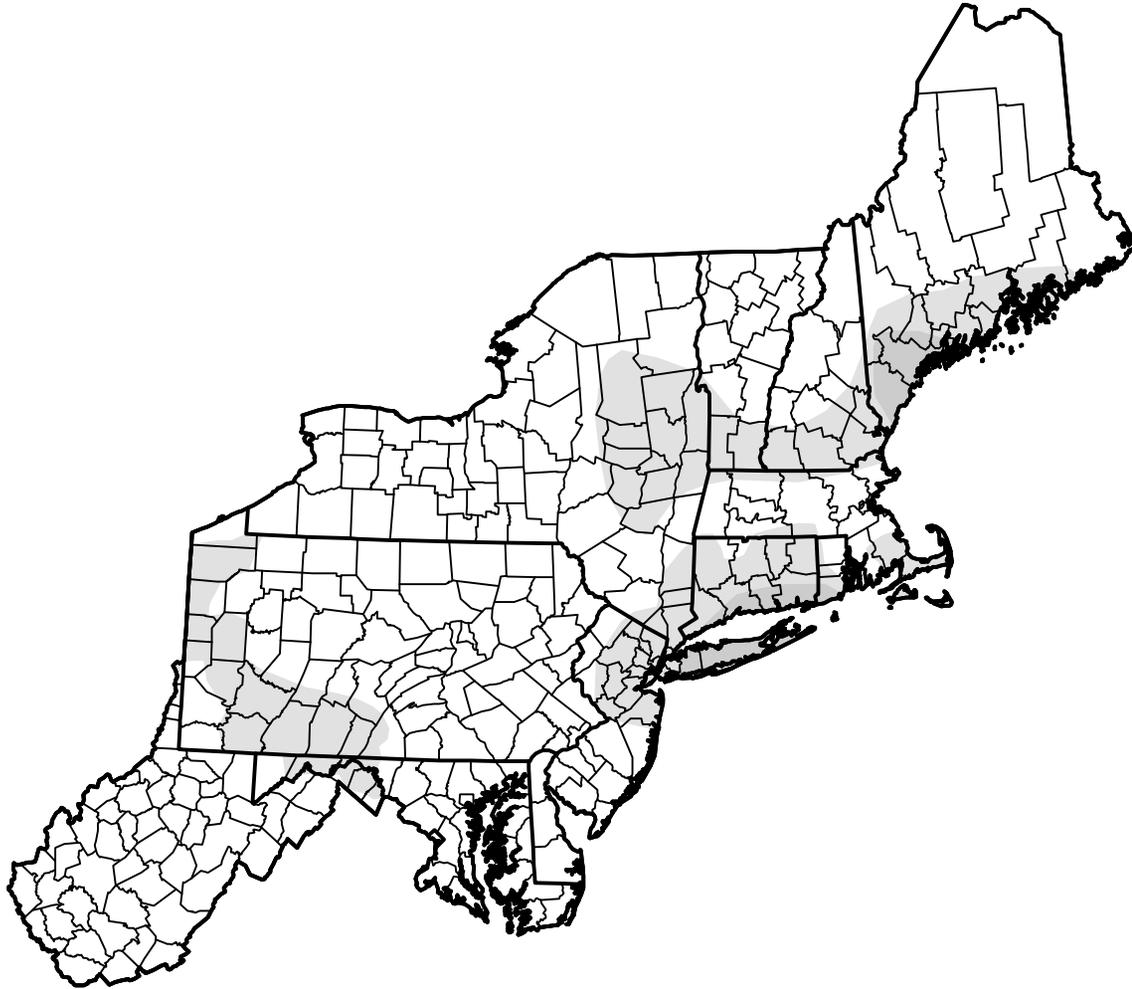


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northeast Climate Hub

**August 18, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 20, 2015)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	77.82	19.85	2.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-11-2015</i>	83.14	14.53	2.33	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-19-2015</i>	36.06	41.24	22.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	86.72	13.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2014</i>	65.91	30.55	3.54	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-19-2014</i>	96.00	4.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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