

# U.S. Drought Monitor

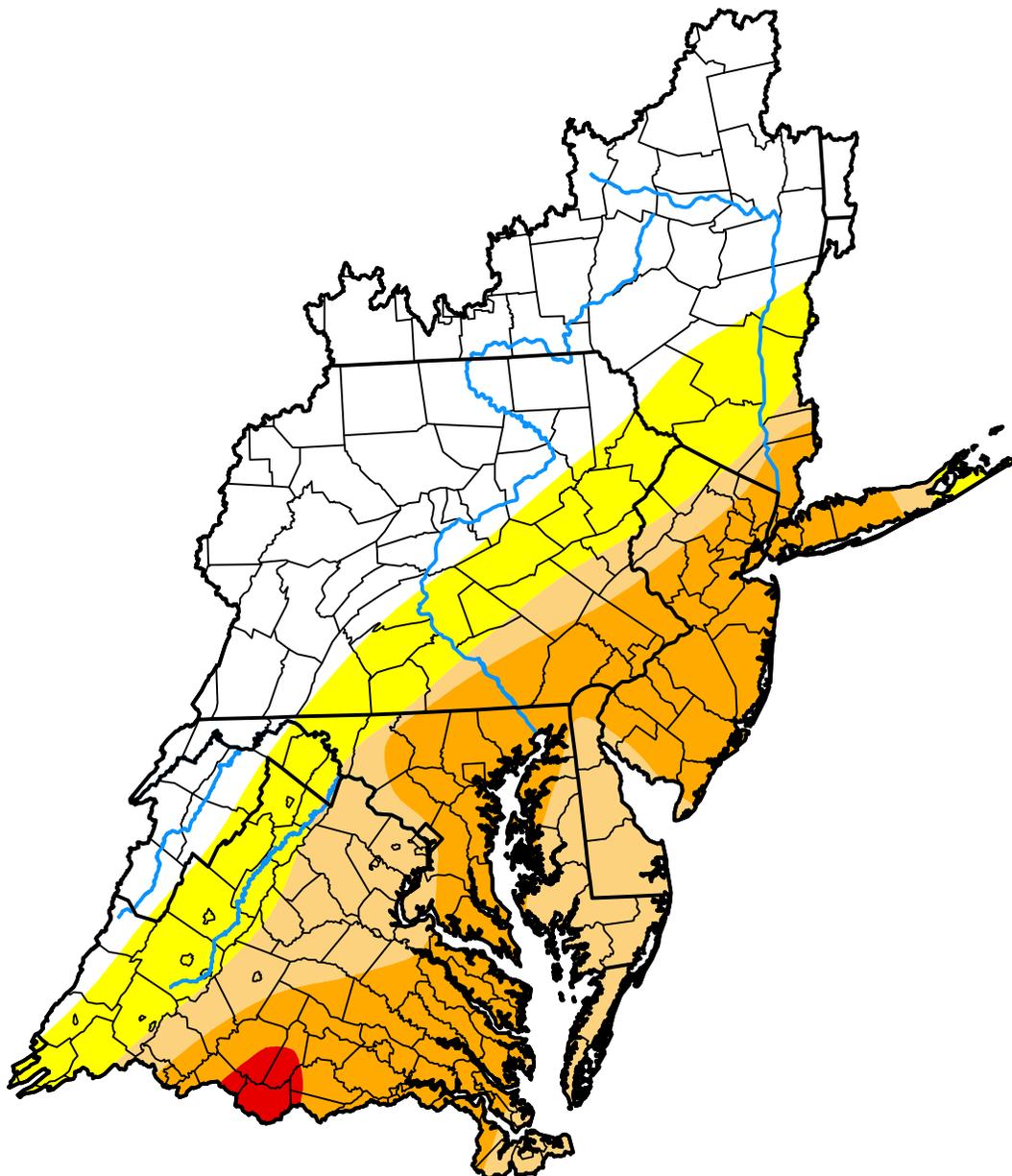
## Mid Atlantic Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	40.25	59.75	41.10	24.42	0.88	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-16-2002</i>	37.59	62.41	48.53	39.48	0.87	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-21-2002</i>	2.06	97.94	78.12	63.08	18.90	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	12.34	87.66	61.79	20.62	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	72.81	27.19	3.52	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-24-2001</i>	0.00	100.00	70.65	0.00	0.00	0.00



**Intensity:**

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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