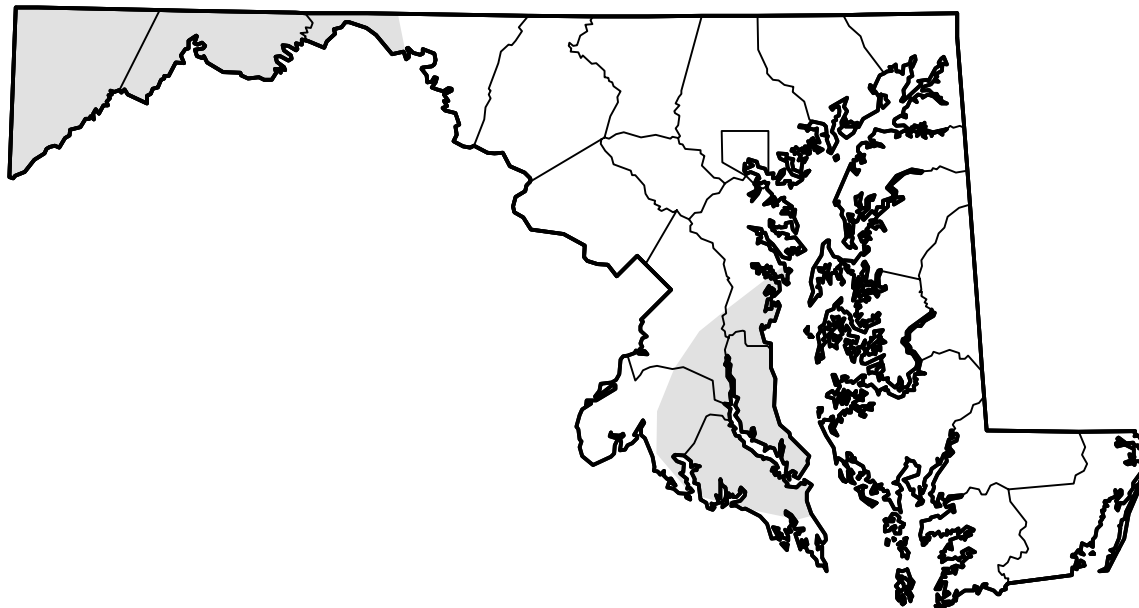


U.S. Drought Monitor Maryland

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	78.74	21.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-04-2008	78.74	21.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-11-2008	84.88	15.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2008	40.34	23.75	16.58	19.33	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	85.92	14.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-13-2007	32.54	31.56	16.57	19.33	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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