

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Maryland

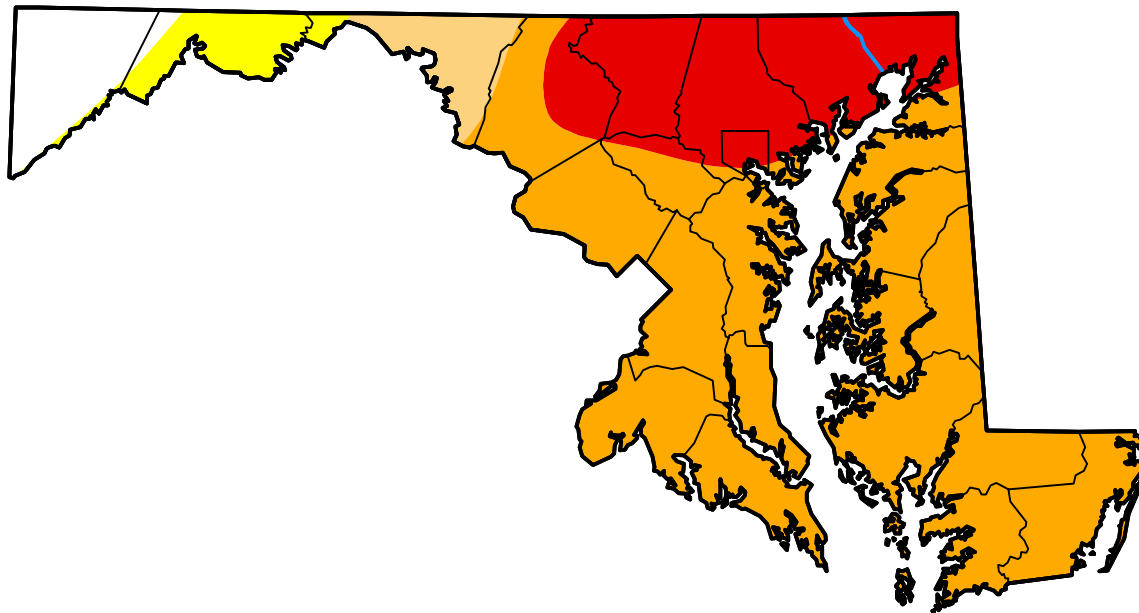
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0     | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 6.94  | 4.57   | 4.30  | 62.85 | 21.35 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-02-2002</i>              | 7.16  | 4.14   | 5.96  | 43.67 | 39.07 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-07-2002</i>           | 0.00  | 6.52   | 27.55 | 65.94 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 0.00  | 9.22   | 42.75 | 48.03 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2001</i>    | 54.05 | 45.95  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-10-2001</i>           | 0.00  | 100.00 | 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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