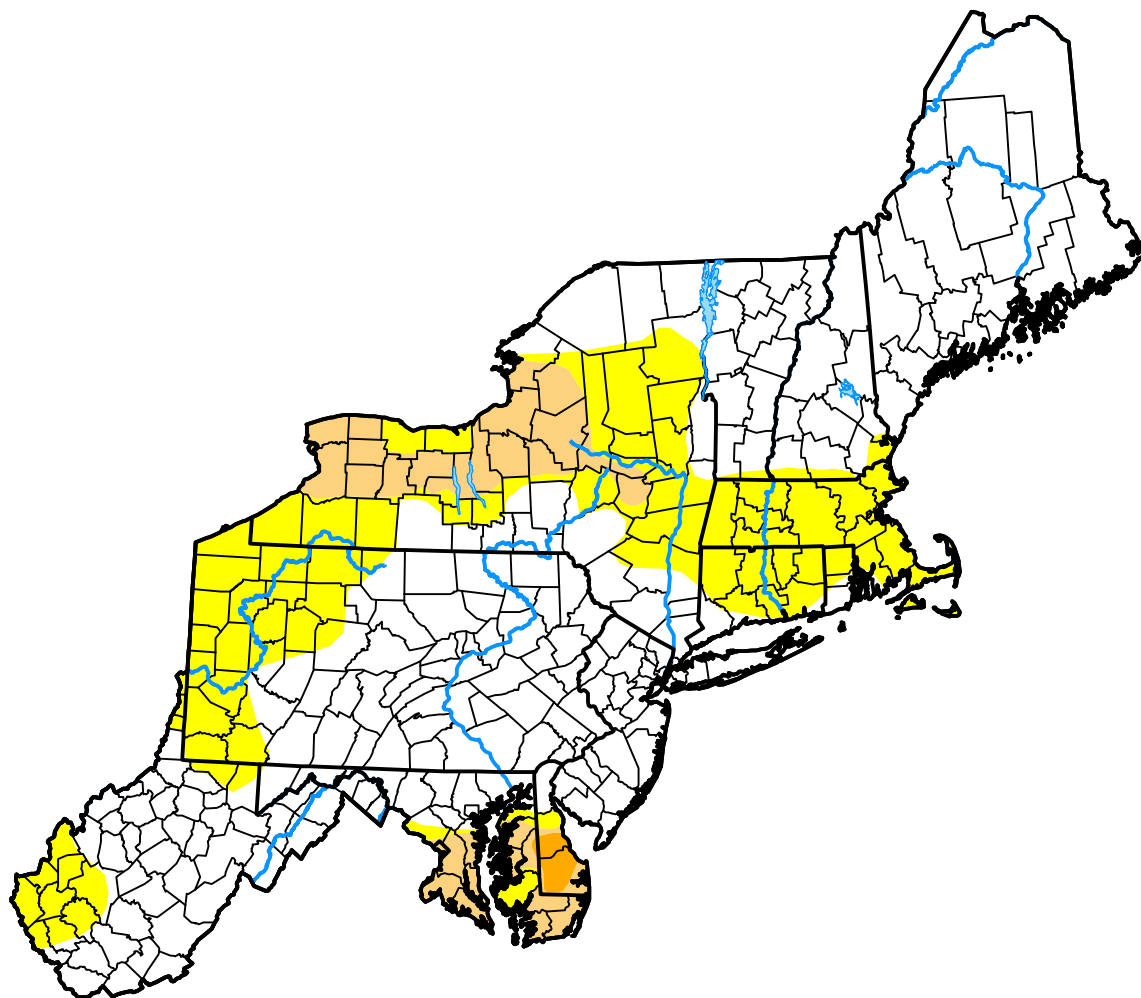


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub

September 11, 2012
(Released Thursday, Sep. 13, 2012)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.30	25.44	7.79	0.47	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-04-2012</i>	59.21	30.60	9.25	0.95	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-12-2012</i>	90.26	7.94	1.61	0.19	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	97.77	2.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	97.23	2.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-13-2011</i>	97.23	2.77	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>

Author:

David Simeral
 Western Regional Climate Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu