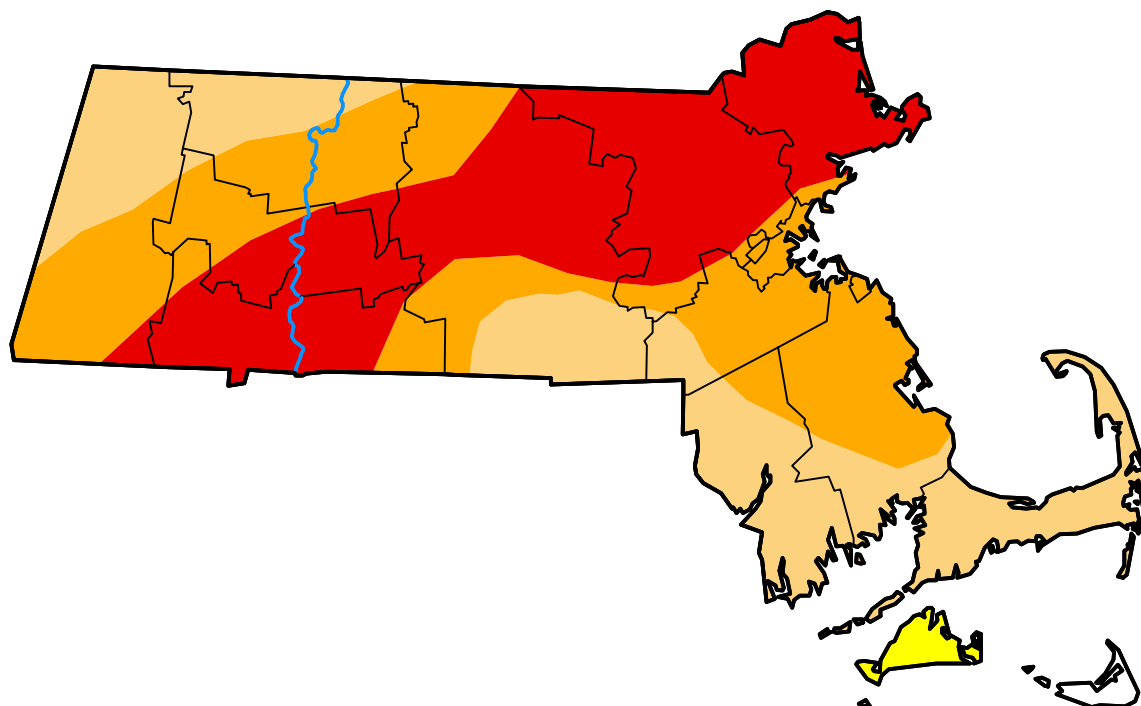


U.S. Drought Monitor Massachusetts



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.59	98.45	97.33	68.83	36.06	0.00
Last Week 12-15-2016	0.59	98.45	97.48	78.55	41.29	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-22-2016	0.00	99.03	97.18	89.09	51.73	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	22.34	76.70	26.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	0.00	99.03	97.18	89.09	51.73	0.00
One Year Ago 12-24-2015	22.34	76.70	26.34	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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