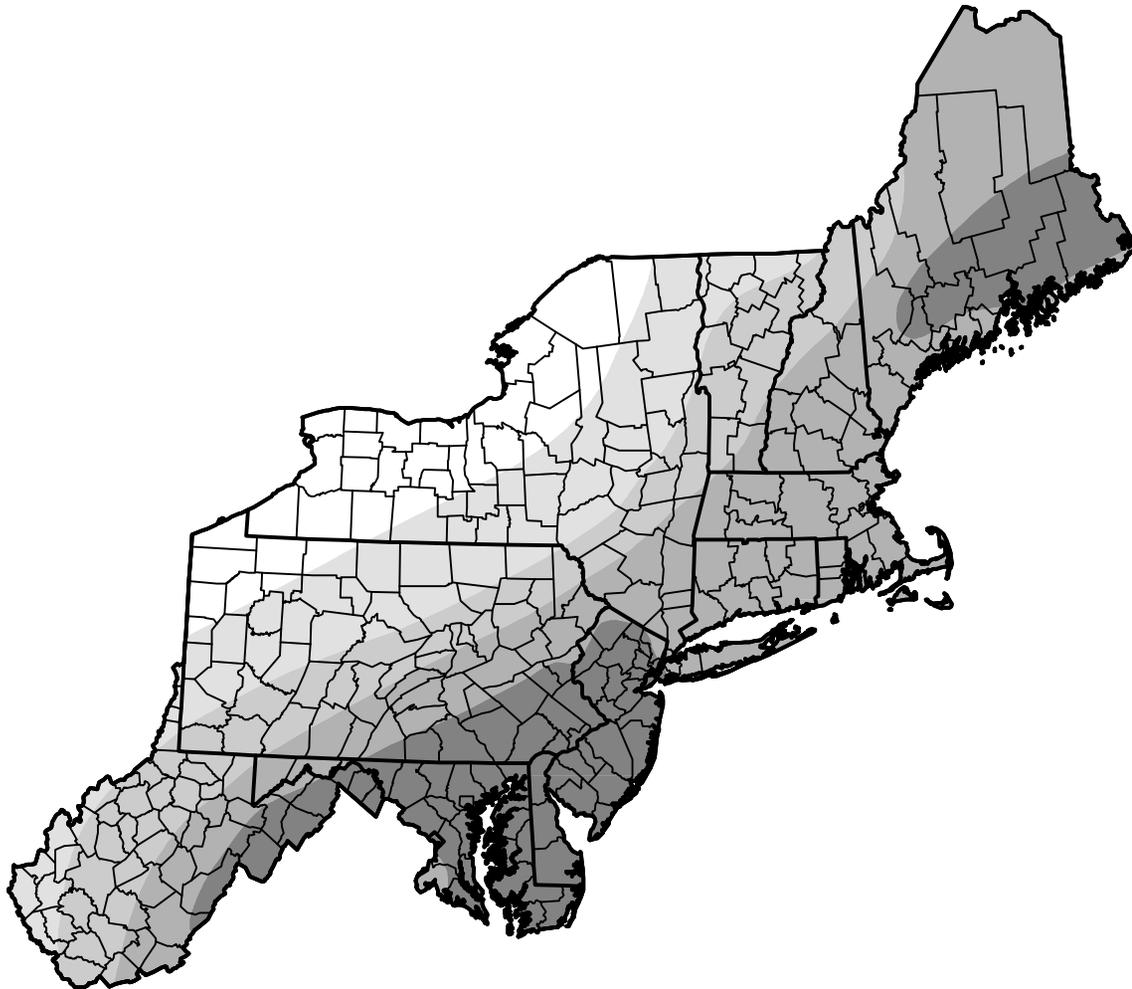


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## 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>	12.95	87.05	69.22	51.53	19.31	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-12-2002</i>	13.44	86.56	69.92	51.95	19.68	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-18-2001</i>	18.04	81.96	50.75	29.15	9.50	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	22.27	77.73	51.44	26.77	9.36	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>03-20-2001</i>	87.48	12.52	0.25	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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