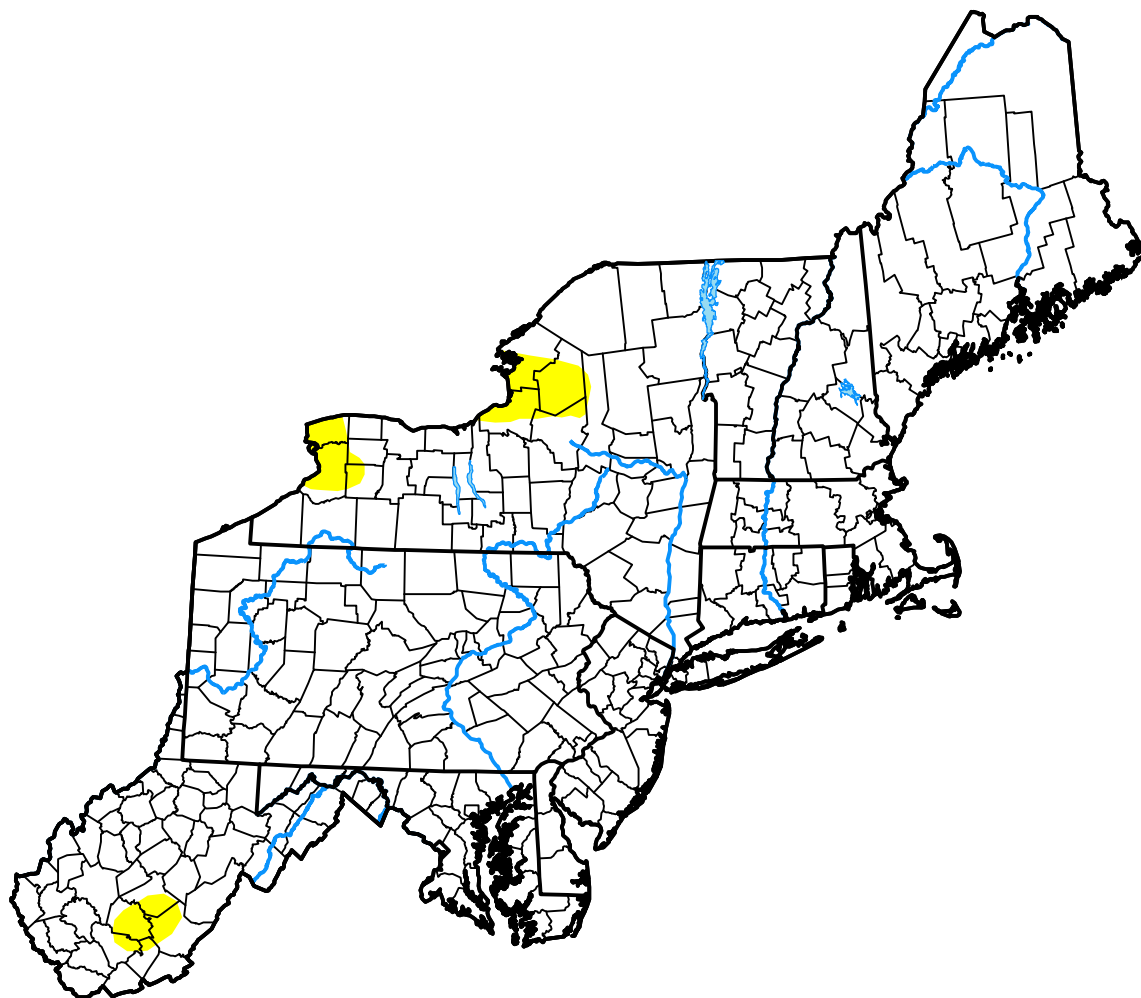


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	97.23	2.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-13-2011</i>	97.23	2.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-21-2011</i>	95.44	2.82	1.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	96.25	3.75	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	42.50	39.36	14.33	2.80	1.02	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-21-2010</i>	46.74	36.46	12.98	2.80	1.02	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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