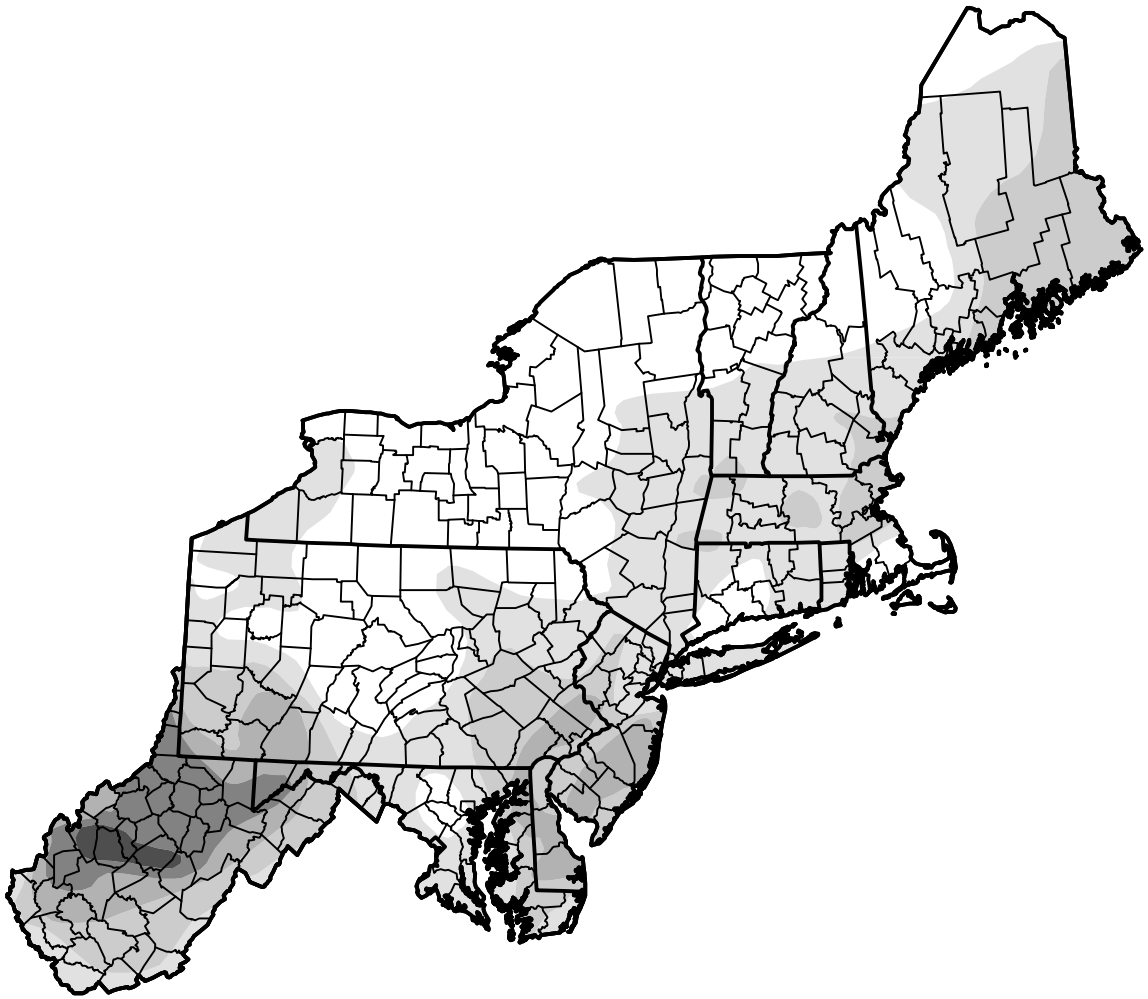
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Northeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	36.05	34.69	17.58	6.87	4.14	0.67
Last Week *10-15-2024*	39.19	37.50	13.59	4.90	4.14	0.67
3 Months Ago *07-23-2024*	61.71	19.55	10.44	6.26	2.03	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-02-2024*	87.20	10.30	1.83	0.67	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *10-01-2024*	45.94	34.77	9.37	4.97	4.27	0.67
One Year Ago *10-24-2023*	83.24	14.73	1.76	0.27	0.00	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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