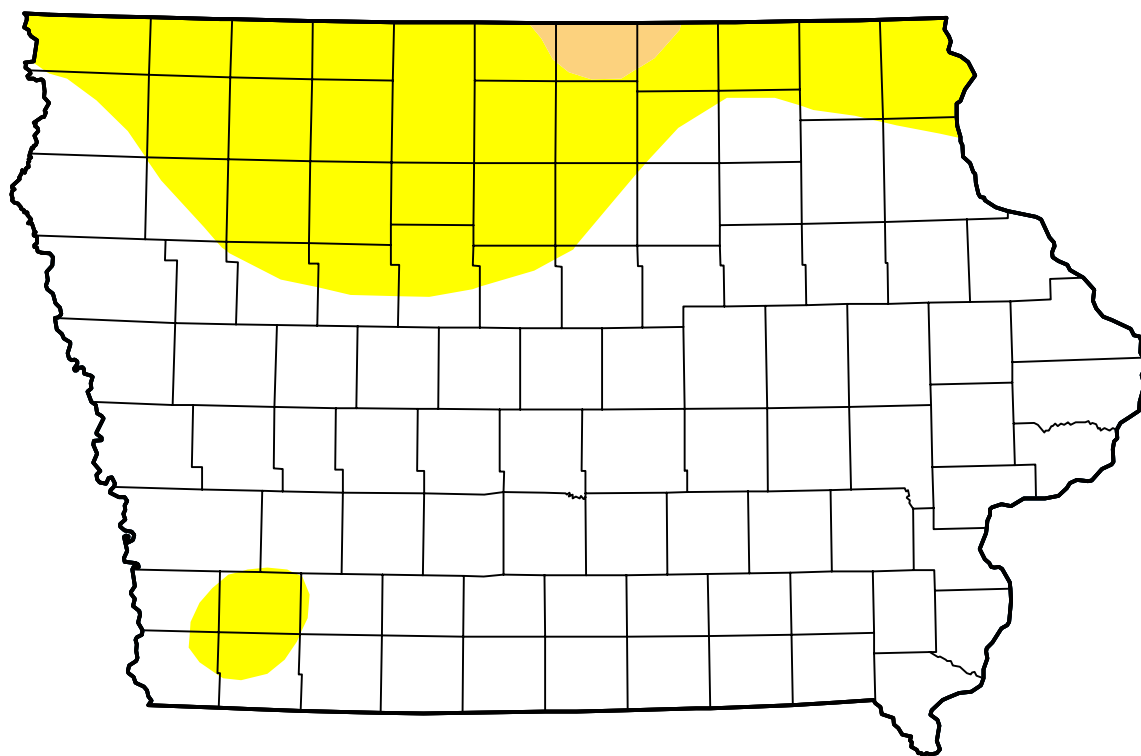


U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.24	24.84	0.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-17-2009</i>	77.52	22.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-25-2009</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	96.95	3.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	74.66	22.40	2.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-25-2008</i>	74.66	22.87	2.48	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>

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