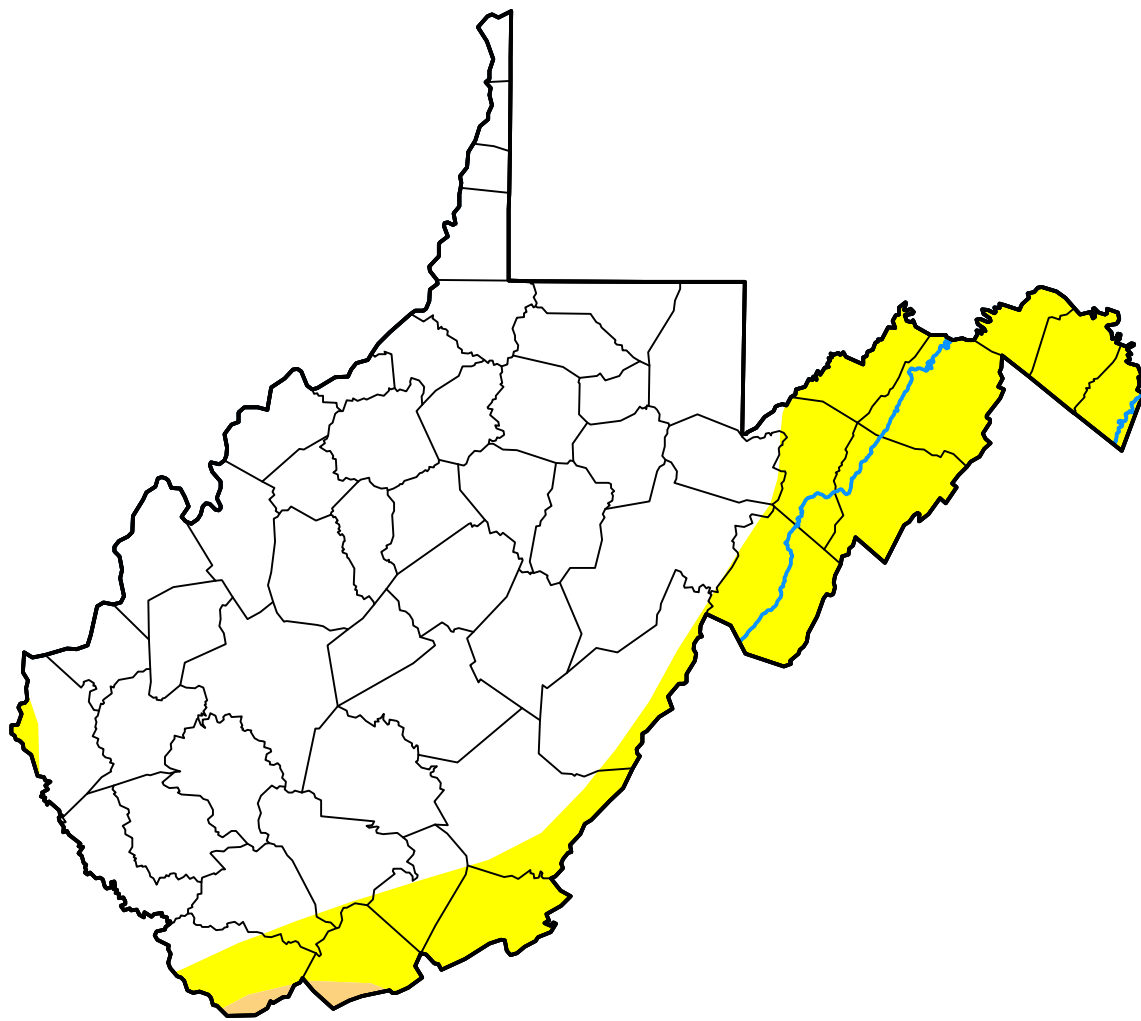


# U.S. Drought Monitor West Virginia

**December 27, 2016**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1   | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 77.03 | 22.46 | 0.51 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-22-2016</i>              | 75.36 | 23.70 | 0.94 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>           | 3.83  | 96.17 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2015</i> | 86.15 | 13.85 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 3.83  | 96.17 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-31-2015</i>           | 86.15 | 13.85 | 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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