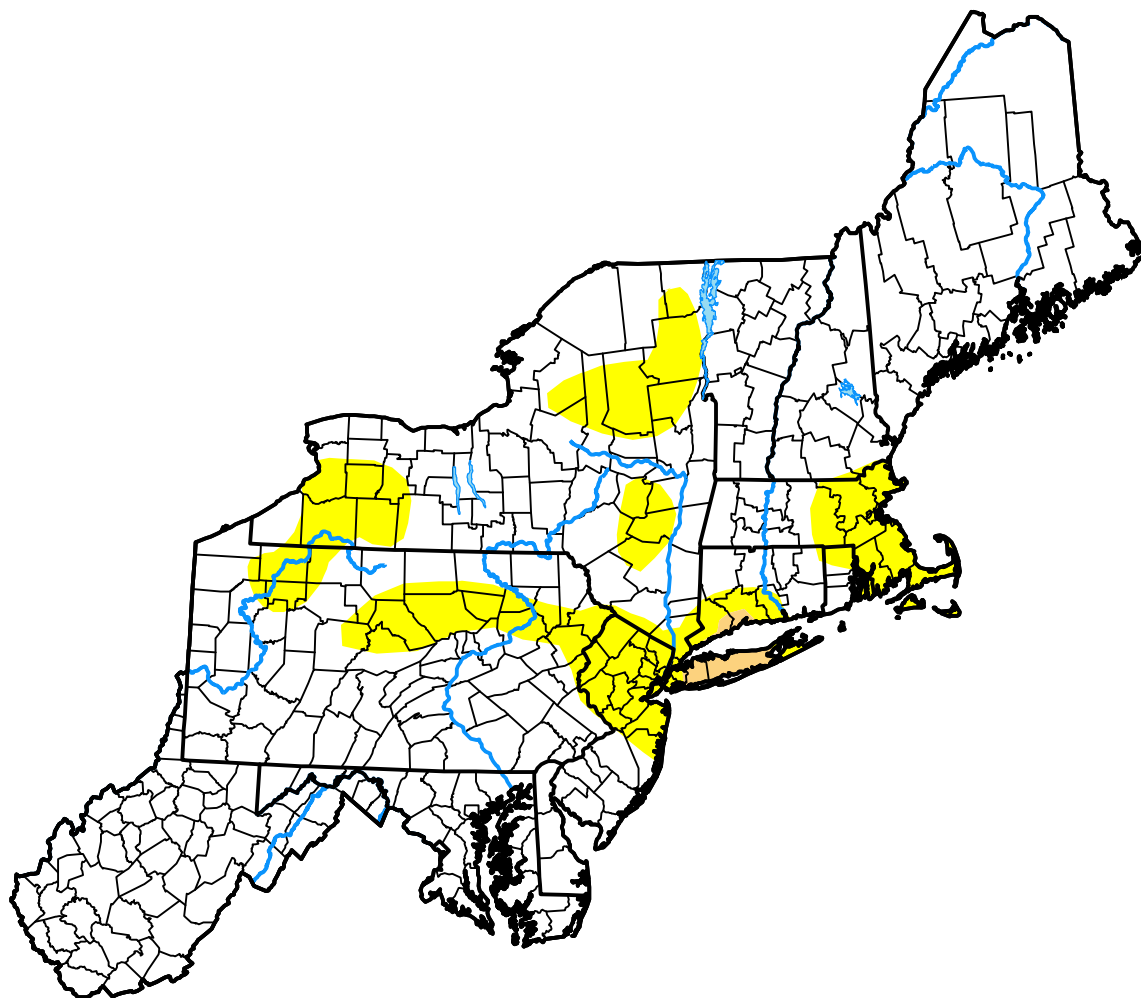


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	82.82	17.18	0.64	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-15-2013</i>	84.08	15.92	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-23-2013</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	91.73	8.27	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	80.04	19.96	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-23-2012</i>	86.34	13.66	4.22	0.47	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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