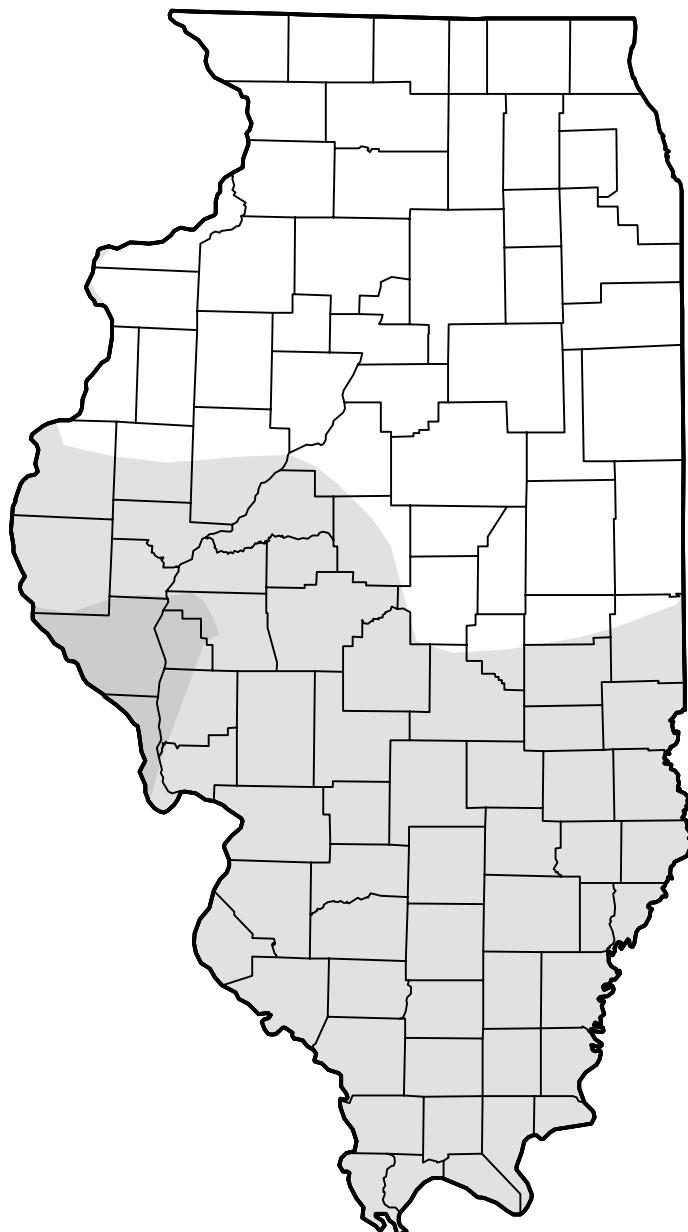


U.S. Drought Monitor

Illinois



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	48.87	51.13	2.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-23-2017</i>	49.09	50.91	2.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-01-2016</i>	59.75	40.25	1.32	0.15	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	65.10	34.90	6.50	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	99.99	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-03-2016</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	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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