

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Upper Mississippi Watershed

June 17, 2003

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 70.18 | 29.82 | 2.68  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>06-12-2003              | 89.00 | 11.00 | 2.57  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>03-20-2003           | 10.56 | 89.44 | 80.66 | 18.91 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-02-2003 | 56.99 | 43.01 | 19.67 | 1.29  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-03-2002    | 82.11 | 17.89 | 2.37  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>06-20-2002           | 92.41 | 7.59  | 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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