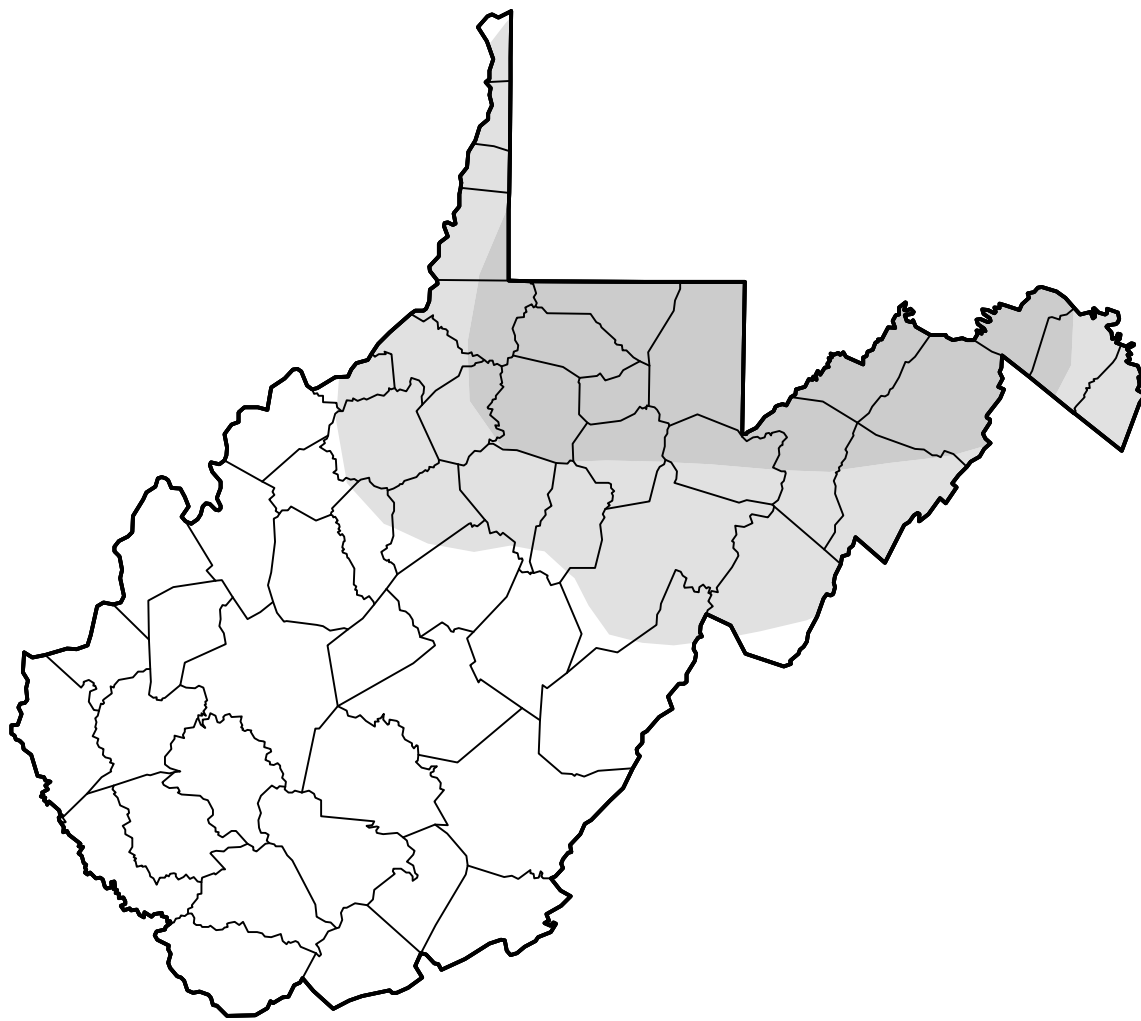


# U.S. Drought Monitor West Virginia

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                        | None   | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                         | 57.47  | 24.02 | 18.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>                  | 57.47  | 24.02 | 18.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-09-2009</i>               | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2009</i> | 45.33  | 15.36 | 39.32 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>    | 57.47  | 24.02 | 18.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-09-2008</i>               | 24.26  | 60.17 | 15.56 | 0.00 | 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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