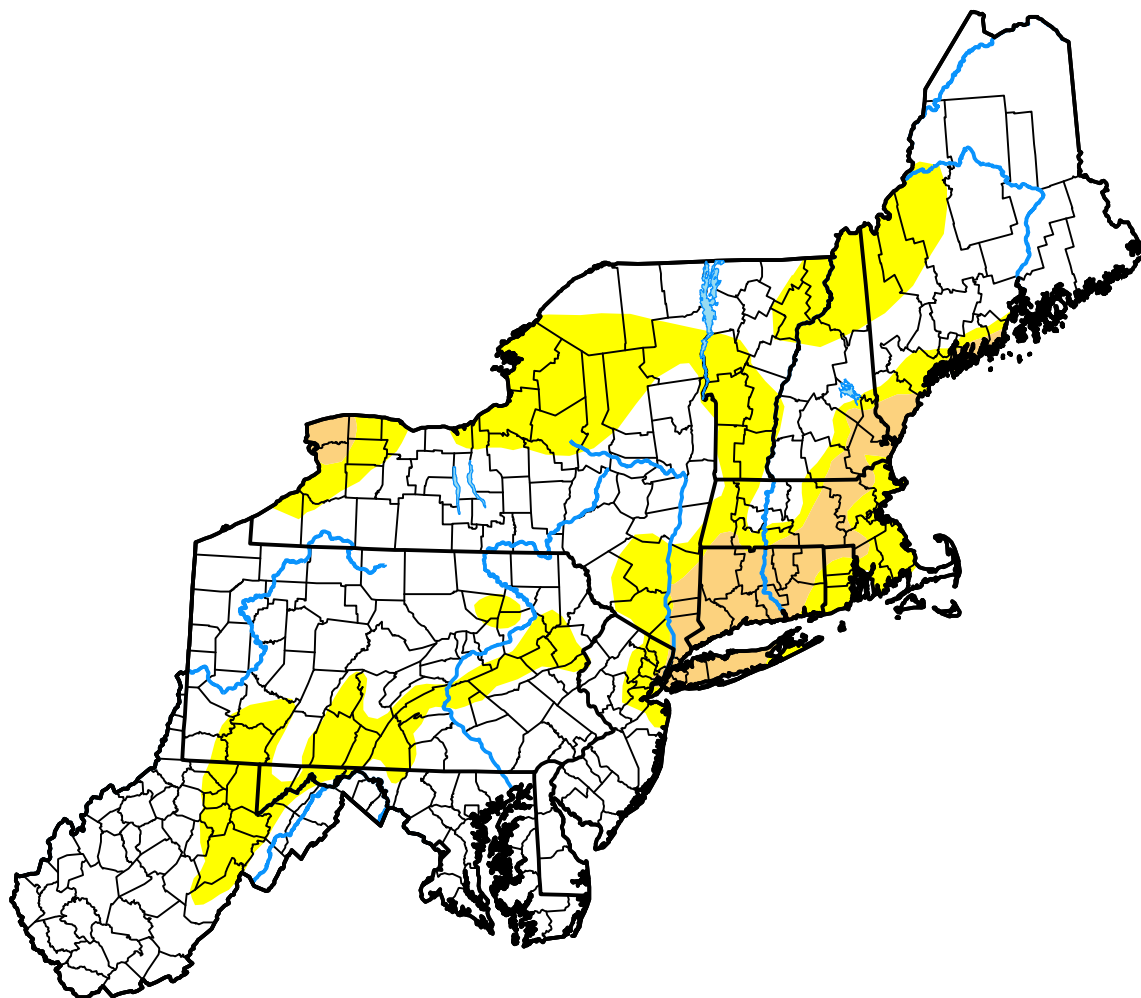


# U.S. Drought Monitor USDA Northeast Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	67.85	25.83	6.32	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-05-2016</i>	65.12	28.28	6.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-13-2015</i>	74.06	20.15	5.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2015</i>	62.11	31.29	6.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	42.43	48.57	9.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-13-2015</i>	89.26	10.74	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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