



Drought Information Statement for Central Indiana

Valid January 23, 2025

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- This product will be updated when drought conditions are reintroduced in central Indiana.
 - Please see all currently available products at <https://drought.gov/drought-information-statements>.
 - Please visit <https://www.weather.gov/ind/DroughtInformationStatement> for previous statements.
 - Please visit <https://www.drought.gov/drought-status-updates/> for regional drought status updates.
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- Abnormally Dry (D0) area remains across northern Indiana
 - All Drought (D1 or worse) removed from the state



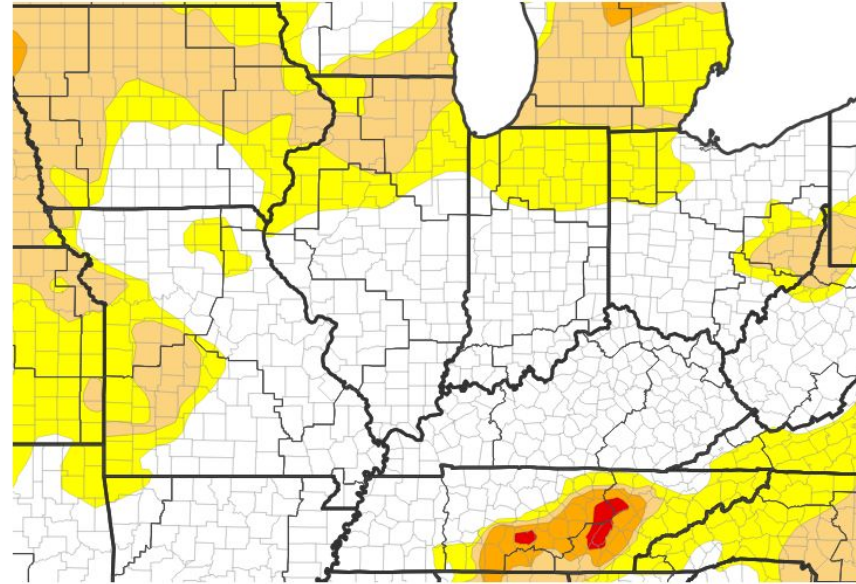


U.S. Drought Monitor

Link to the [latest U.S. Drought Monitor](#) for central Indiana

- Drought intensity and Extent
 - **D0: (Abnormally Dry)**: Carroll, Howard

U.S. Drought Monitor



U.S. Drought Monitor



Source(s): NDMC, NOAA, USDA; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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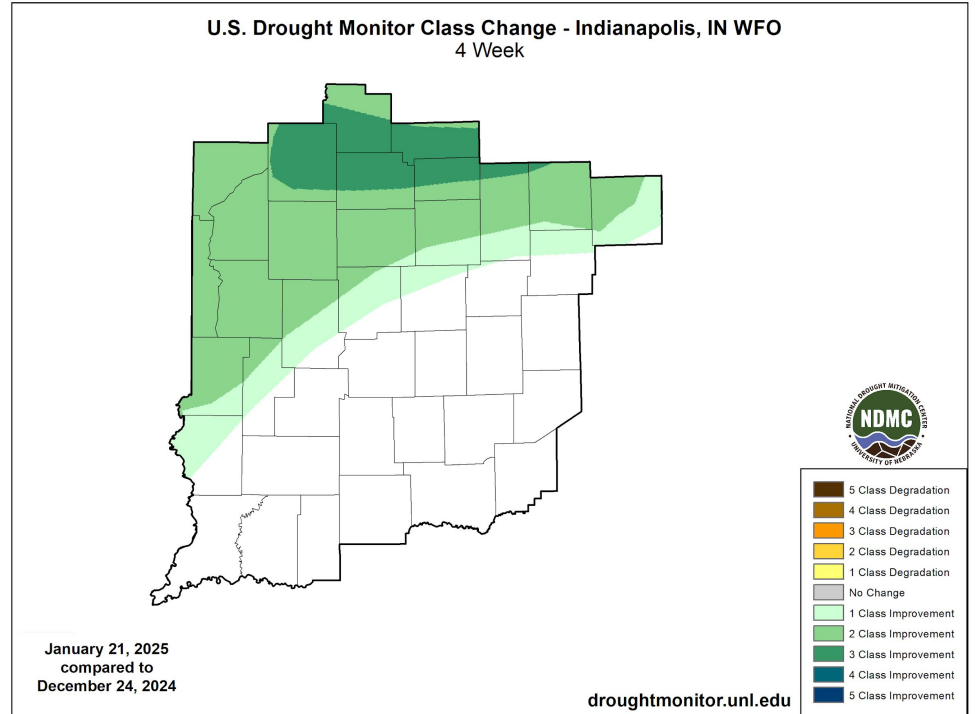




