

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Iowa

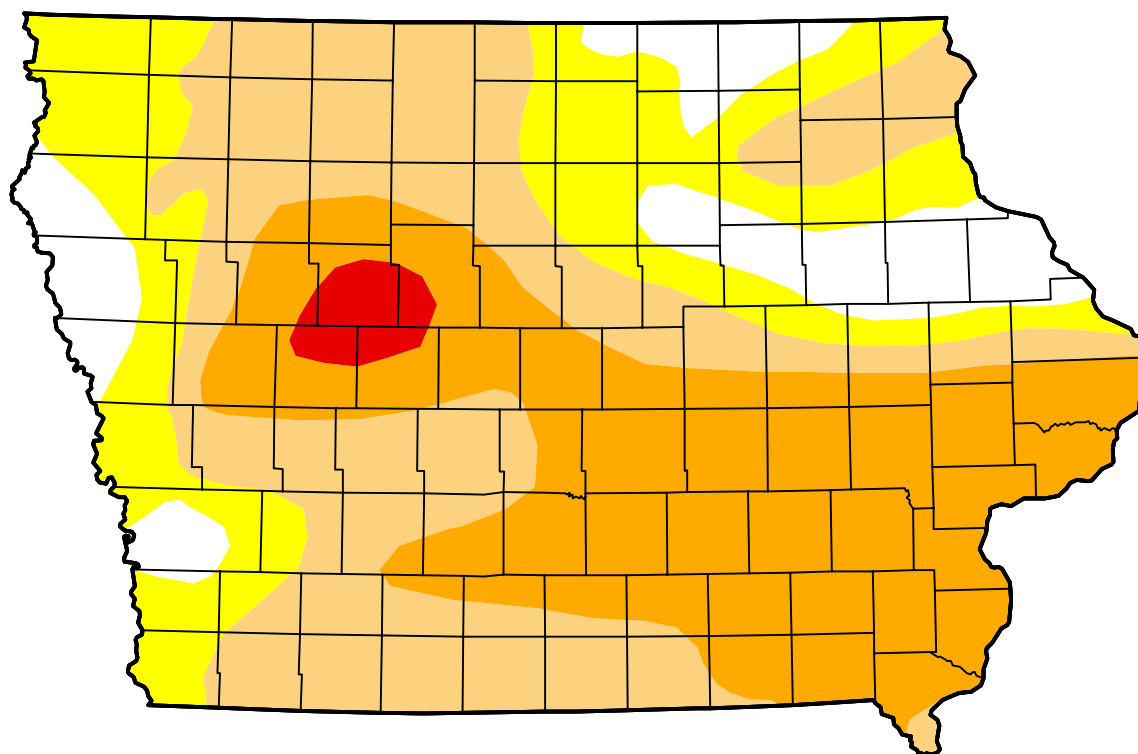
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	11.00	89.00	68.27	35.00	1.76	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-10-2013</i>	8.35	91.65	71.15	36.06	1.76	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-18-2013</i>	80.21	19.79	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	58.42	32.07	1.23
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	5.32	94.68	78.89	38.39	1.76	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-18-2012</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	95.30	63.88	2.52



### 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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