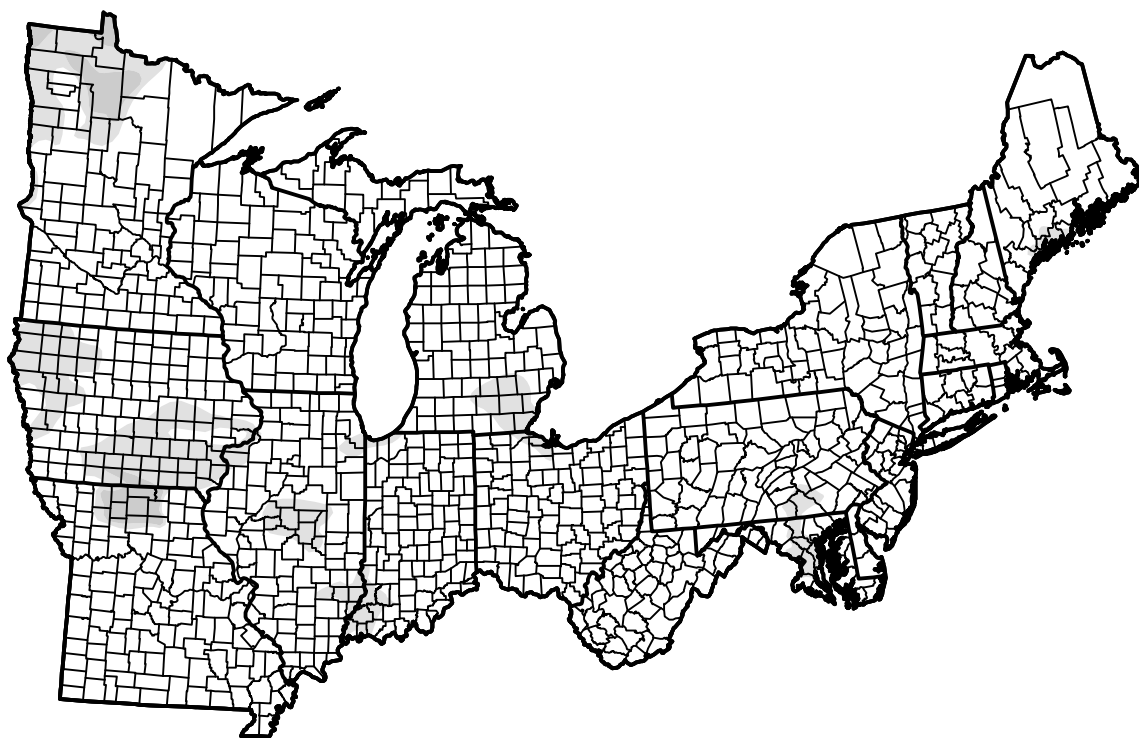


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northern Forests

### Climate Hub



**June 27, 2017**  
 (Released Thursday, Jun. 29, 2017)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

#### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 89.61 | 8.94  | 1.45  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>06-20-2017              | 89.21 | 9.34  | 1.45  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>03-28-2017           | 74.19 | 13.00 | 11.77 | 1.04 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-03-2017 | 63.05 | 20.19 | 13.17 | 3.16 | 0.43 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-27-2016    | 69.73 | 17.38 | 6.89  | 3.96 | 2.05 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>06-28-2016           | 60.13 | 33.53 | 6.33  | 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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