

# U.S. Drought Monitor Rhode Island

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 98.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-31-2002</i>              | 9.41  | 89.32 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-08-2002</i>           | 0.00  | 98.73 | 80.30 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 0.00  | 98.73 | 98.73 | 25.70 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 0.00  | 98.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-08-2001</i>           | 0.00  | 98.73 | 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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