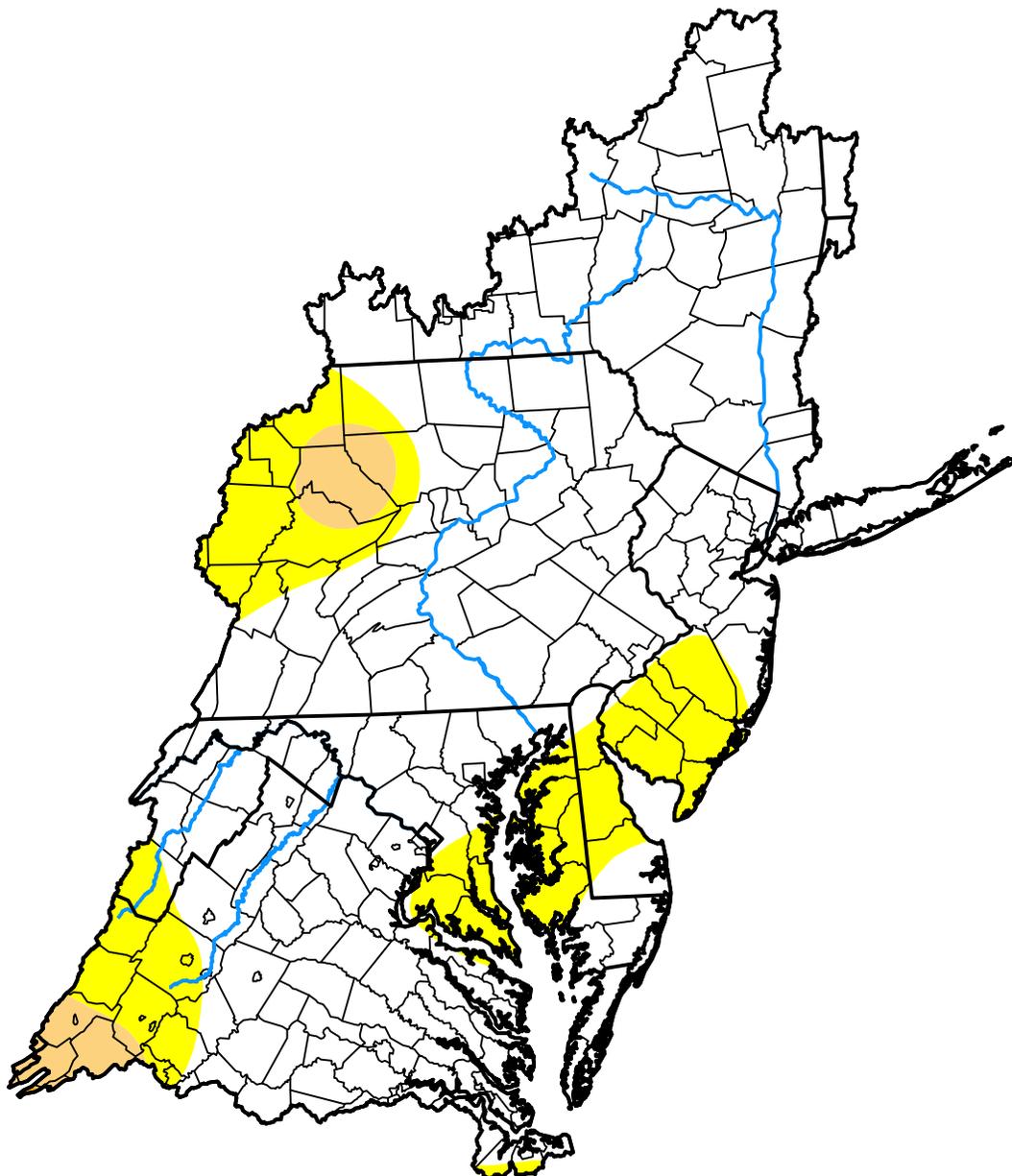


U.S. Drought Monitor

Mid Atlantic Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	80.05	19.95	3.17	0.02	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-16-2008</i>	82.53	17.47	2.92	0.02	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2008</i>	79.16	20.84	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	72.85	27.15	16.94	4.28	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	83.63	16.37	1.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-25-2007</i>	34.89	65.11	35.95	24.36	9.99	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- 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. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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