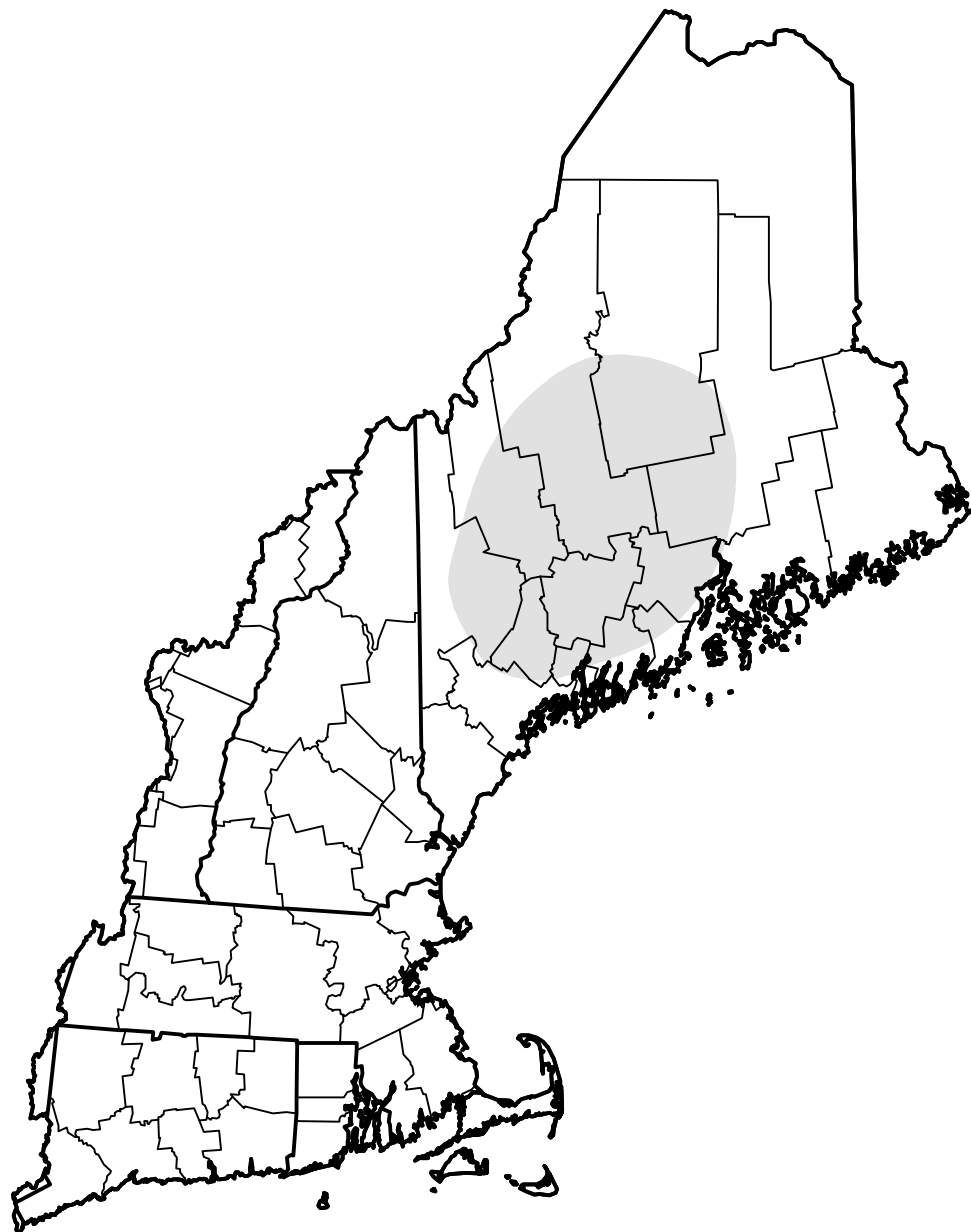


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## New England Watershed

**September 9, 2003**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 11, 2003)*  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 84.56 | 15.44 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-04-2003</i>              | 83.69 | 16.31 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-12-2003</i>           | 44.74 | 34.65 | 20.61 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2003</i> | 78.87 | 13.05 | 8.08  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 2.88  | 40.45 | 41.42 | 15.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-12-2002</i>           | 0.00  | 18.61 | 40.82 | 40.58 | 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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