

U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

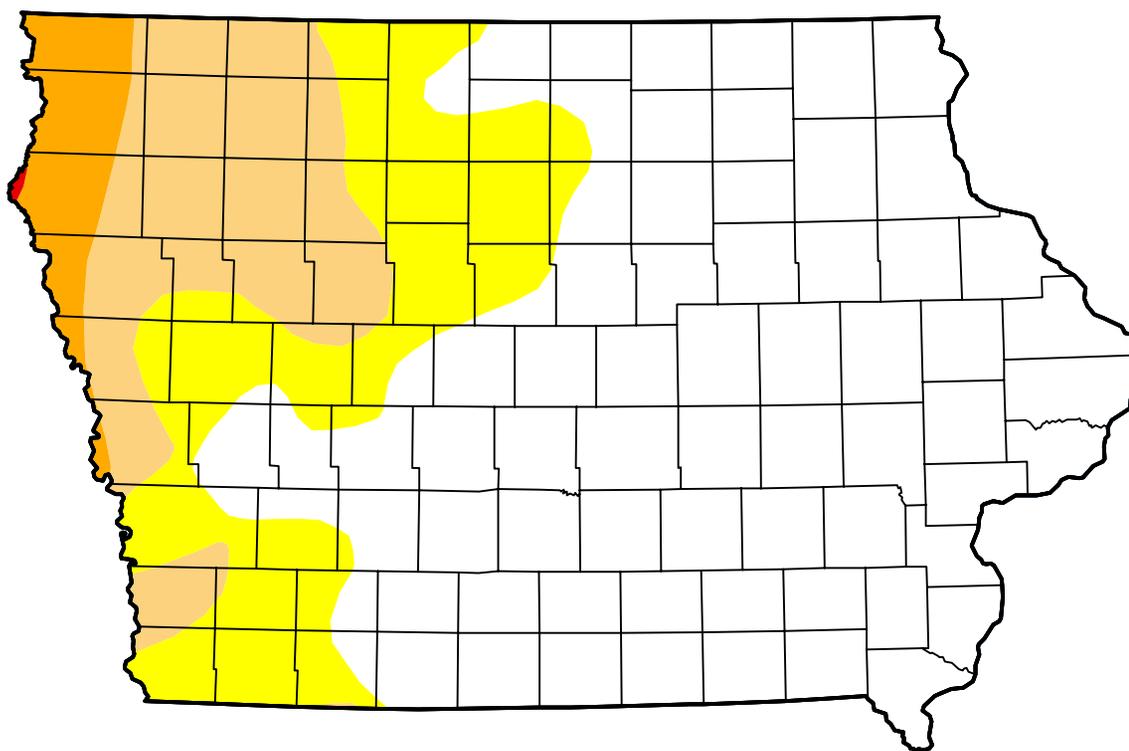
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	64.50	35.50	17.63	3.92	0.05	0.00
Last Week <i>05-16-2013</i>	61.24	38.76	19.47	3.92	0.05	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-21-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	99.98	54.35	32.05	1.23
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	58.42	32.07	1.23
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	65.77	2.52
One Year Ago <i>05-24-2012</i>	17.42	82.58	14.78	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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