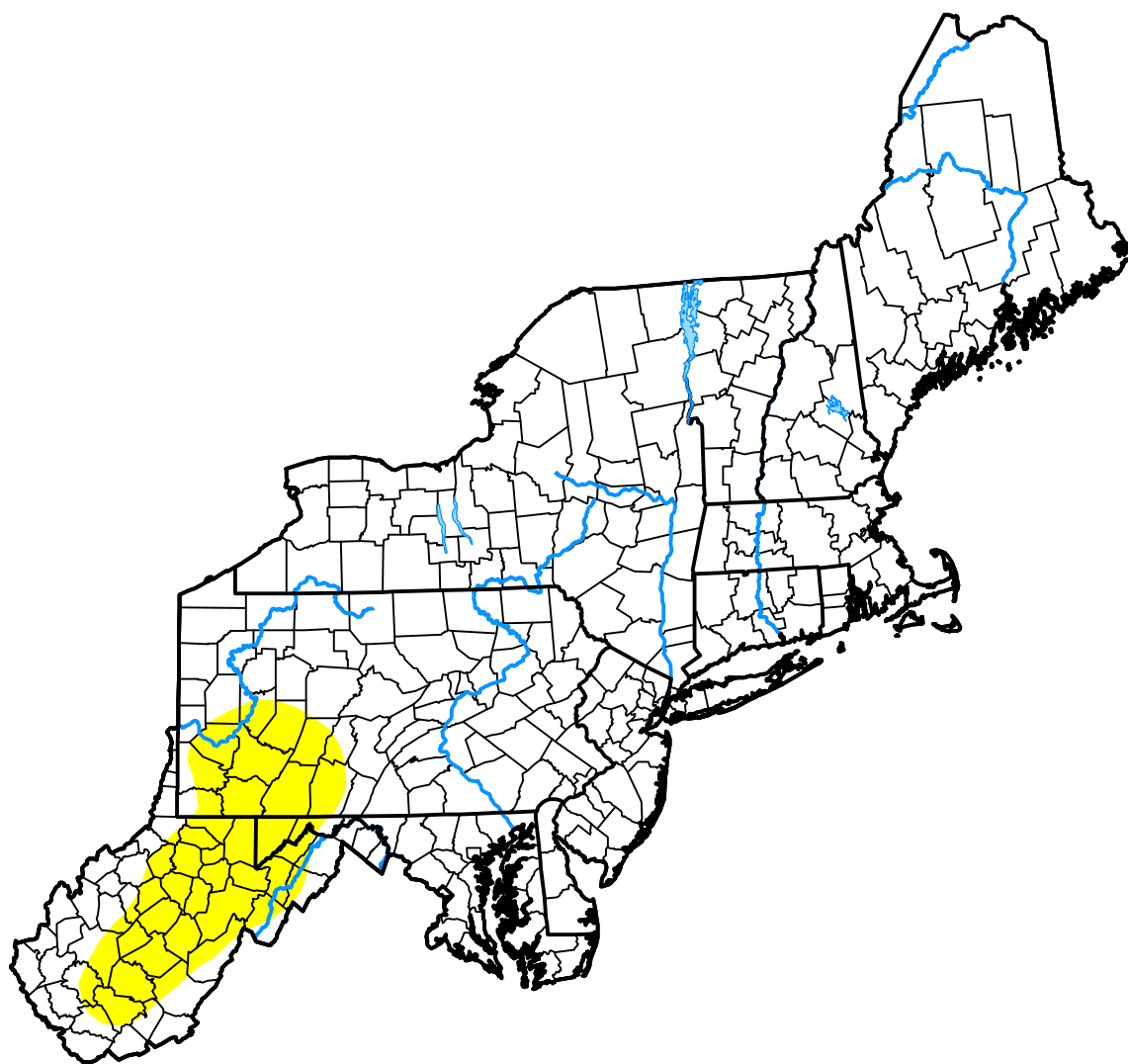


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	89.78	10.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-12-2006	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-19-2006	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2006	99.28	0.72	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2006	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-20-2005	98.50	1.50	0.43	0.07	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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