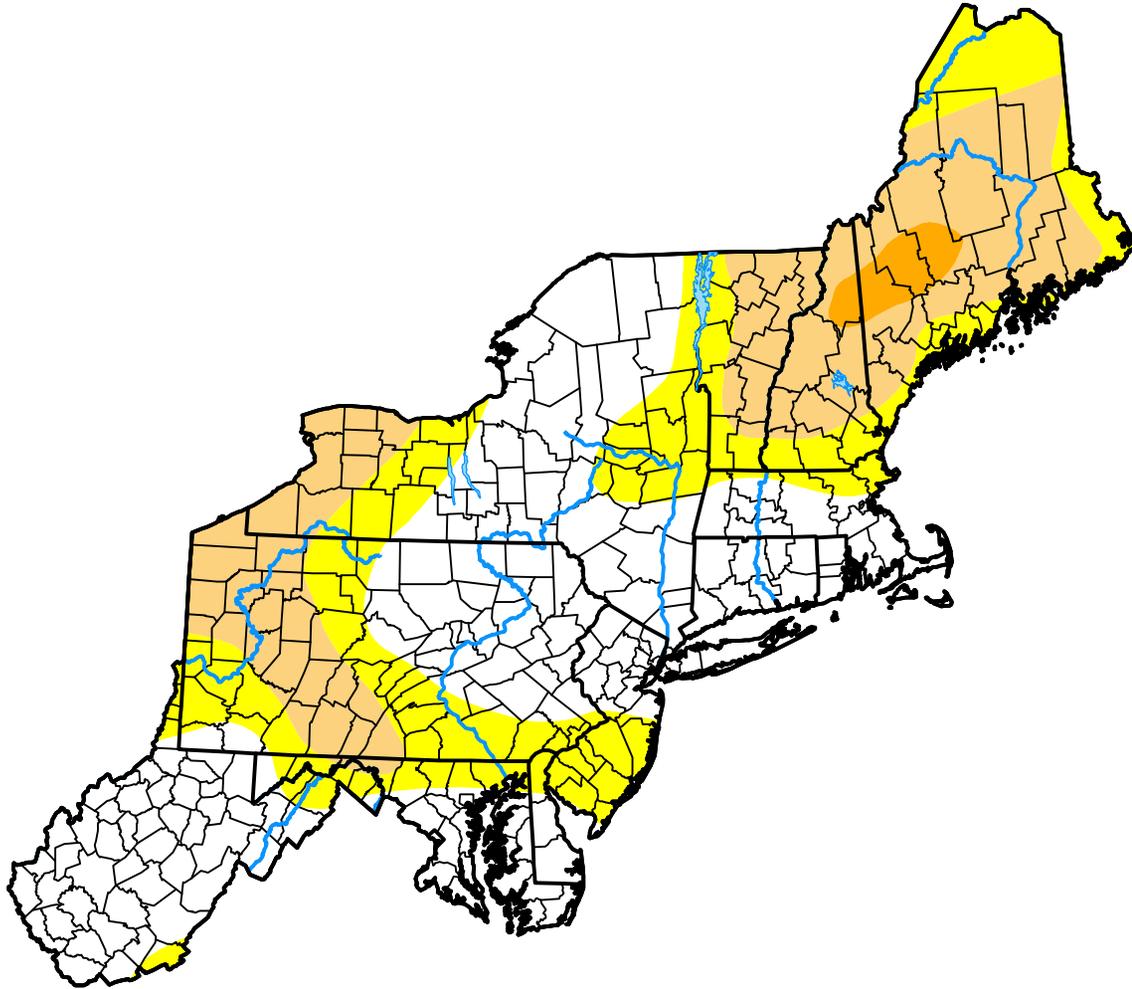


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northeast Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	47.10	52.90	26.86	1.89	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-09-2001</i>	46.40	53.60	26.77	1.87	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-17-2001</i>	75.12	24.88	1.22	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	90.35	9.65	1.99	0.19	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	45.58	54.42	30.33	12.85	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-17-2000</i>	98.29	1.71	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

*Intensity:*

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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