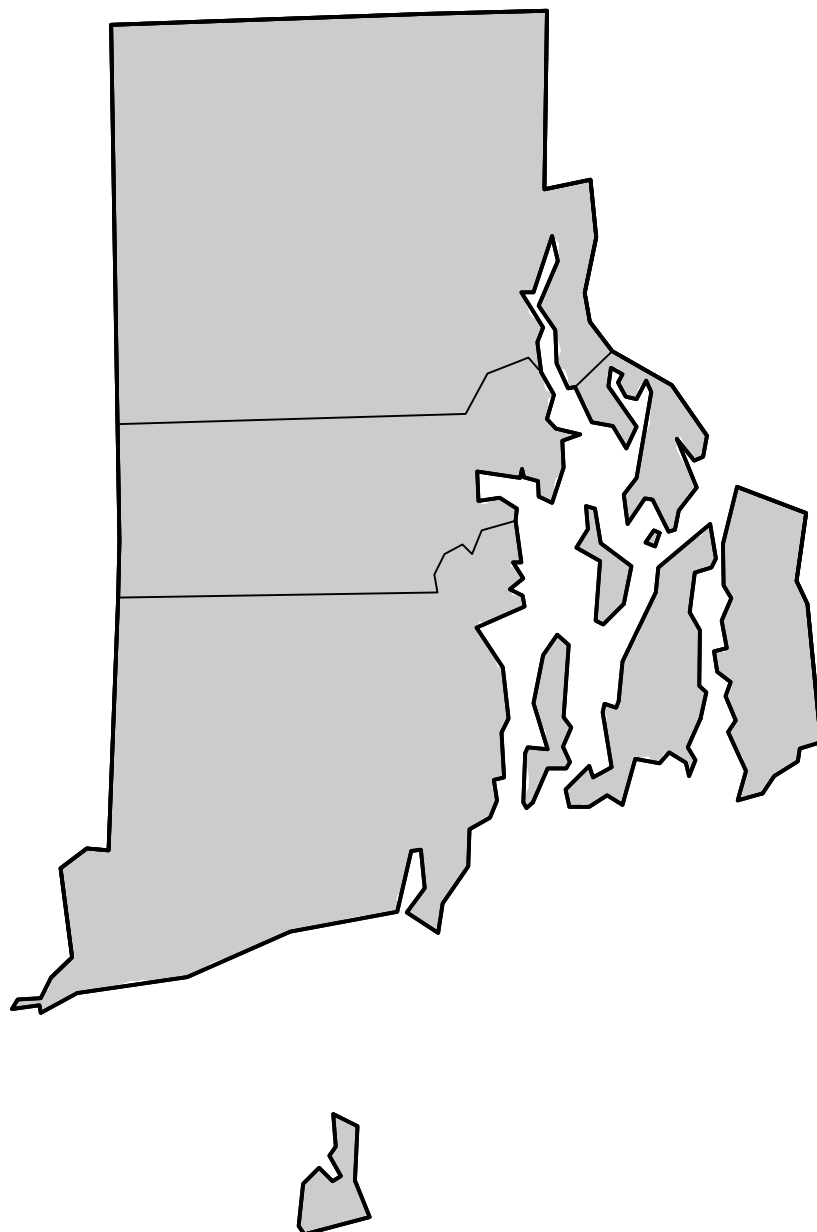


U.S. Drought Monitor Rhode Island



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	0.00	98.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-15-2002	0.00	0.00	98.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-23-2002	0.00	98.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	0.00	0.00	73.03	25.70	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2001	78.29	20.44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-23-2001	98.72	0.01	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.
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