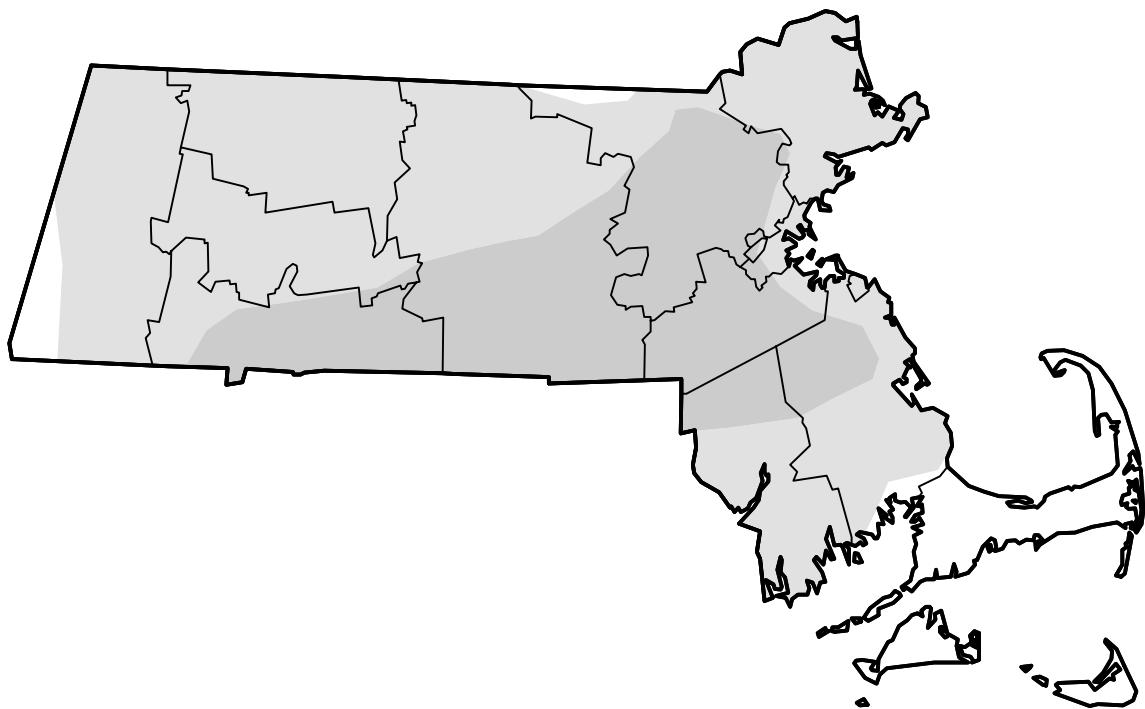


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Massachusetts



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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	9.26	89.78	31.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week 10-12-2017</b>	9.26	89.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago 07-20-2017</b>	98.45	0.58	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2017</b>	0.59	98.45	97.33	68.83	8.59	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year 09-28-2017</b>	53.76	45.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago 10-20-2016</b>	0.00	99.03	97.27	86.60	37.61	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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