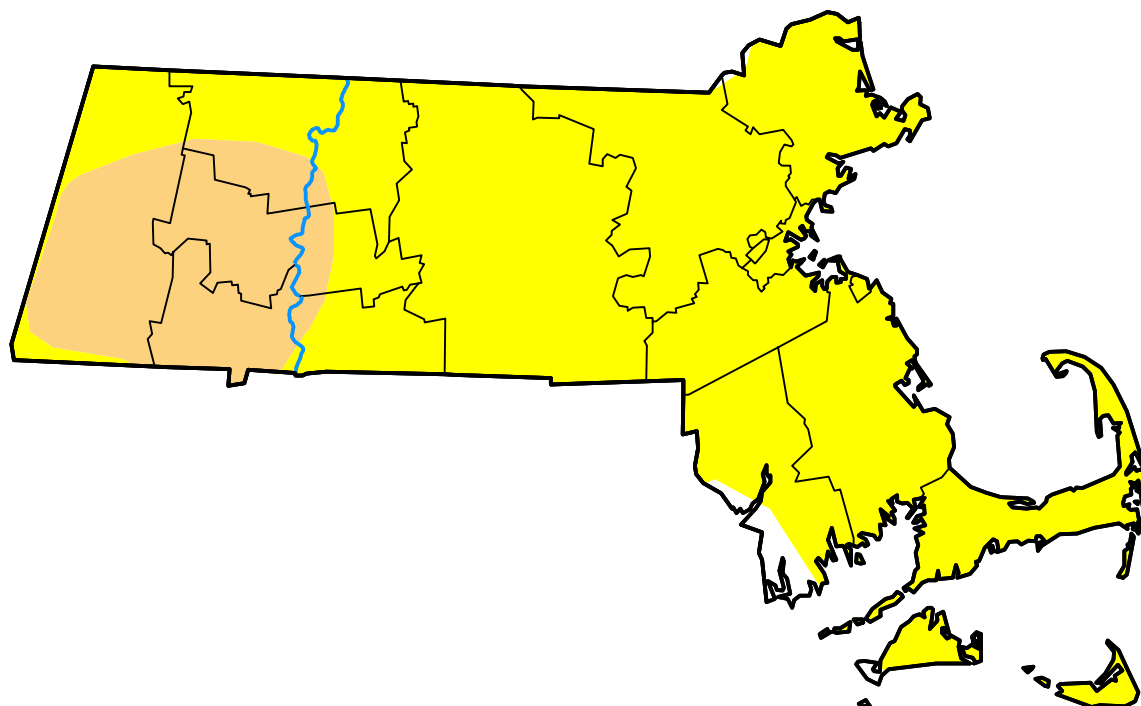


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	1.42	97.61	19.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-23-2012	1.14	97.89	19.06	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-31-2012	8.17	90.87	24.15	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	99.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	99.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 09-01-2011	99.03	0.00	0.00	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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