

U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

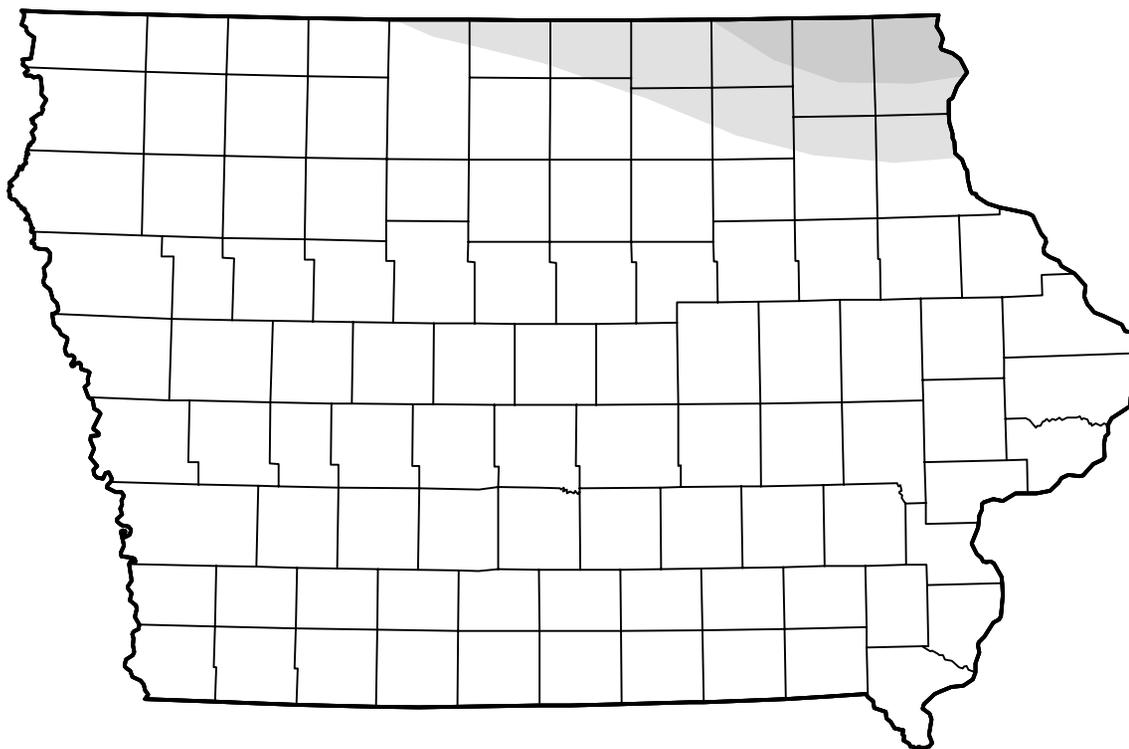
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 92.58 | 7.42 | 1.86 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>12-04-2008</i> | 92.58 | 7.42 | 1.86 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>09-11-2008</i> | 82.62 | 17.38 | 3.27 | 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>10-02-2008</i> | 74.66 | 25.34 | 2.94 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>12-13-2007</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 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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