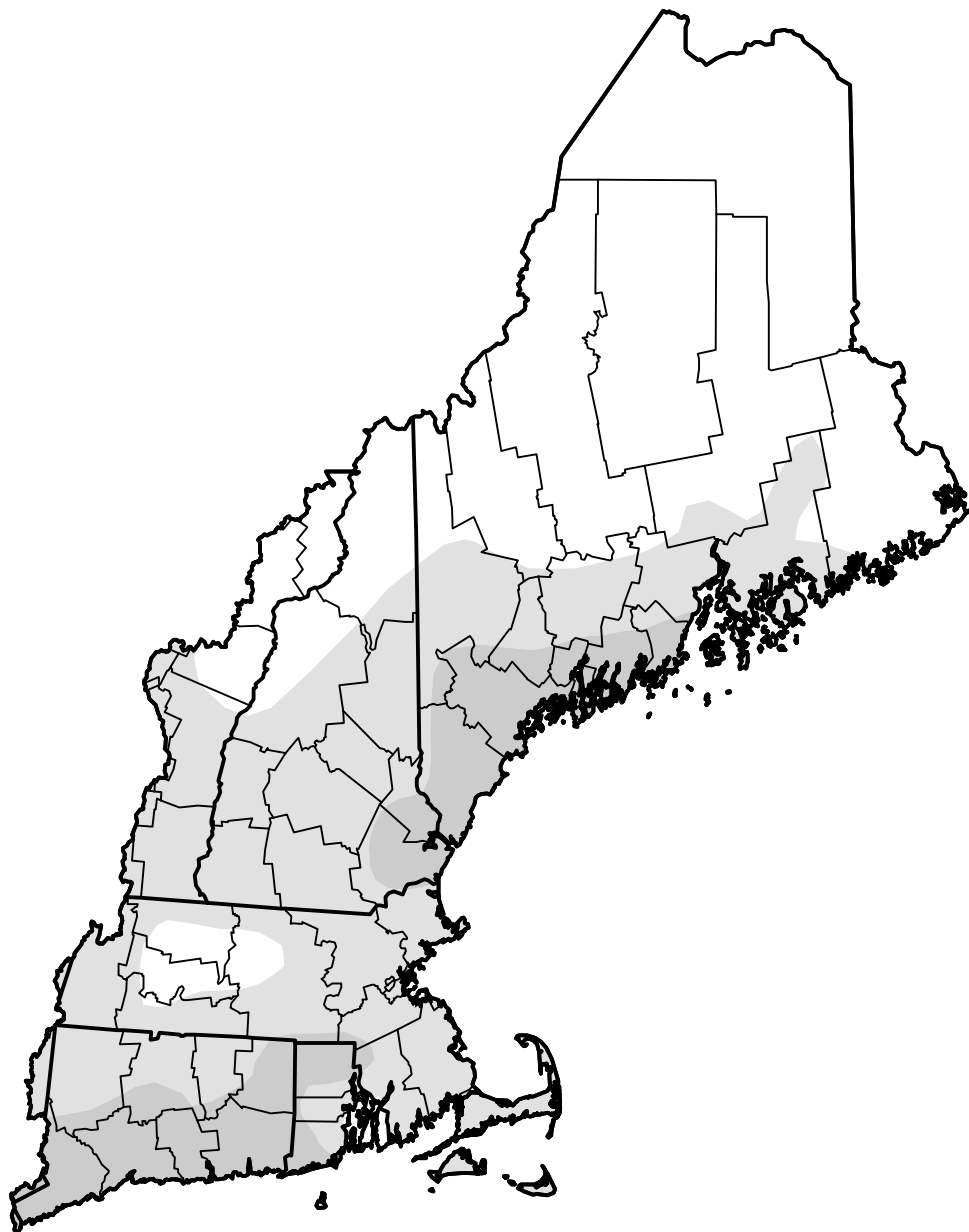


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## New England Watershed

**September 22, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 24, 2015)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                             | None   | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 49.09  | 37.85 | 13.06 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>09-17-2015              | 53.62  | 37.76 | 8.62  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>06-25-2015           | 41.18  | 33.67 | 25.16 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>12-31-2014 | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-02-2014    | 43.92  | 47.55 | 8.53  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>09-25-2014           | 50.47  | 39.68 | 9.85  | 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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