Recent Change in Drought Intensity

Link to the latest [4-week change map](#) for central Indiana

- Four Week Drought Monitor Class Change
 - One to three class improvement over central Indiana, with the largest improvement over northern parts of central Indiana

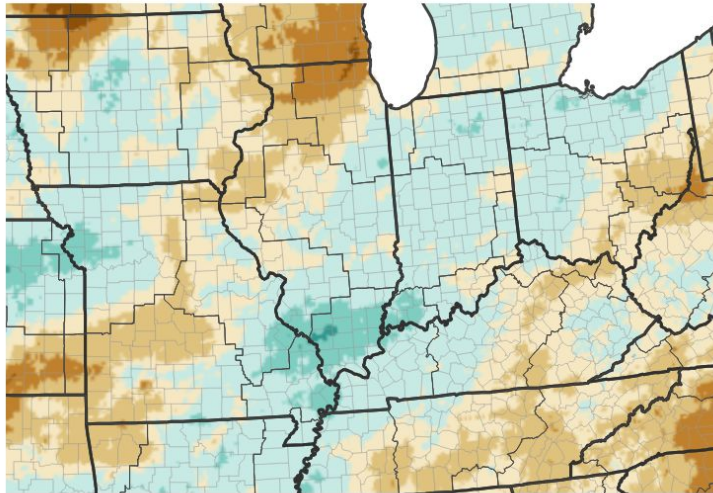




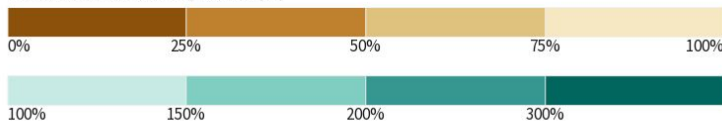
Precipitation

- Near normal precipitation was the rule across the state the past 30 days (75 to 150%)

30-Day Precipitation: Percent of PRISM Normal



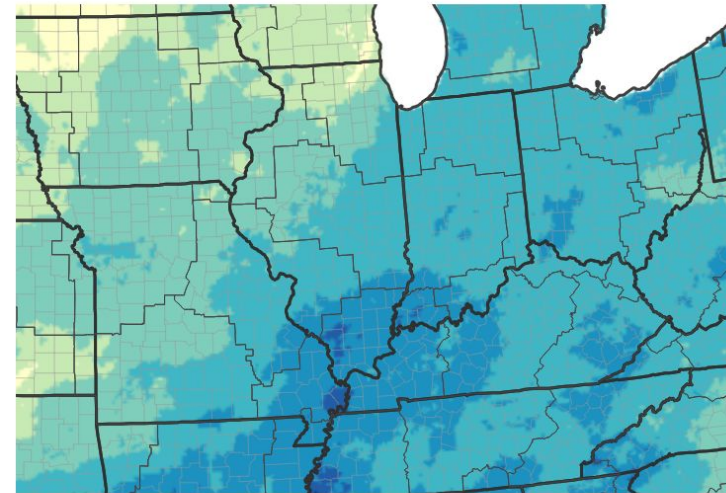
Percent of Normal Precipitation (%)



Source(s): National Weather Service National Water Prediction Service; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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NWPS 30-Day Precipitation Accumulations (inches)



Inches of Precipitation



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Summary of Impacts

Links: See/submit [Condition Monitoring Observer Reports \(CMOR\)](#) and view the [Drought Impacts Reporter](#)

Hydrologic Impacts

- Some groundwater stations still below normal

Agricultural Impacts

- Below normal soil moisture across northern half of Indiana

Fire Hazard Impacts

- None reported

Other Impacts

- None reported

Mitigation Actions

- None reported



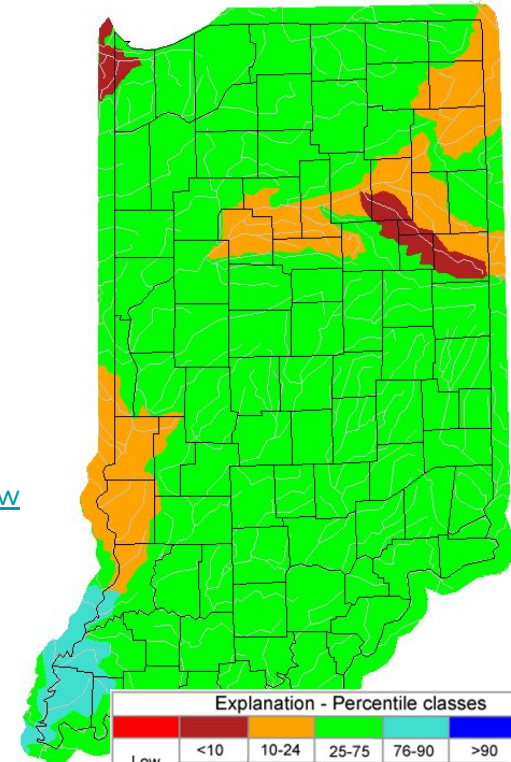


Hydrologic Conditions and Impacts

- Near normal streamflow across most of the state, with some below normal streamflow on parts of the upper and middle Wabash and the Maumee basins

