

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## New England Watershed

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 97.99 | 2.01  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-04-2017</i>              | 82.86 | 15.13 | 2.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-09-2017</i>           | 17.02 | 23.02 | 40.65 | 16.95 | 2.36  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 14.64 | 11.89 | 49.23 | 19.61 | 4.63  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 26.77 | 14.45 | 18.64 | 25.58 | 14.56 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-12-2016</i>           | 85.05 | 14.95 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |

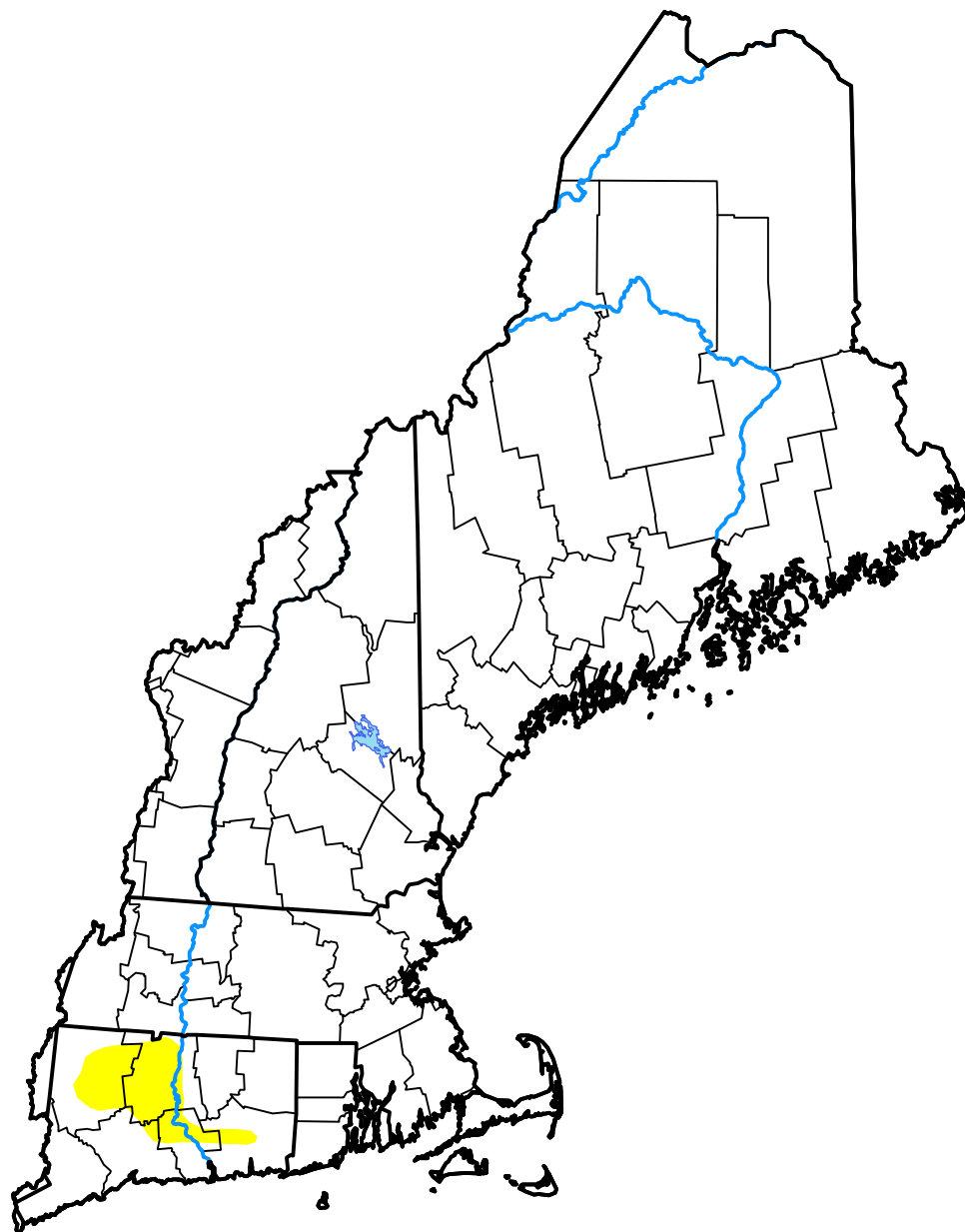
### Intensity:

|                                                                                                           |                                                                                                              |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
|  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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