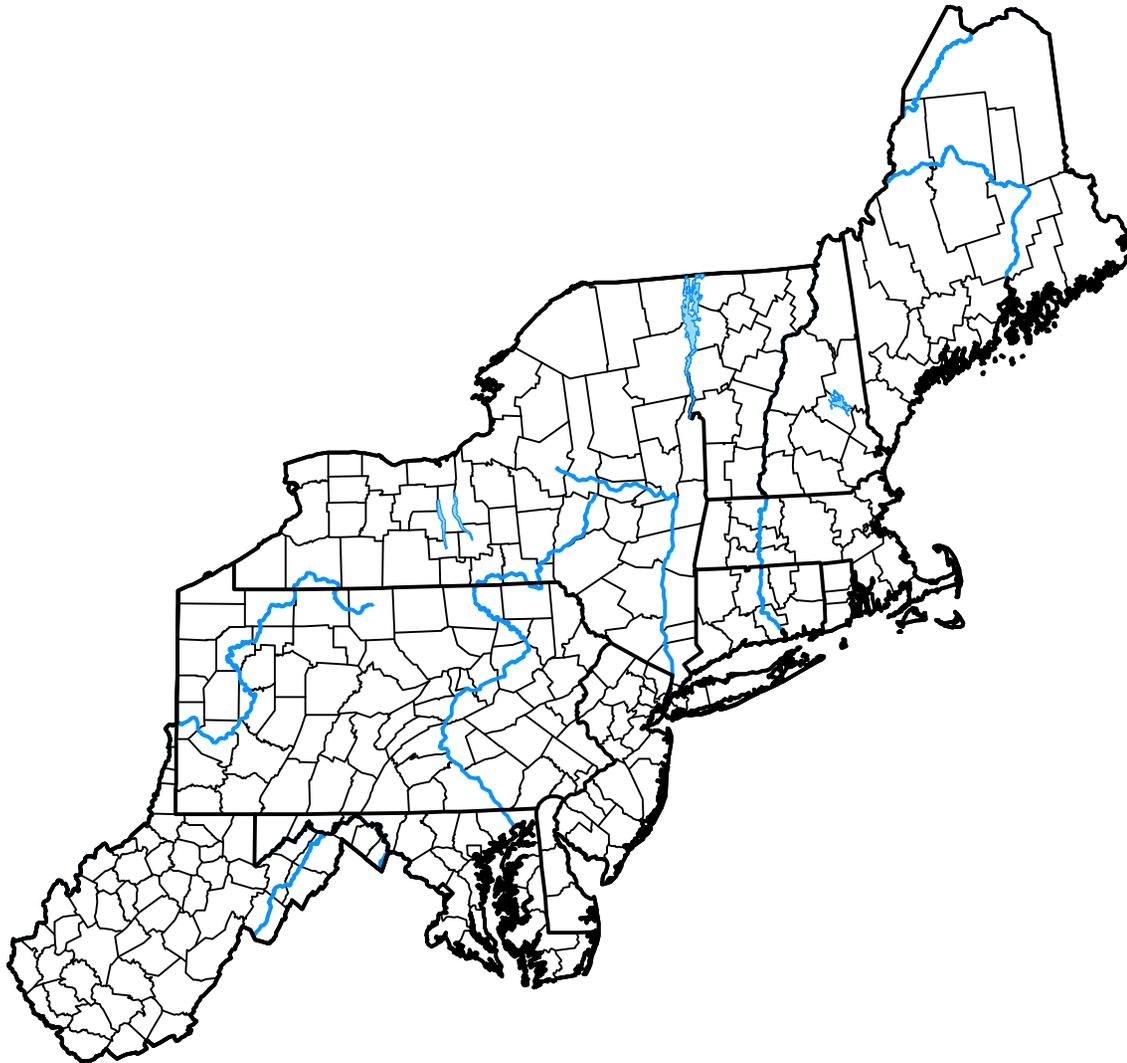


# U.S. Drought Monitor Northeast

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-15-2009</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-22-2009</i>	85.77	14.23	6.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	88.72	11.28	4.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2009</i>	88.79	11.21	4.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-23-2008</i>	88.10	11.90	4.81	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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