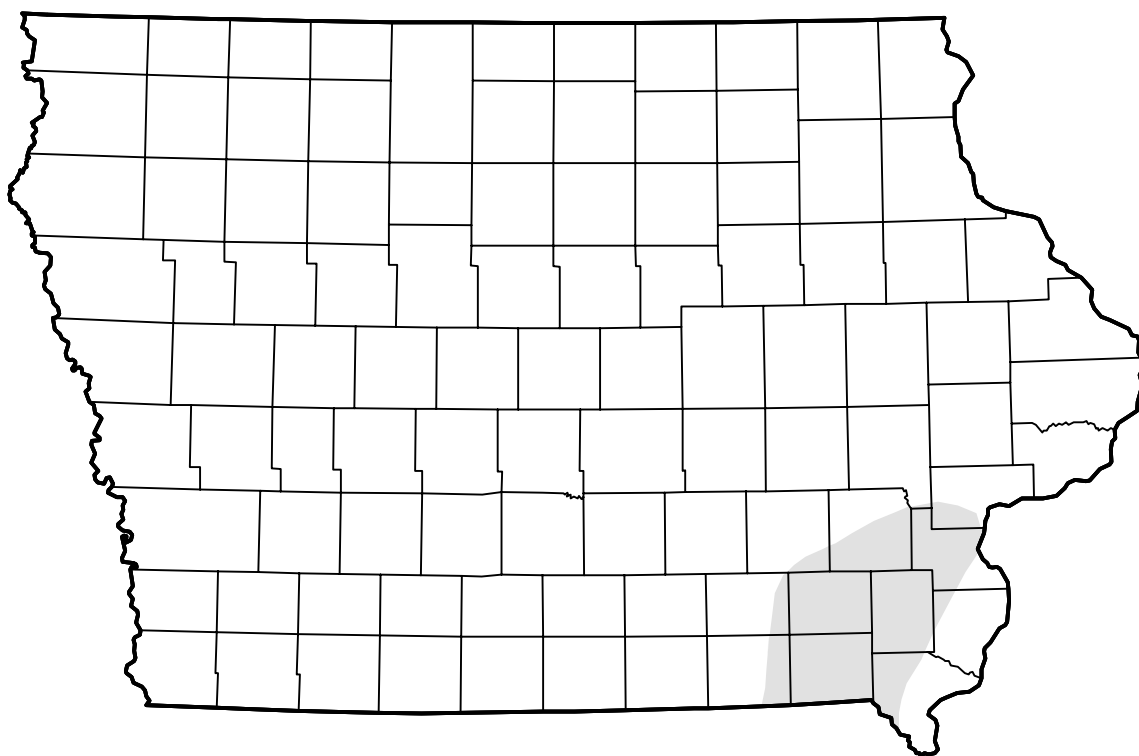


U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	95.36	4.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-13-2017	95.36	4.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-19-2017	87.49	12.51	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2017	86.11	13.89	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	95.07	4.93	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 04-21-2016	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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