

U.S. Drought Monitor

Iowa

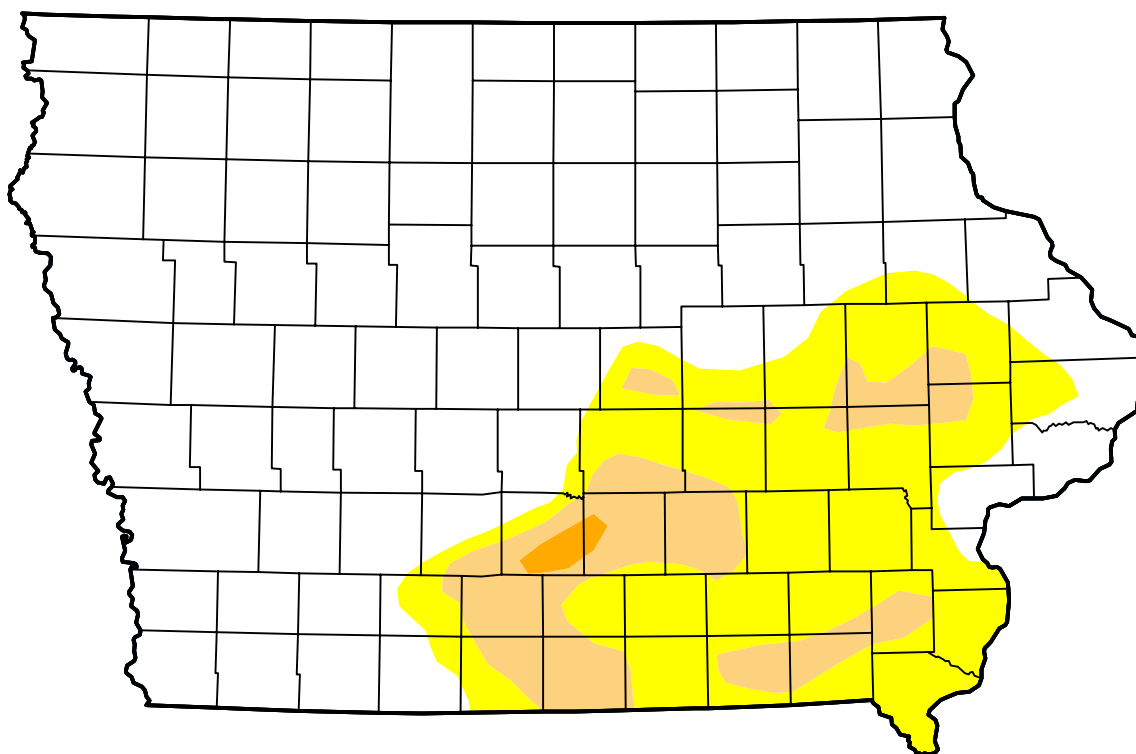
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	71.33	19.98	8.29	0.40	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-12-2017	58.80	17.23	22.00	1.98	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-20-2017	41.63	36.13	22.24	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 09-28-2017	42.60	27.28	23.47	4.41	2.24	0.00
One Year Ago 10-20-2016	95.06	4.94	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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