Image Caption:
[USGS 7 day average streamflow HUC map](#) for Indiana valid January 22, 2025

Wednesday, January 22, 2025



Explanation - Percentile classes						
Low	<10	10-24	25-75	76-90	>90	High
	Much below normal	Below normal	Normal	Above normal	Much above normal	No Data



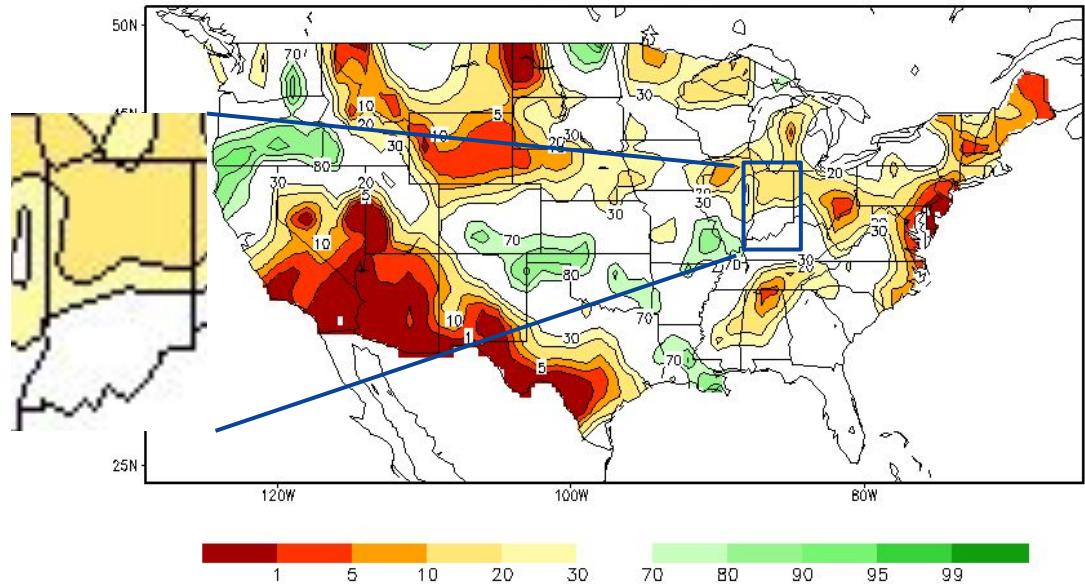


Agricultural Impacts

- Soil moisture is below normal across the northern half of the state, and normal across southern Indiana

[Link to Latest Indiana Crop Report](#)

Calculated Soil Moisture Ranking Percentile
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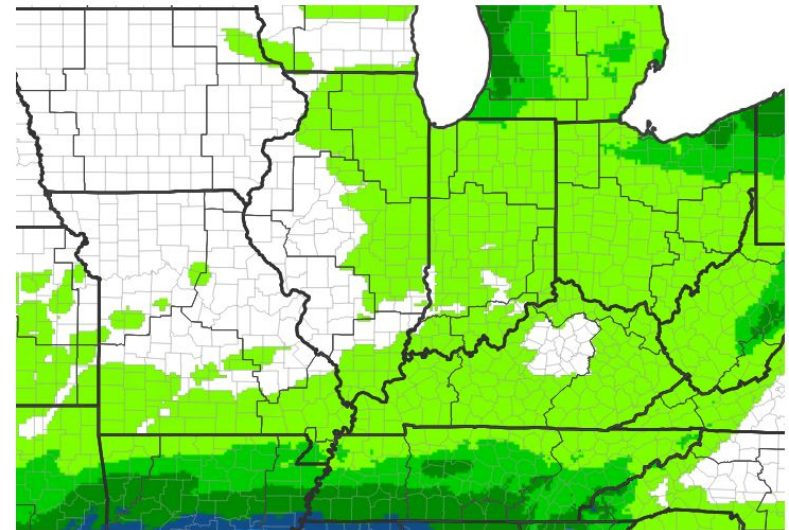




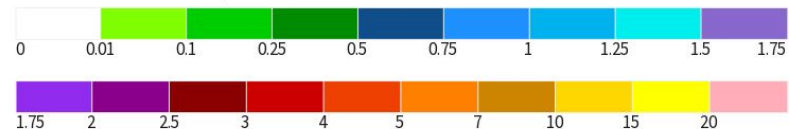
Seven Day Precipitation Forecast

- The seven day precipitation forecast shows less than a tenth of an inch across the state

