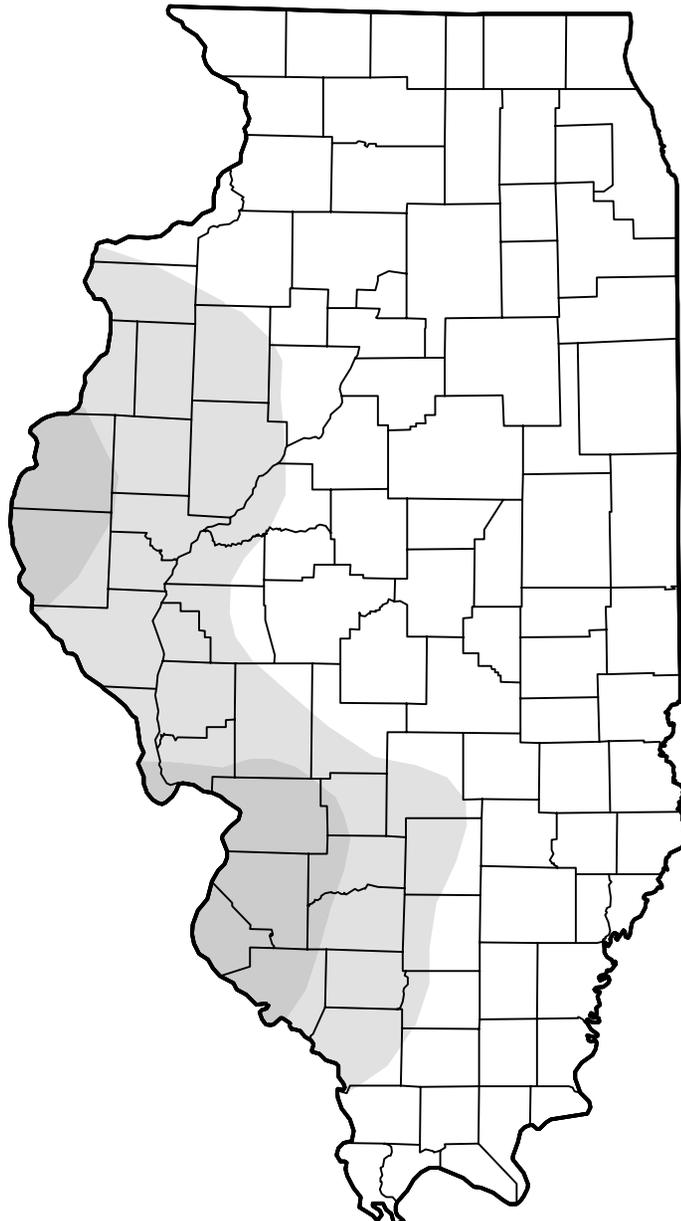


U.S. Drought Monitor

Illinois

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.97	29.03	7.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-07-2006</i>	71.68	28.32	7.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-15-2006</i>	90.21	9.79	1.83	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	34.16	65.84	53.47	33.81	18.50	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	21.16	78.84	54.15	30.92	15.76	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-15-2005</i>	17.68	82.32	72.72	59.96	44.40	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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