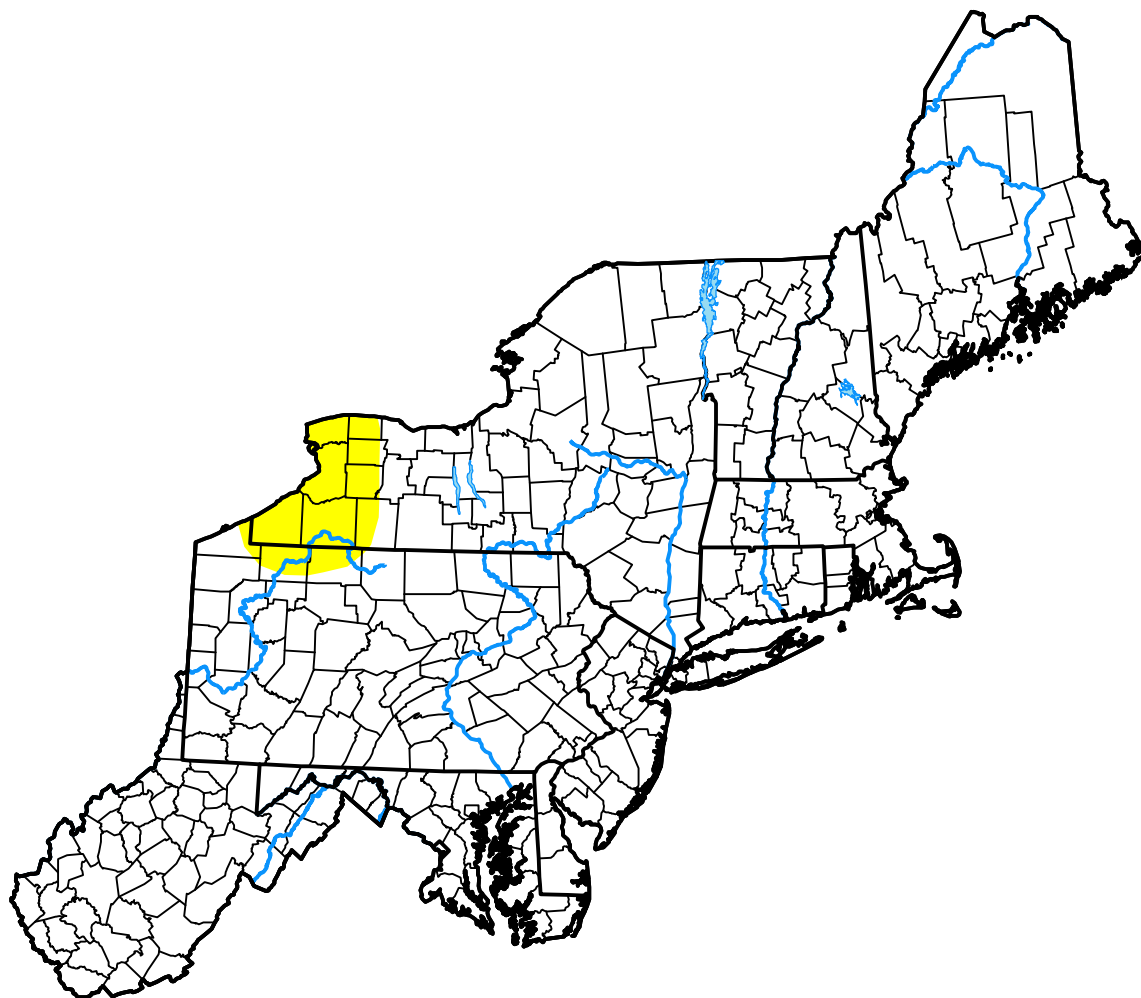


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	96.39	3.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>06-20-2006</i>	79.13	19.71	1.16	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>03-28-2006</i>	56.77	39.78	3.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	99.28	0.64	0.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	51.65	24.94	23.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>06-28-2005</i>	61.15	38.85	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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