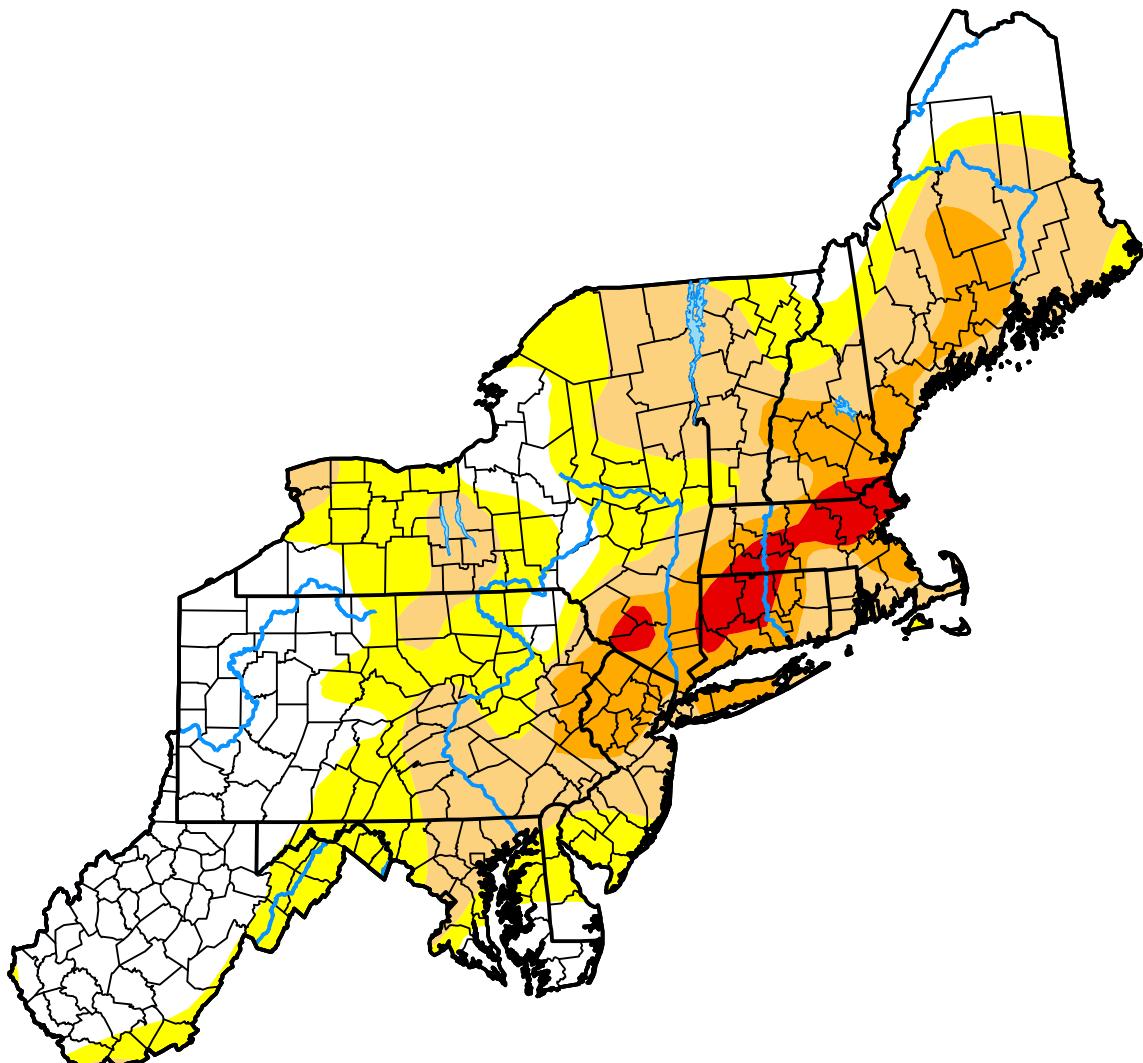


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Northeast



December 27, 2016  
(Released Thursday, Dec. 29, 2016)  
Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	29.58	70.42	43.71	14.56	3.11	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 12-20-2016	28.82	71.18	44.40	17.41	3.11	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 09-27-2016	21.73	78.27	40.29	19.56	6.66	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 12-29-2015	62.11	37.89	6.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-27-2016	21.73	78.27	40.29	19.56	6.66	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 12-29-2015	62.11	37.89	6.60	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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