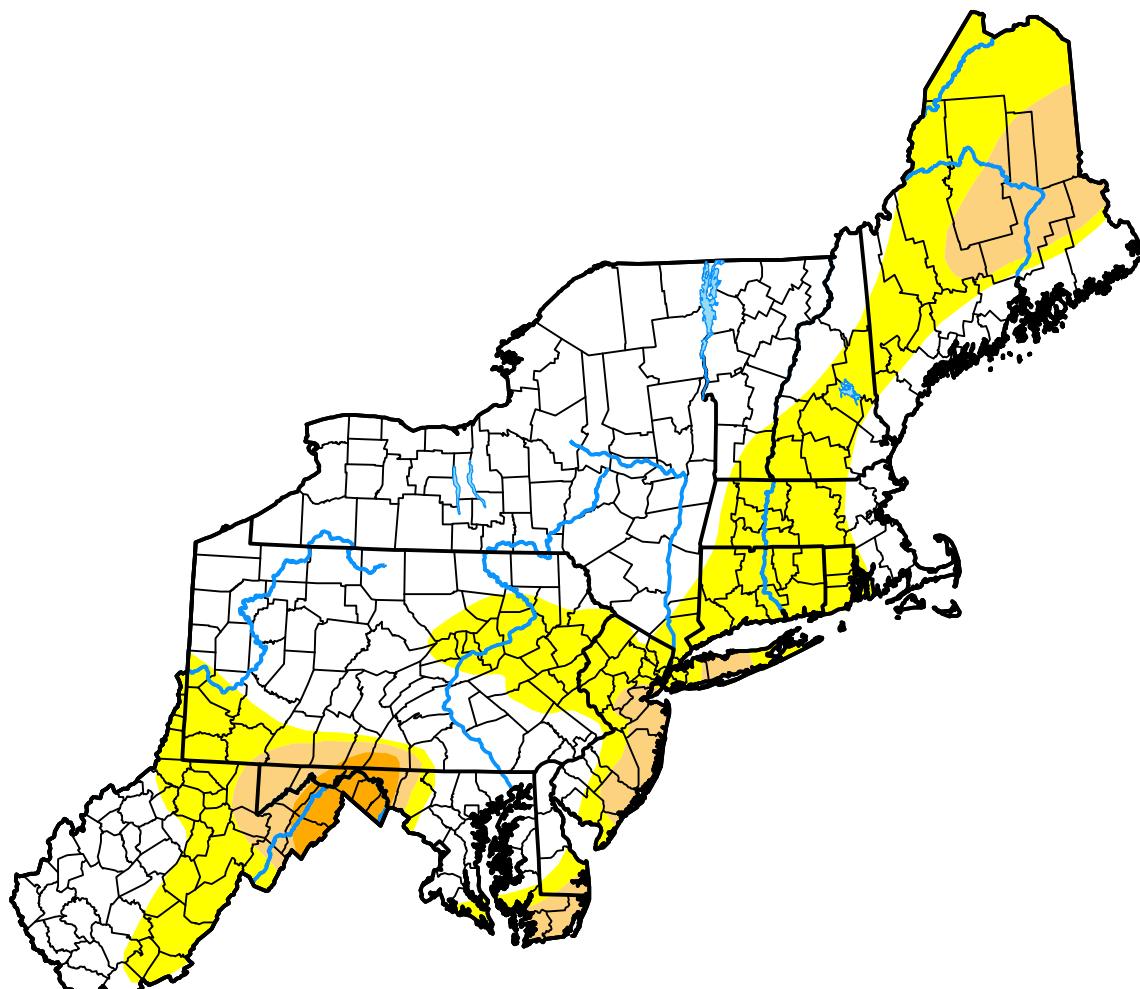


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	60.07	29.56	8.87	1.50	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-24-2010	62.43	31.36	5.40	0.81	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 06-01-2010	56.22	42.21	1.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2009	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2009	88.79	6.79	4.41	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 09-01-2009	100.00	0.00	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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