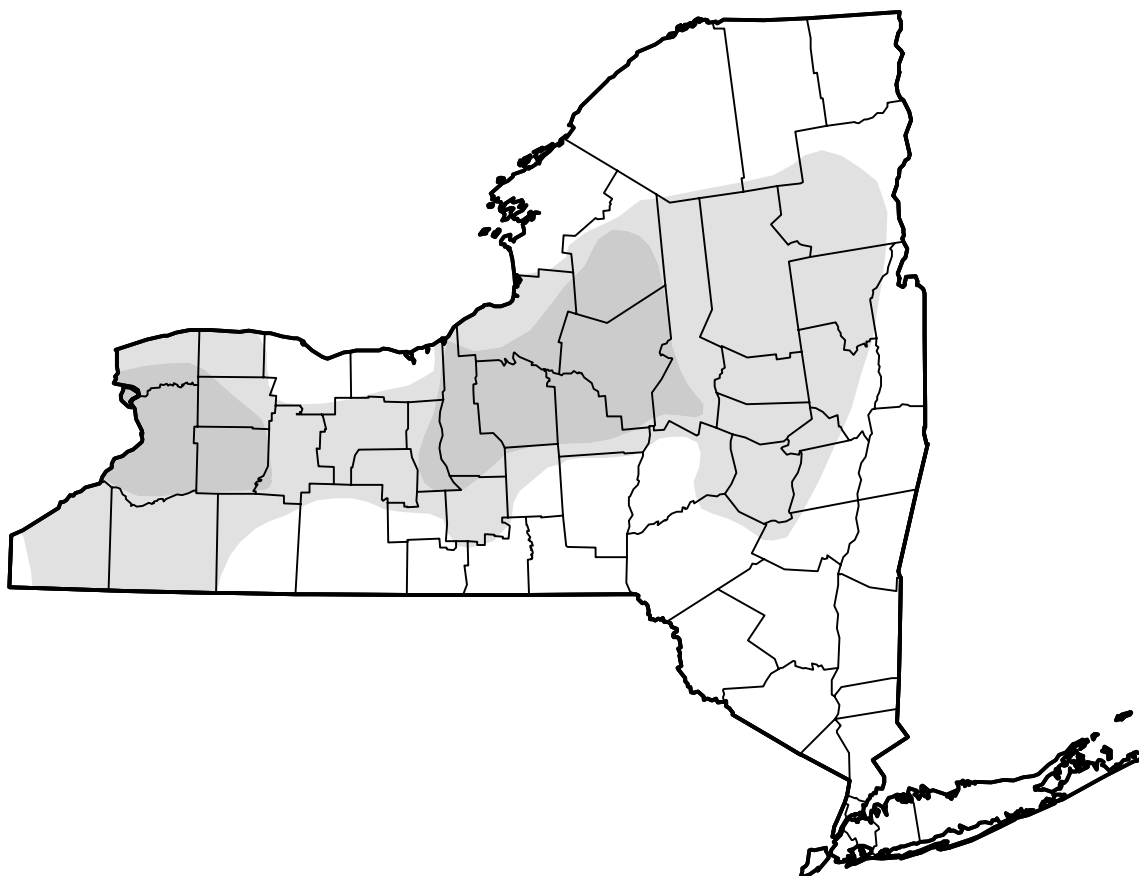


# U.S. Drought Monitor New York

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                 | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                  | 51.78 | 48.22 | 14.58 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>10-04-2012                  | 51.24 | 48.76 | 16.11 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>07-12-2012               | 40.40 | 59.60 | 3.21  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2012 | 94.84 | 5.16  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br>09-27-2012    | 50.15 | 49.85 | 18.29 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>10-13-2011               | 96.20 | 3.80  | 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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