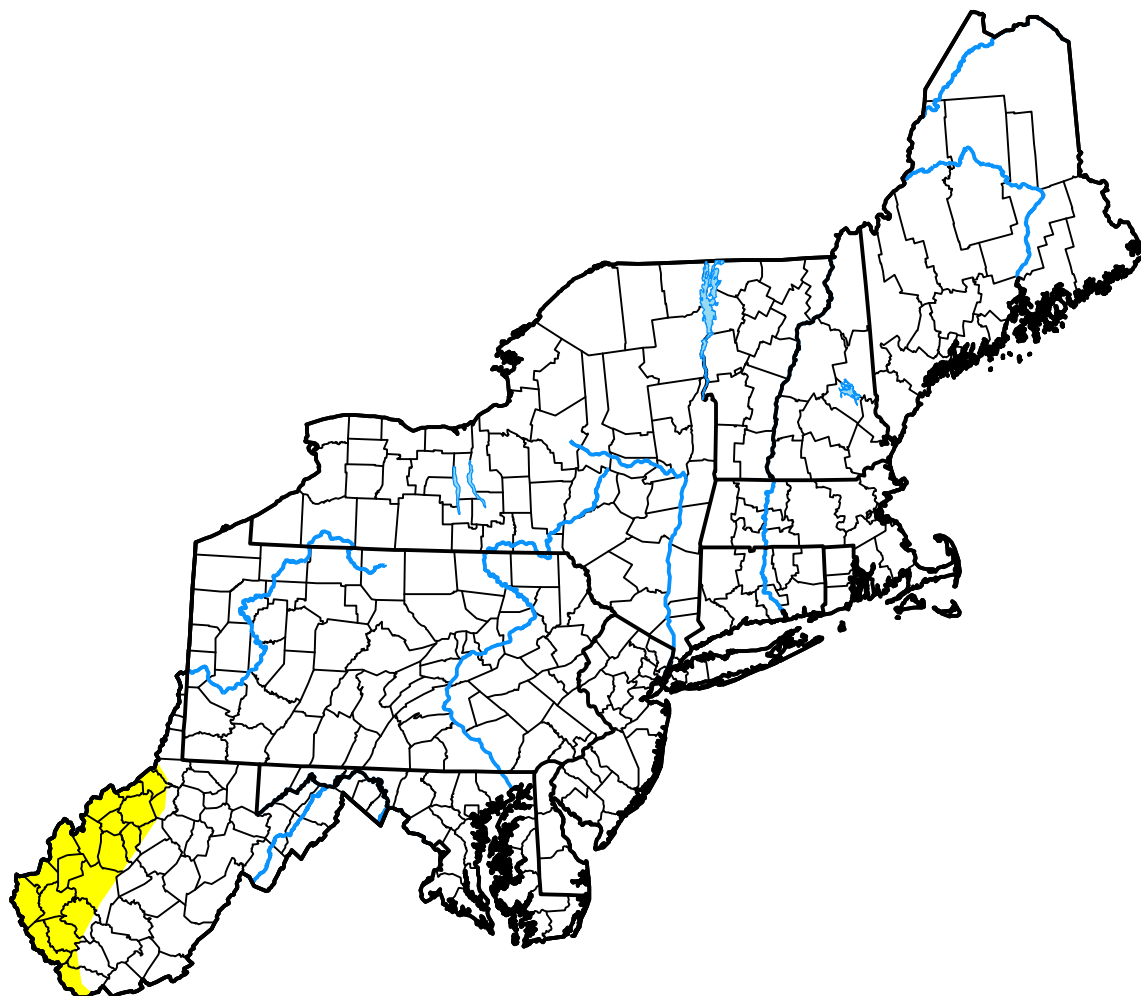


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northeast Climate Hub

**May 15, 2007**  
*(Released Thursday, May. 17, 2007)*  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0    | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 96.42  | 3.58  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-08-2007</i>              | 99.91  | 0.09  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-13-2007</i>           | 88.47  | 11.53 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2007</i> | 86.56  | 13.44 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-26-2006</i>    | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-16-2006</i>           | 61.33  | 38.67 | 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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