

# U.S. Drought Monitor

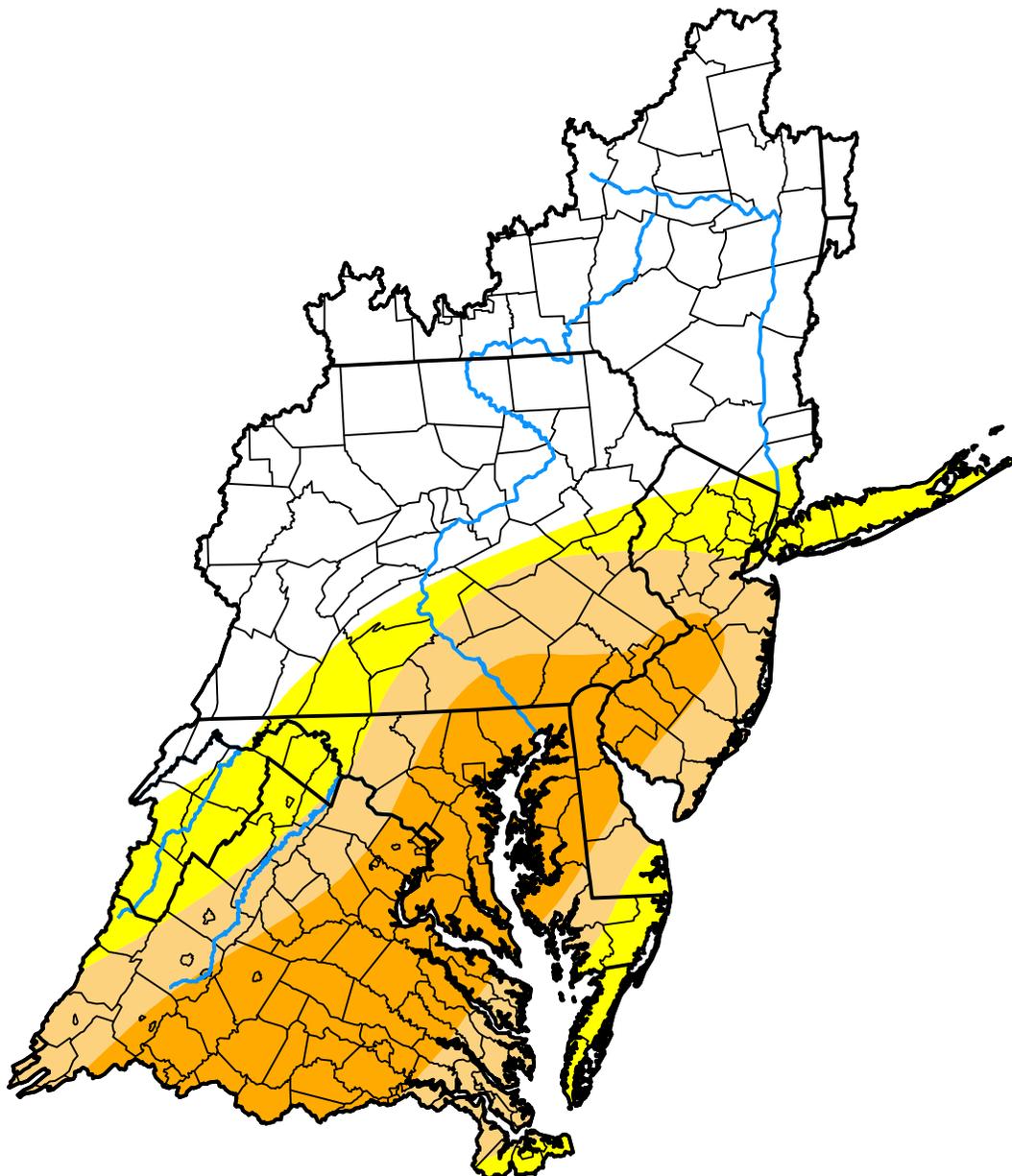
## Mid Atlantic Watershed

**October 22, 2002**  
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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 43.78 | 14.79 | 18.87 | 22.56 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-17-2002</i>              | 30.04 | 21.94 | 20.38 | 23.28 | 4.35  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-25-2002</i>           | 0.03  | 54.90 | 15.44 | 17.64 | 11.98 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 12.34 | 25.87 | 41.17 | 20.62 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 25.12 | 23.30 | 19.17 | 21.27 | 11.14 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-25-2001</i>           | 20.62 | 75.00 | 4.38  | 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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