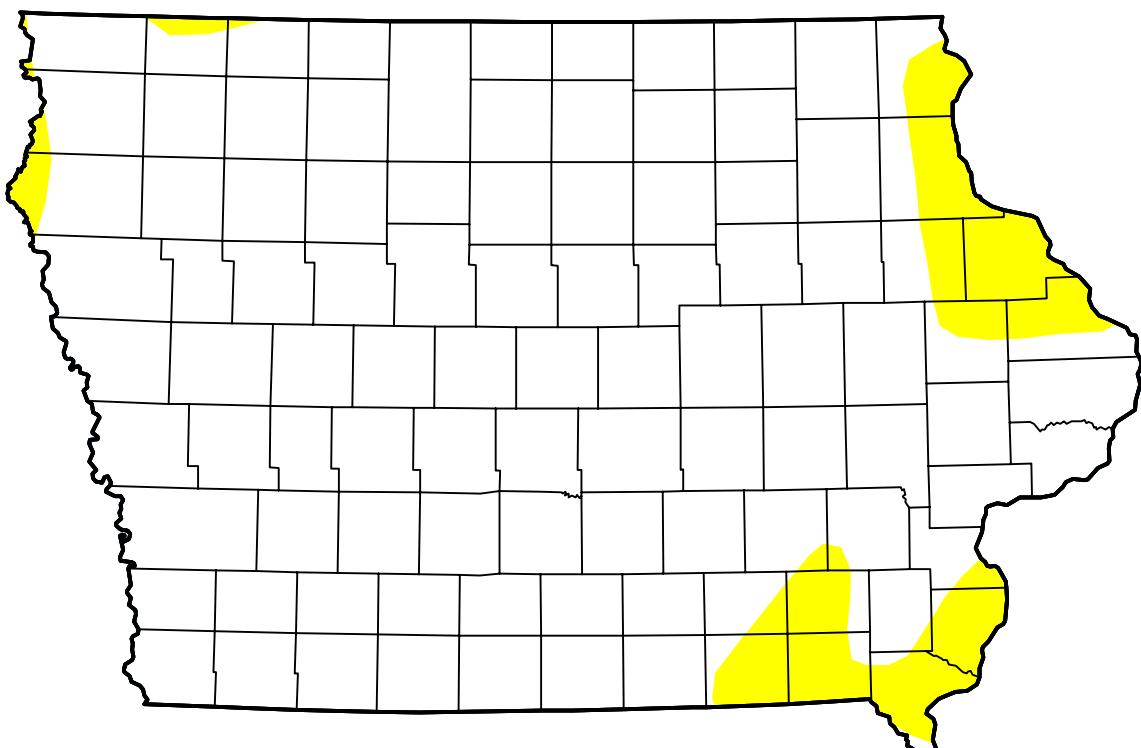


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Iowa



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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	91.14	8.86	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 05-14-2015	85.62	14.38	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-19-2015	92.29	7.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	93.01	6.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	99.99	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 05-22-2014	43.75	56.25	28.76	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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