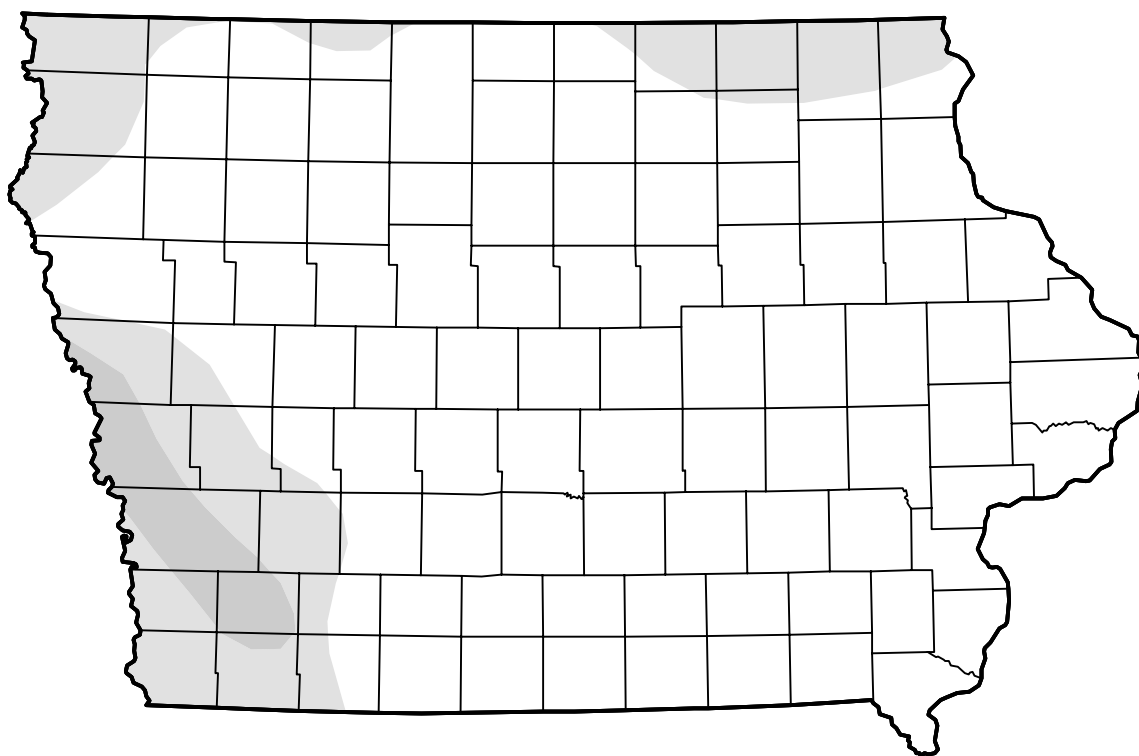


U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa



September 2, 2008

(Released Thursday, Sep. 4, 2008)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	82.34	14.38	3.27	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-28-2008</i>	82.93	16.65	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-05-2008</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	99.93	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-06-2007</i>	99.62	0.38	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>

Author:

Jay Lawrimore
NOAA/NESDIS/NCEI



droughtmonitor.unl.edu