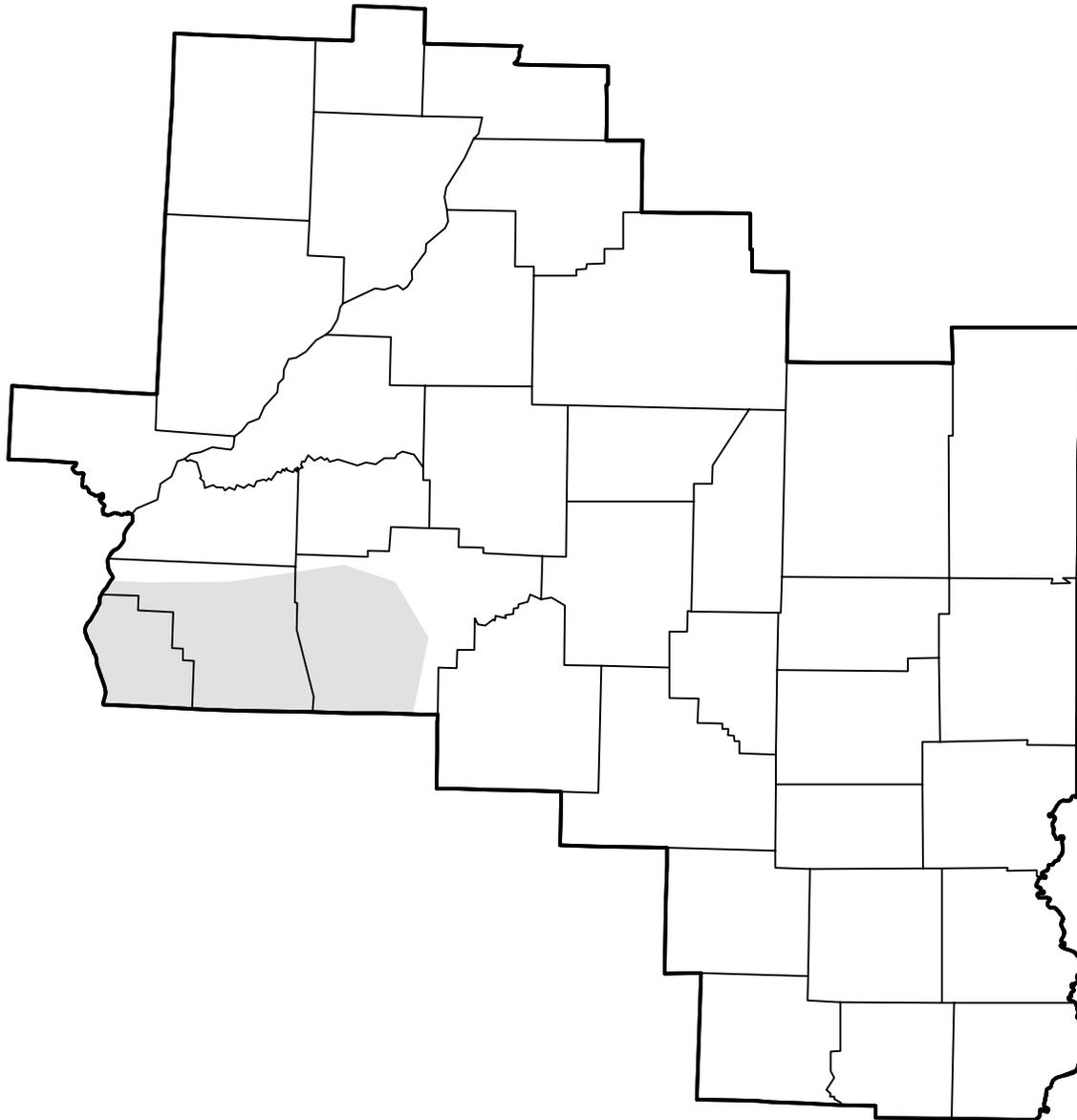


# U.S. Drought Monitor Lincoln, IL WFO

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	93.93	6.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-22-2018</i>	68.20	23.53	8.27	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-30-2017</i>	80.71	19.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2018</i>	57.56	28.78	13.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2017</i>	4.99	69.64	25.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-02-2017</i>	46.26	52.05	1.69	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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