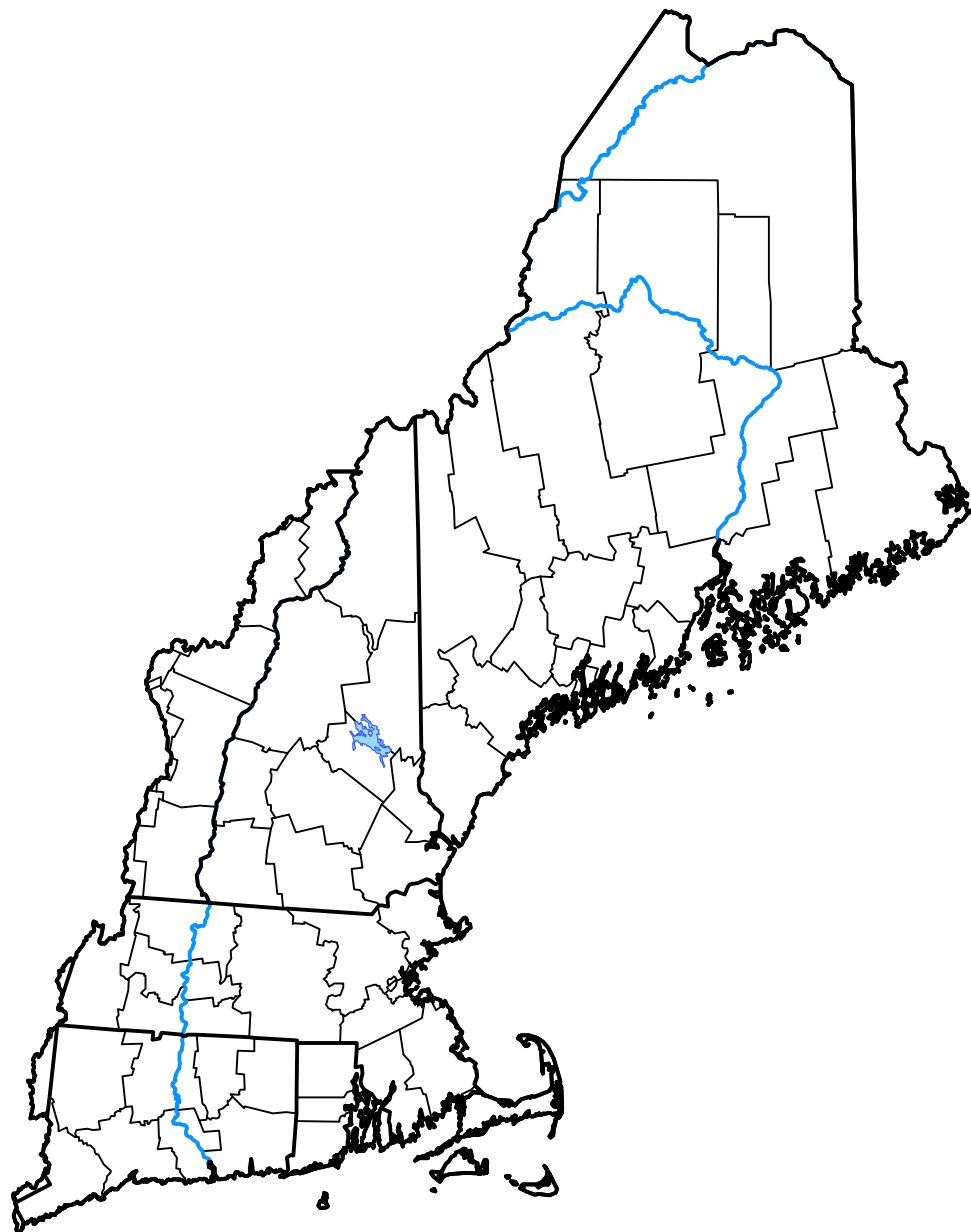


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## New England Watershed

**December 30, 2003**  
 (Released Wednesday, Dec. 31, 2003)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                             | None   | D0    | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|--------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>12-24-2003              | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>10-02-2003           | 60.85  | 39.15 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-02-2003 | 78.87  | 13.05 | 8.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-02-2003    | 60.85  | 39.15 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>01-02-2003           | 78.87  | 13.05 | 8.08 | 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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