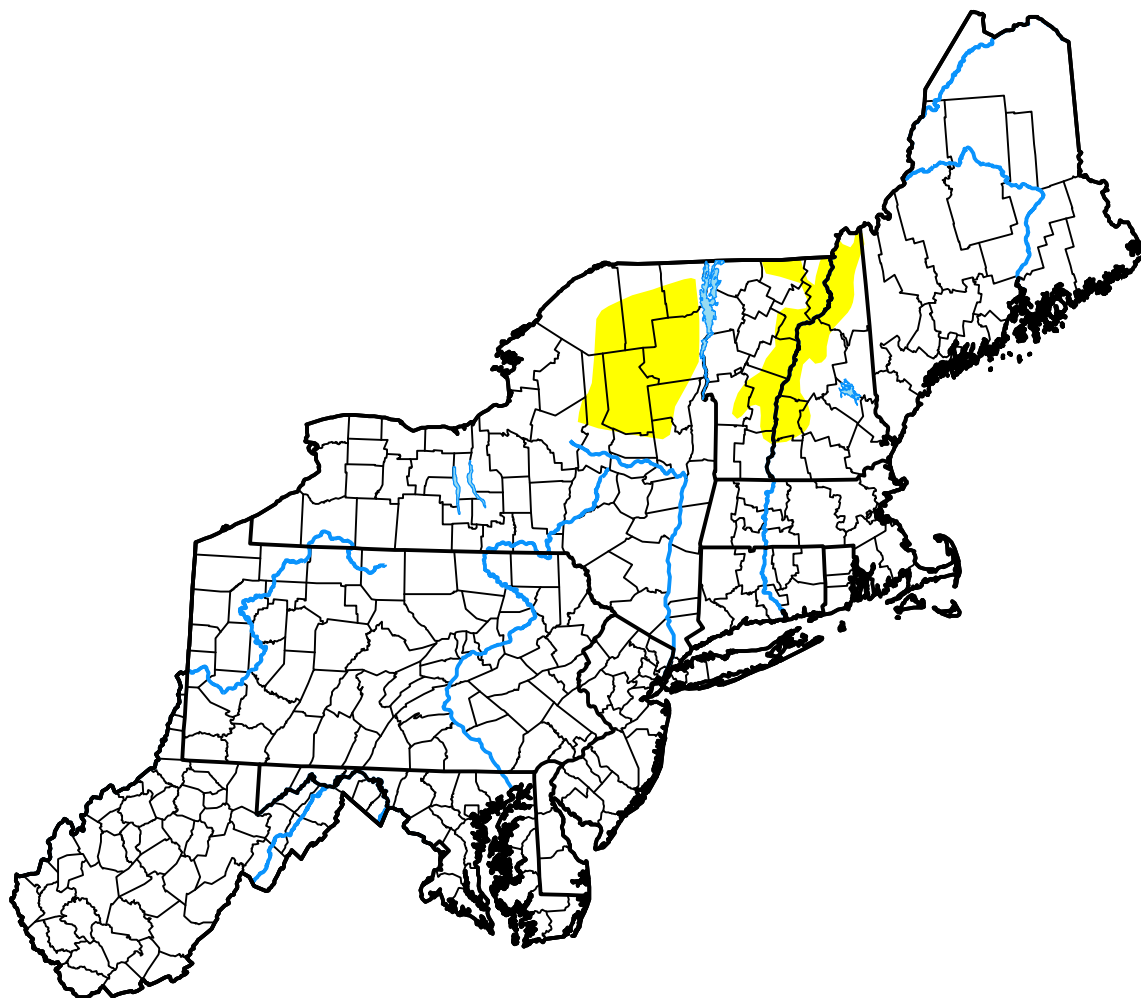


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	93.77	6.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-05-2013</i>	93.71	6.29	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-11-2012</i>	86.65	13.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	91.73	8.27	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	80.43	19.57	6.82	0.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-13-2012</i>	76.97	23.03	0.45	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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