

U.S. Drought Monitor

North Central States

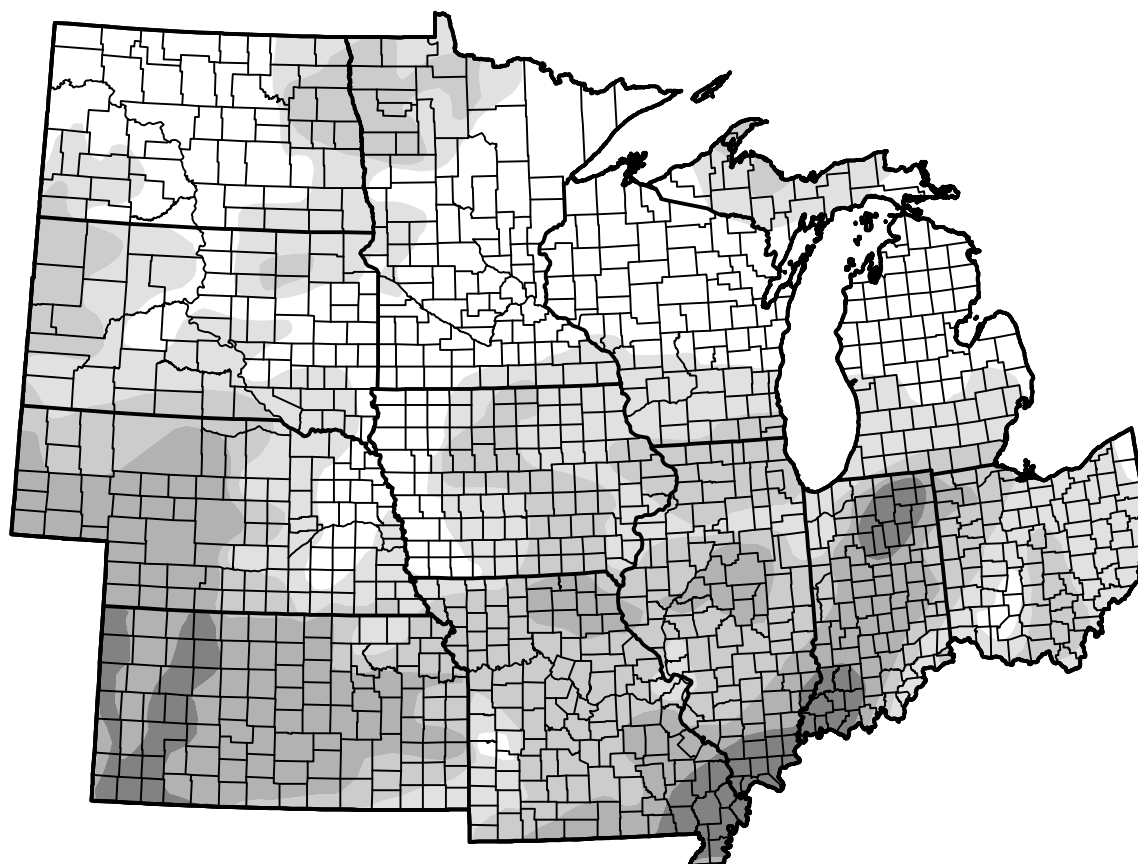
June 26, 2012

(Released Thursday, Jun. 28, 2012)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	28.48	71.52	45.57	20.98	4.44	0.00
Last Week <i>06-19-2012</i>	29.86	70.14	41.76	10.99	1.65	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>03-27-2012</i>	54.42	45.58	18.39	5.53	0.04	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	58.20	41.80	17.43	7.20	1.37	0.02
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	59.58	40.42	16.96	8.51	3.07	1.89
One Year Ago <i>06-28-2011</i>	89.77	10.23	5.62	3.64	1.48	0.21



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>

Author:

Richard Heim
NCEI/NOAA



droughtmonitor.unl.edu