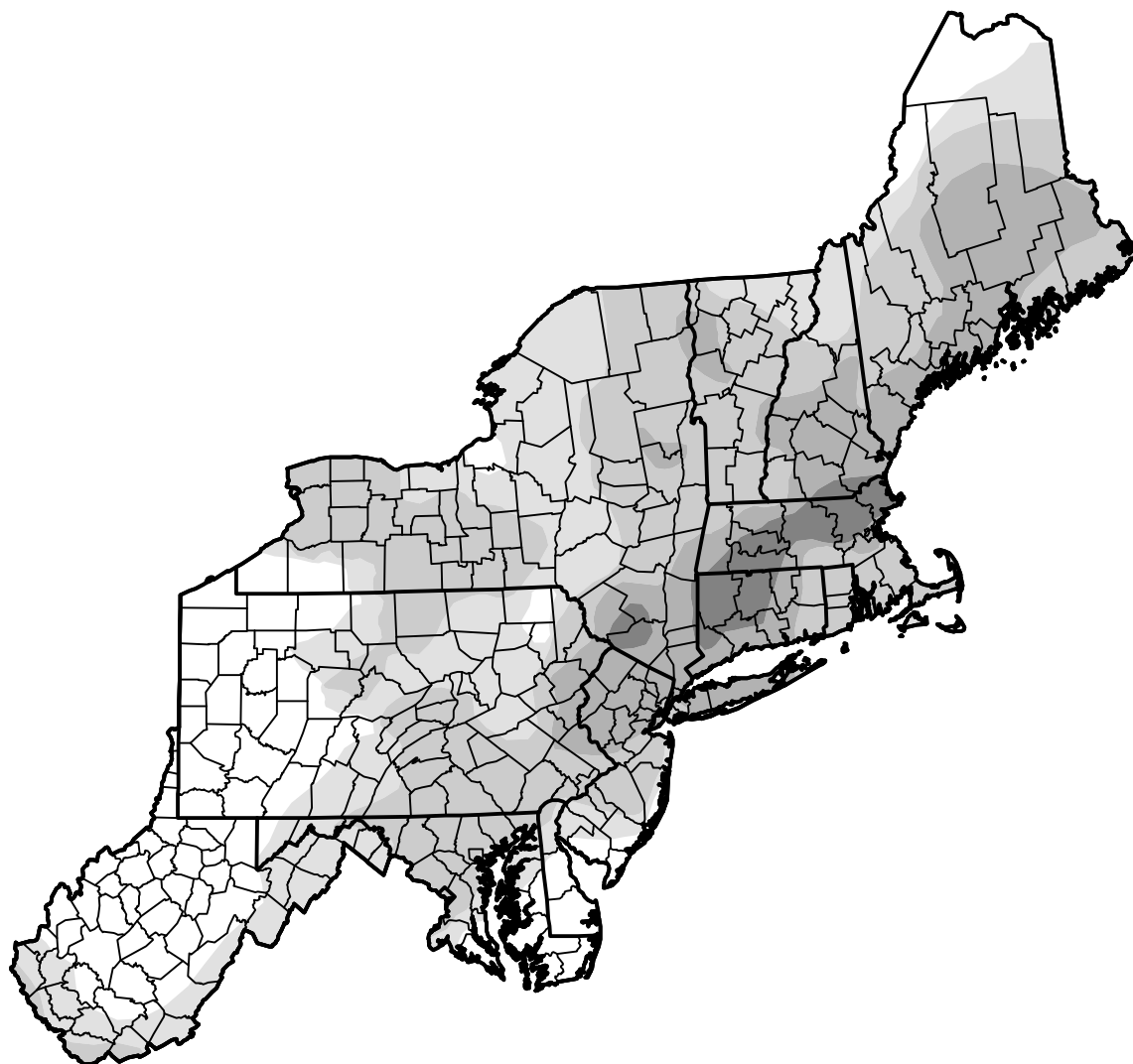


# U.S. Drought Monitor Northeast

**November 29, 2016**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 22.14 | 77.86 | 54.35 | 19.69 | 3.40  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-22-2016</i>              | 21.60 | 78.40 | 55.02 | 20.87 | 3.40  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-30-2016</i>           | 41.53 | 58.47 | 27.27 | 12.79 | 2.51  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-29-2015</i> | 62.11 | 37.89 | 6.60  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2016</i>    | 21.73 | 78.27 | 40.29 | 19.56 | 6.66  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-01-2015</i>           | 73.46 | 26.54 | 6.39  | 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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