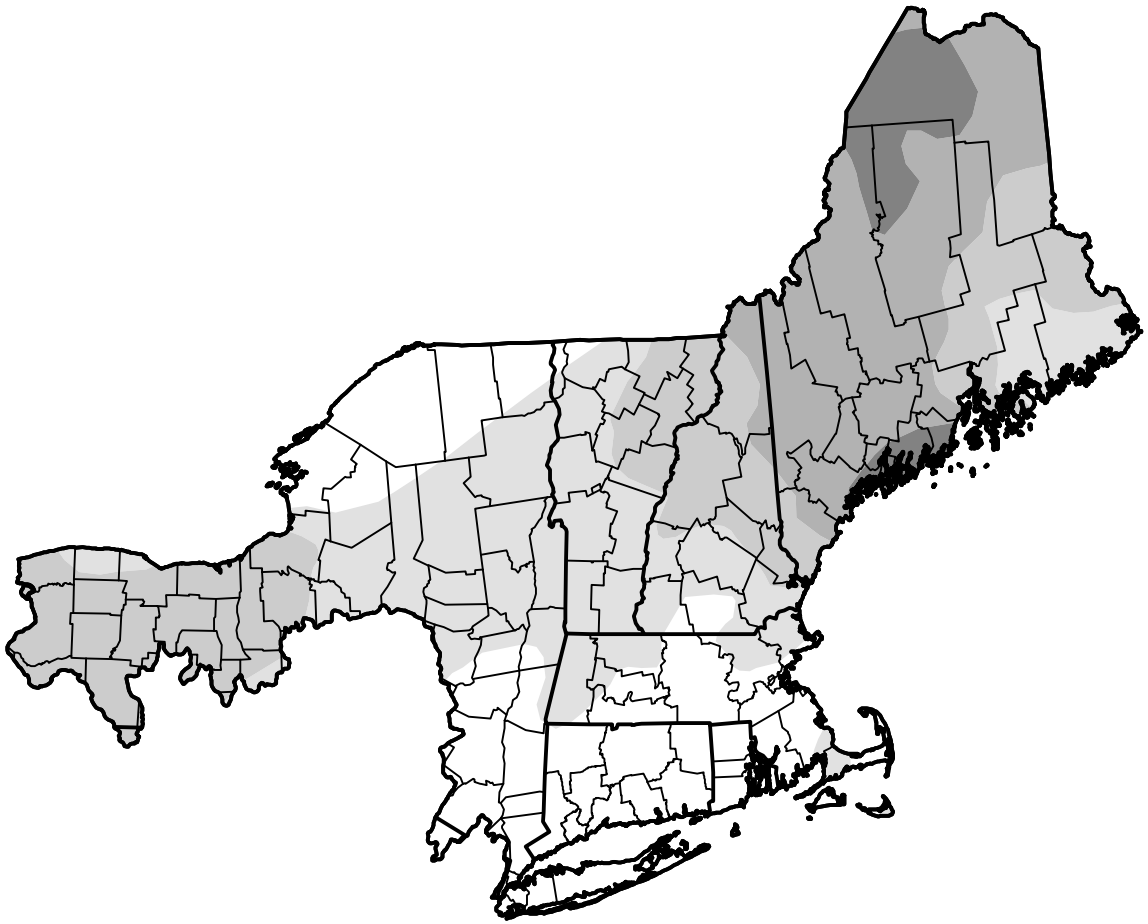
U.S. Drought Monitor

Northeast RFC



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	25.44	28.02	22.96	18.48	5.10	0.00
Last Week *11-10-2026*	26.55	30.18	27.24	13.51	2.52	0.00
3 Months Ago *08-18-2026*	48.91	30.32	18.34	2.42	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	15.81	29.47	28.81	25.53	0.39	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	35.32	25.41	33.20	4.52	1.55	0.00
One Year Ago *11-18-2025*	15.89	25.28	26.81	31.06	0.97	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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