

U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	34.68	65.32	52.84	31.75	1.54	0.00
Last Week 04-11-2013	16.83	83.17	69.84	44.49	20.65	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-17-2013	0.00	100.00	100.00	58.33	32.26	1.23
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	0.00	100.00	100.00	58.42	32.07	1.23
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	65.77	2.52
One Year Ago 04-19-2012	52.97	47.03	29.76	20.00	0.00	0.00

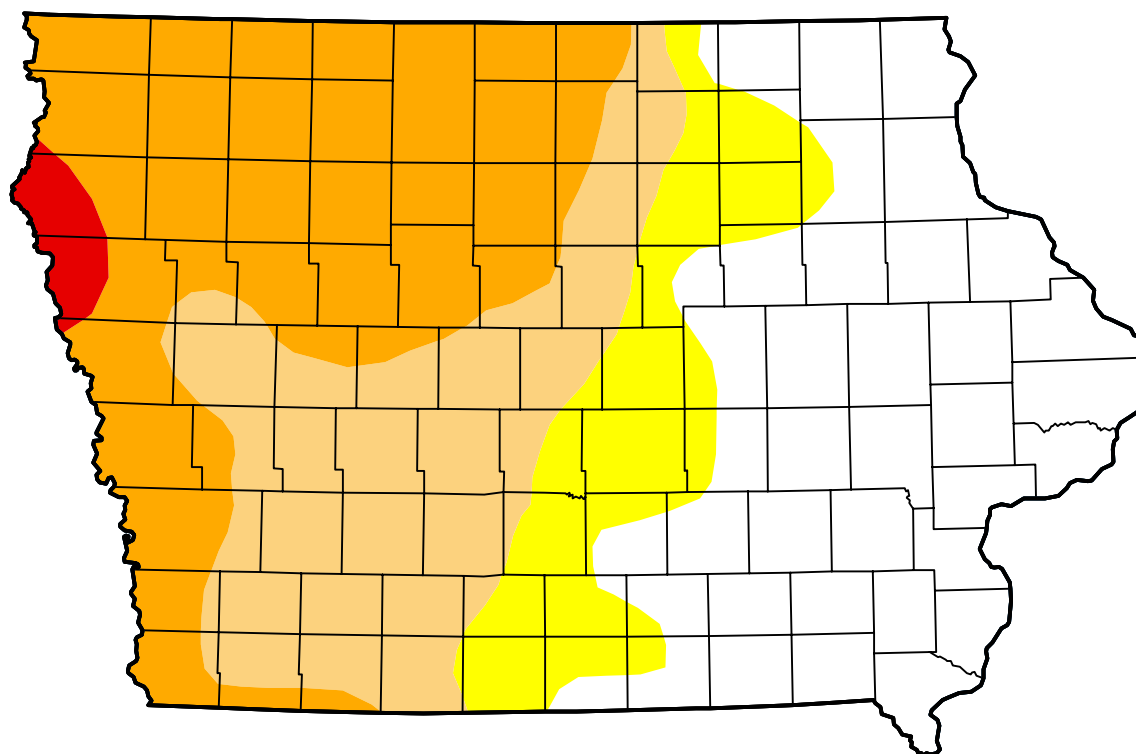
Intensity:

 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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