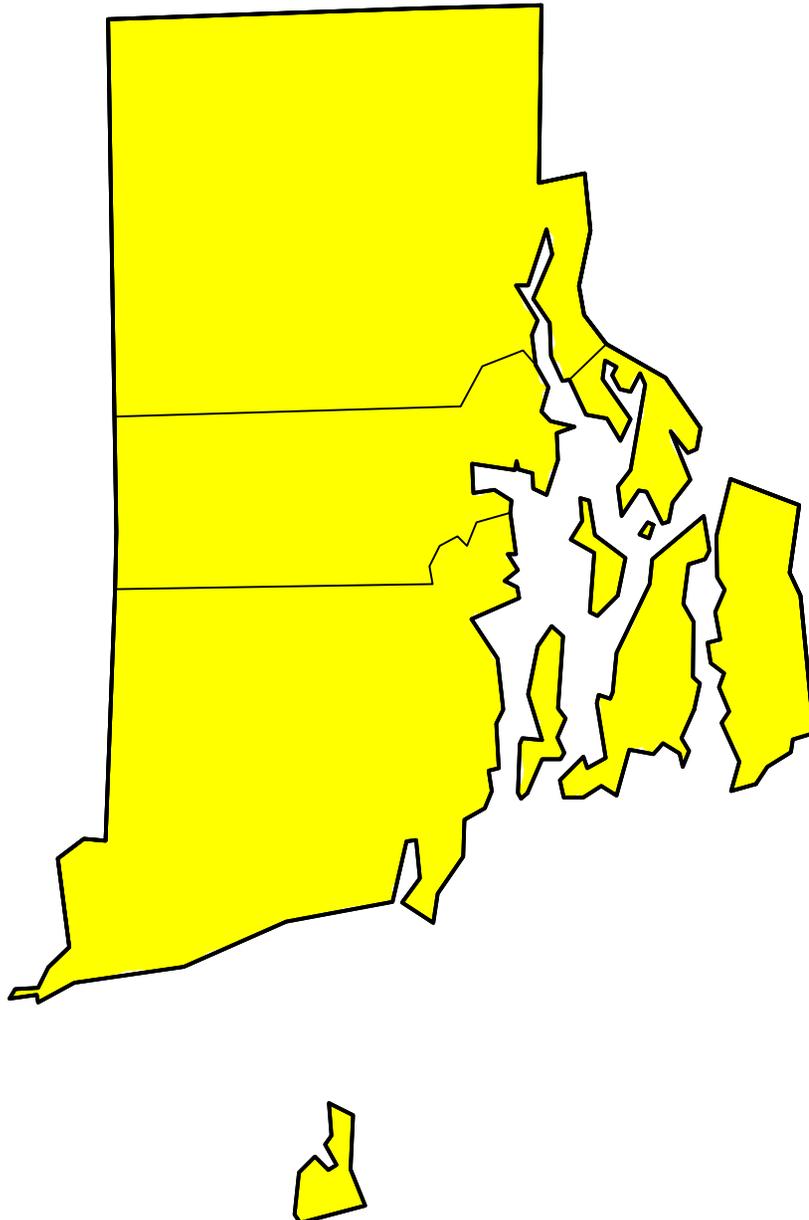


# U.S. Drought Monitor Rhode Island

**December 18, 2007**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 0.00  | 98.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-13-2007</i>              | 0.24  | 98.49 | 97.94 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-20-2007</i>           | 0.08  | 98.65 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2007</i> | 98.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2007</i>    | 0.18  | 98.55 | 32.38 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-21-2006</i>           | 98.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

***Intensity:***



*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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