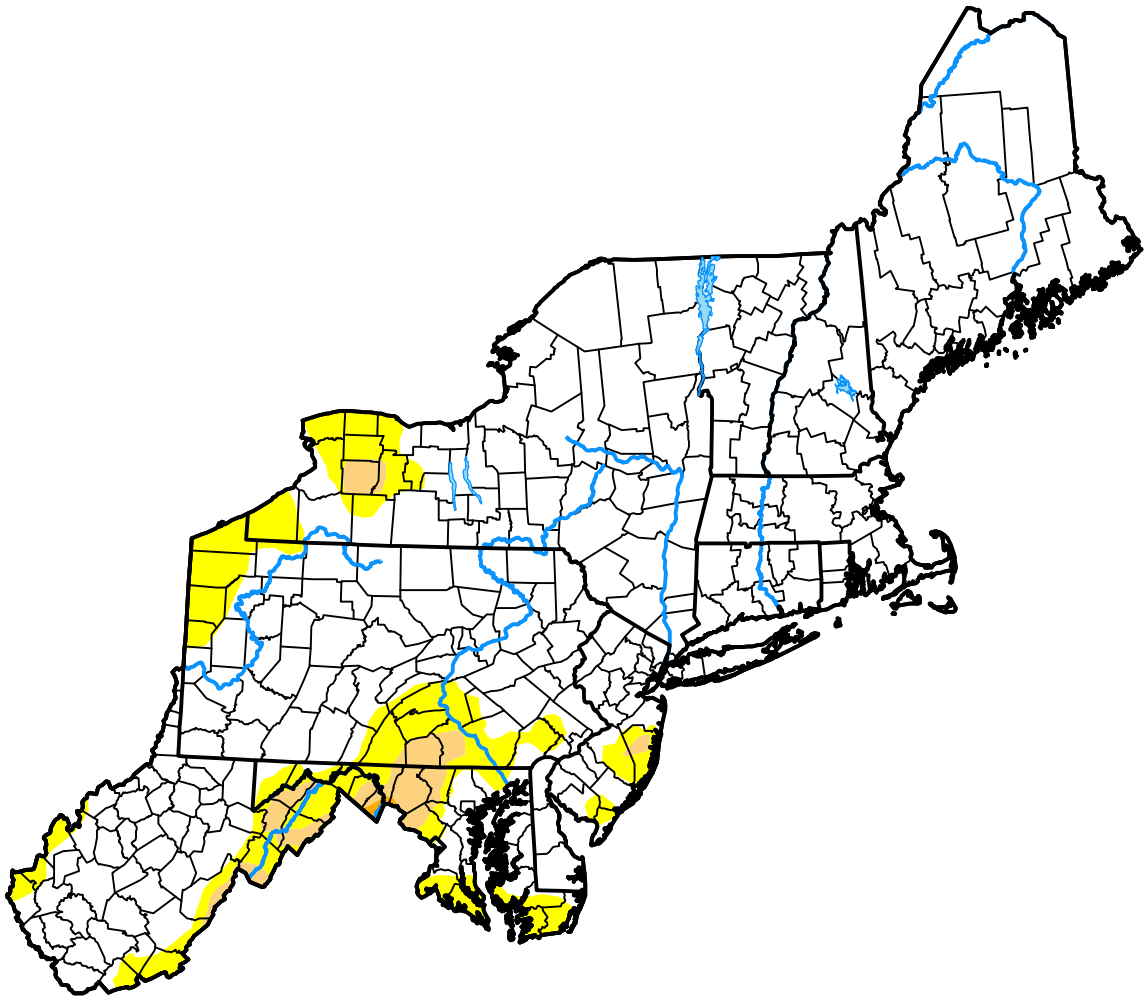
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	86.71	13.29	2.57	0.09	0.00	0.00
Last Week *09-12-2023*	92.77	7.23	2.39	0.09	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago *06-20-2023*	28.52	71.48	34.13	1.52	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-03-2023*	90.64	9.36	0.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-27-2022*	69.23	30.77	12.95	3.83	0.14	0.00
One Year Ago *09-20-2022*	52.08	47.92	18.65	7.37	0.27	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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