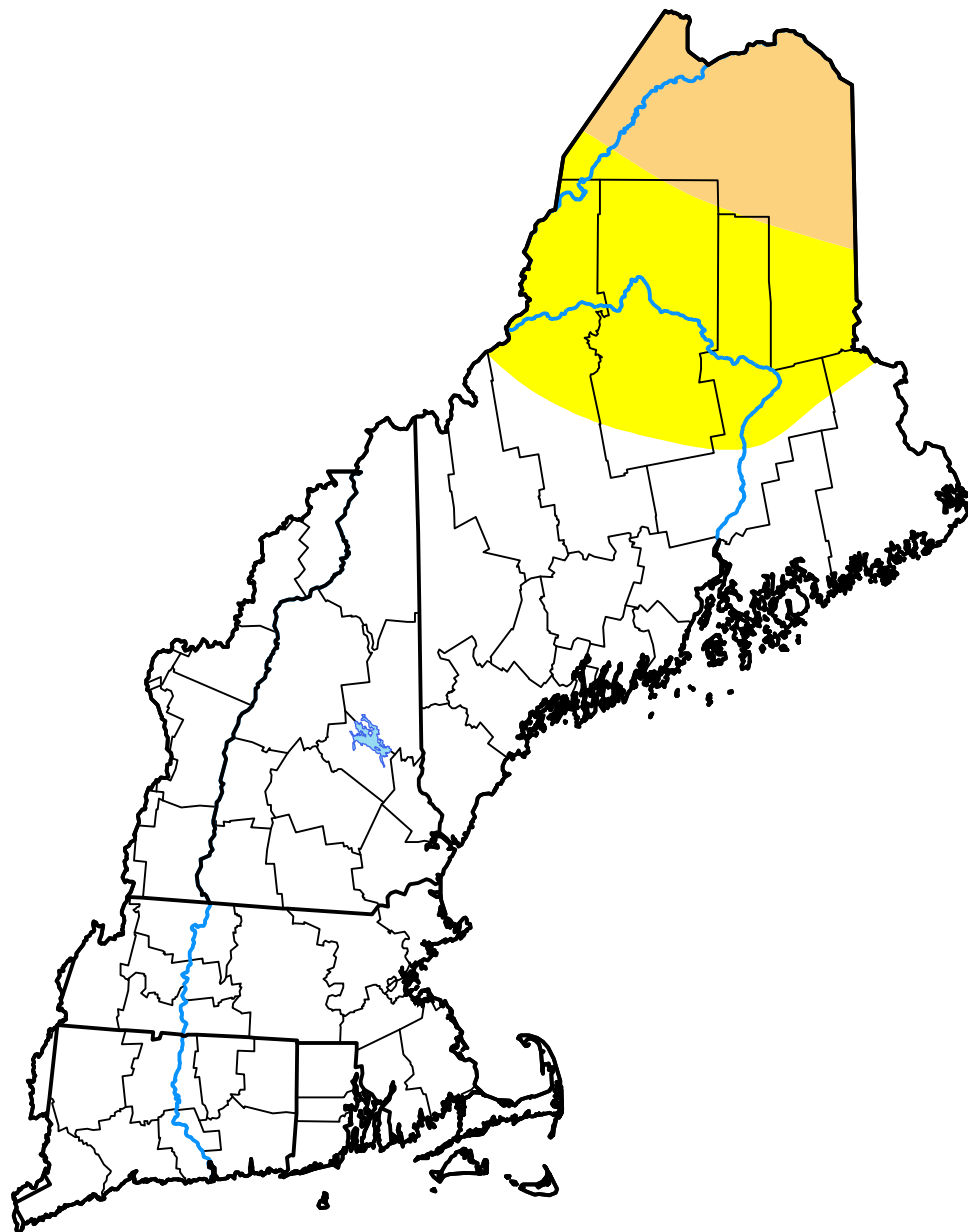


U.S. Drought Monitor

New England Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.50	16.80	8.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-05-2002	74.82	17.01	8.17	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-12-2002	0.00	18.61	40.82	40.58	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	0.00	0.00	32.70	35.53	31.77	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-03-2002	2.88	40.45	41.42	15.25	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-13-2001	0.00	0.00	45.58	54.42	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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