7-Day Quantitative Precipitation Forecast for January 23, 2025–January 30, 2025



Predicted Inches of Precipitation



Source(s): National Weather Service Weather Prediction Center; image courtesy of Drought.gov

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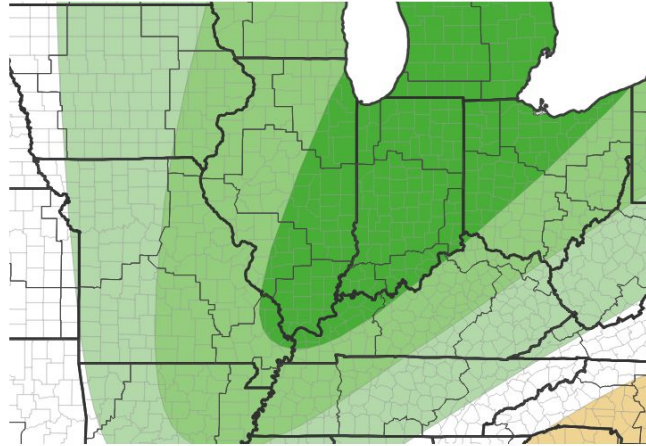


Long-Range Outlooks

The latest monthly and seasonal outlooks can be found on the [CPC homepage](#)

- February outlooks show a strong signal for above normal precipitation with mid range probabilities for near normal temperatures

Monthly Precipitation Outlook for February 1, 2025–February 28, 2025



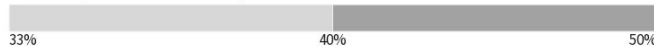
Probability of Below-Normal Precipitation



Probability of Above-Normal Precipitation



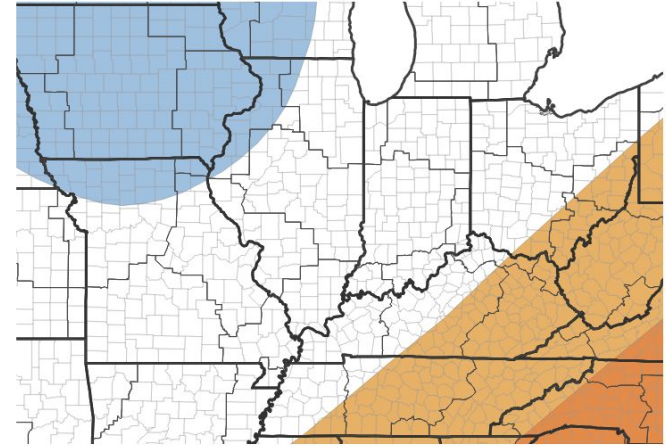
Probability of Near-Normal Precipitation



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Monthly Temperature Outlook for February 1, 2025–February 28, 2025



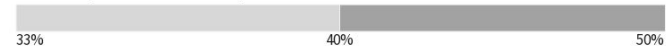
Probability of Below-Normal Temperatures



Probability of Above-Normal Temperatures



Probability of Near-Normal Temperatures



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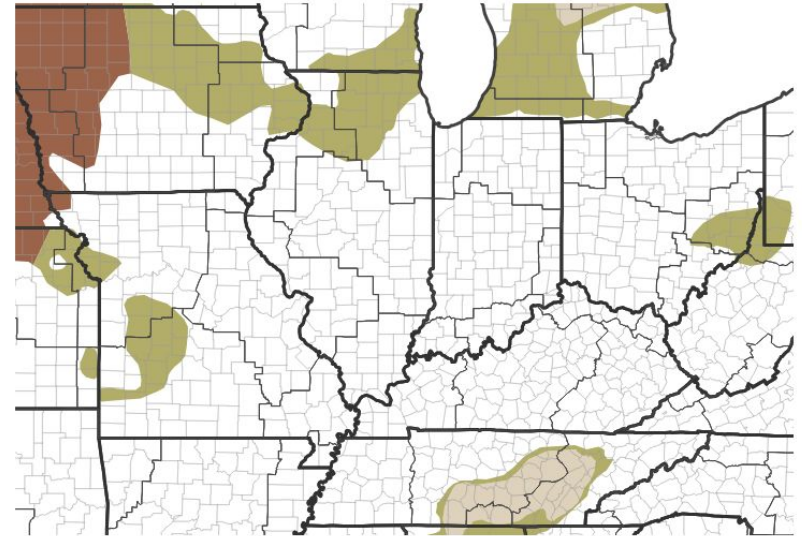


Drought Outlook

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- No Drought is expected across Indiana through the end of April

Seasonal (3-Month) Drought Outlook for January 16, 2025–April 30, 2025



Drought Is Predicted To...



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Links to the latest:

[Climate Prediction Center Monthly Drought Outlook](#)

[Climate Prediction Center Seasonal Drought Outlook](#)

