

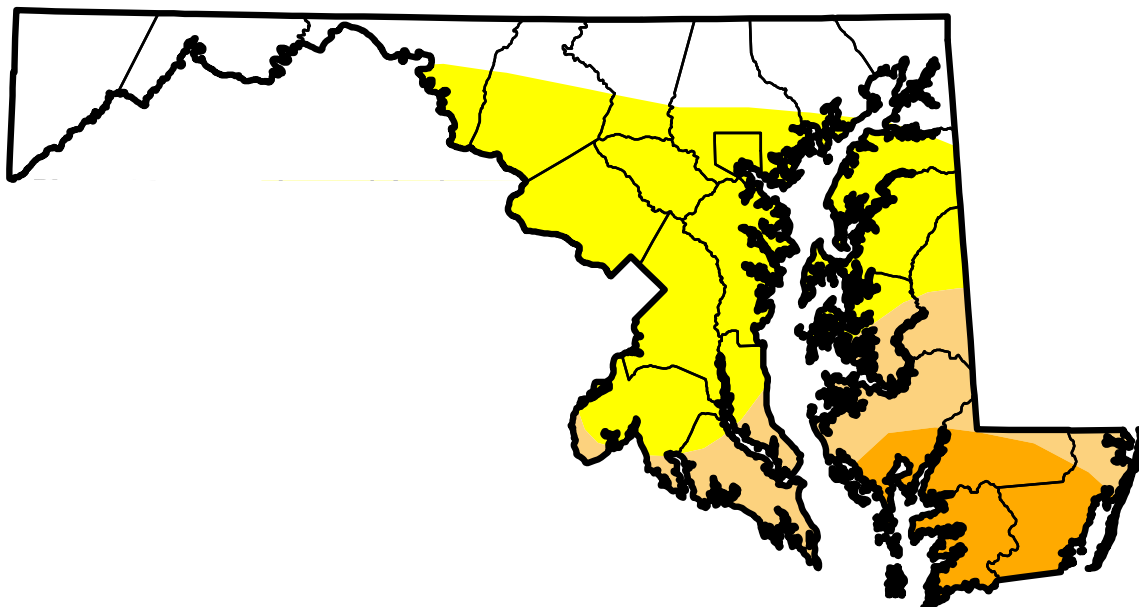
# U.S. Drought Monitor Maryland

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	31.16	43.15	14.16	11.53	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>2/19/2008</i>	31.16	43.15	14.16	11.53	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11/27/2007</i>	11.48	23.06	46.12	19.33	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>1/1/2008</i>	40.34	23.75	16.58	19.33	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>9/25/2007</i>	6.83	7.22	85.33	0.62	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>2/27/2007</i>	91.42	8.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



***Intensity:***

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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