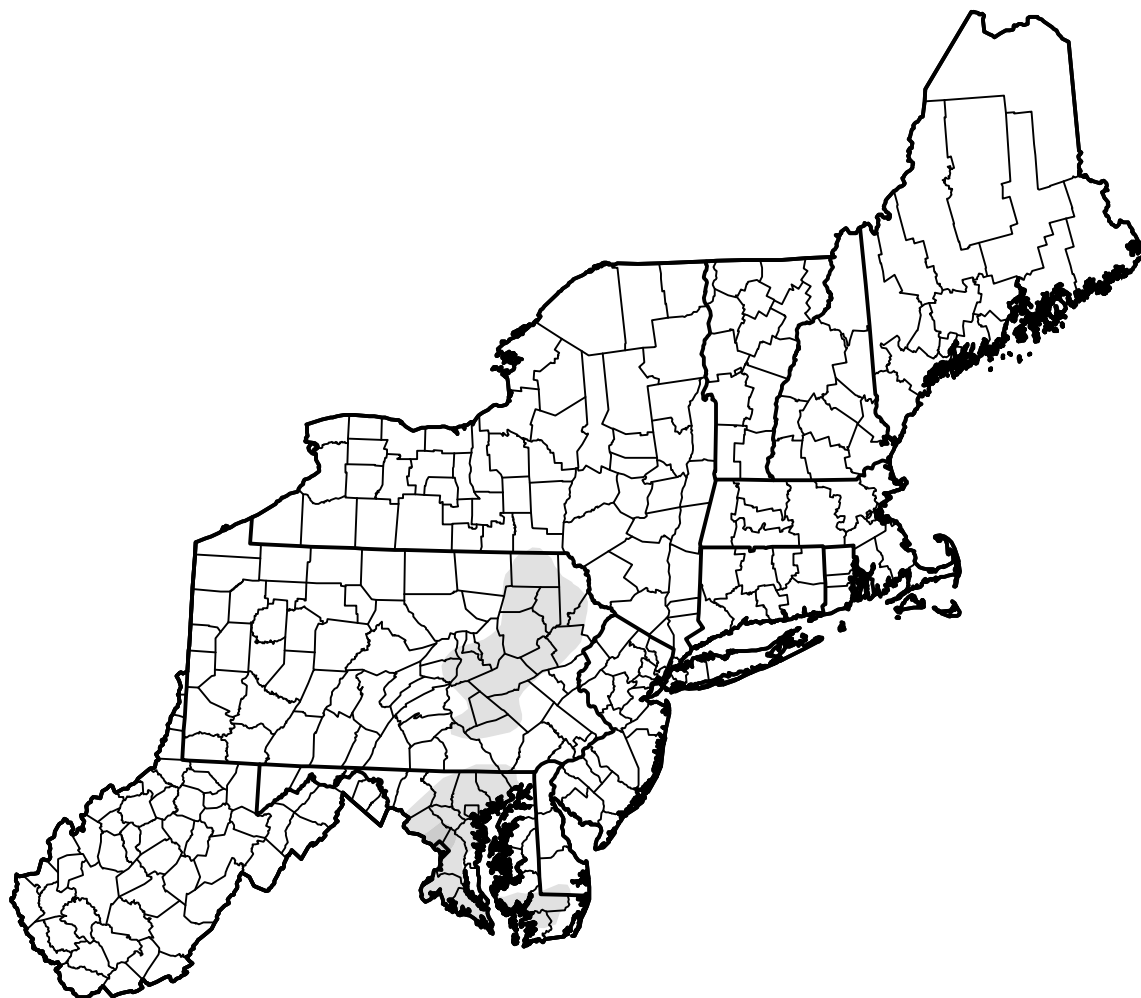


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	93.78	6.22	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 02-13-2018	93.78	6.22	0.58	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 11-21-2017	91.83	8.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2018	76.11	23.89	5.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	77.61	22.39	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 02-21-2017	48.50	51.50	27.98	6.53	0.70	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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