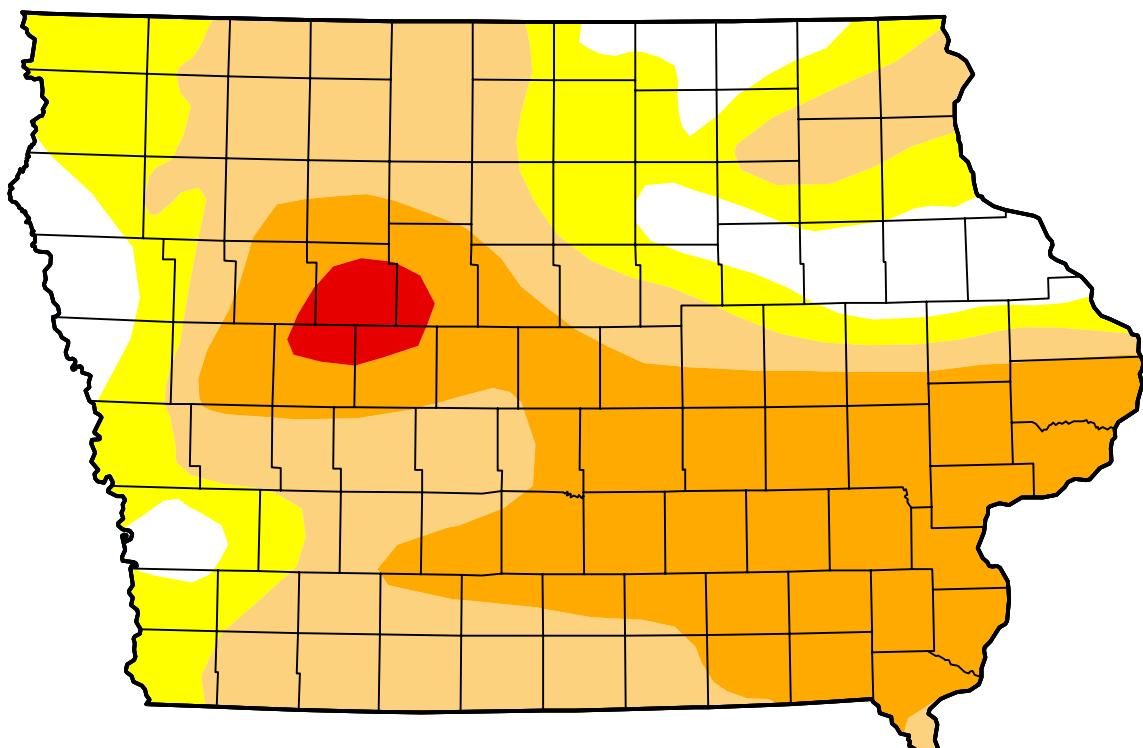


U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

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