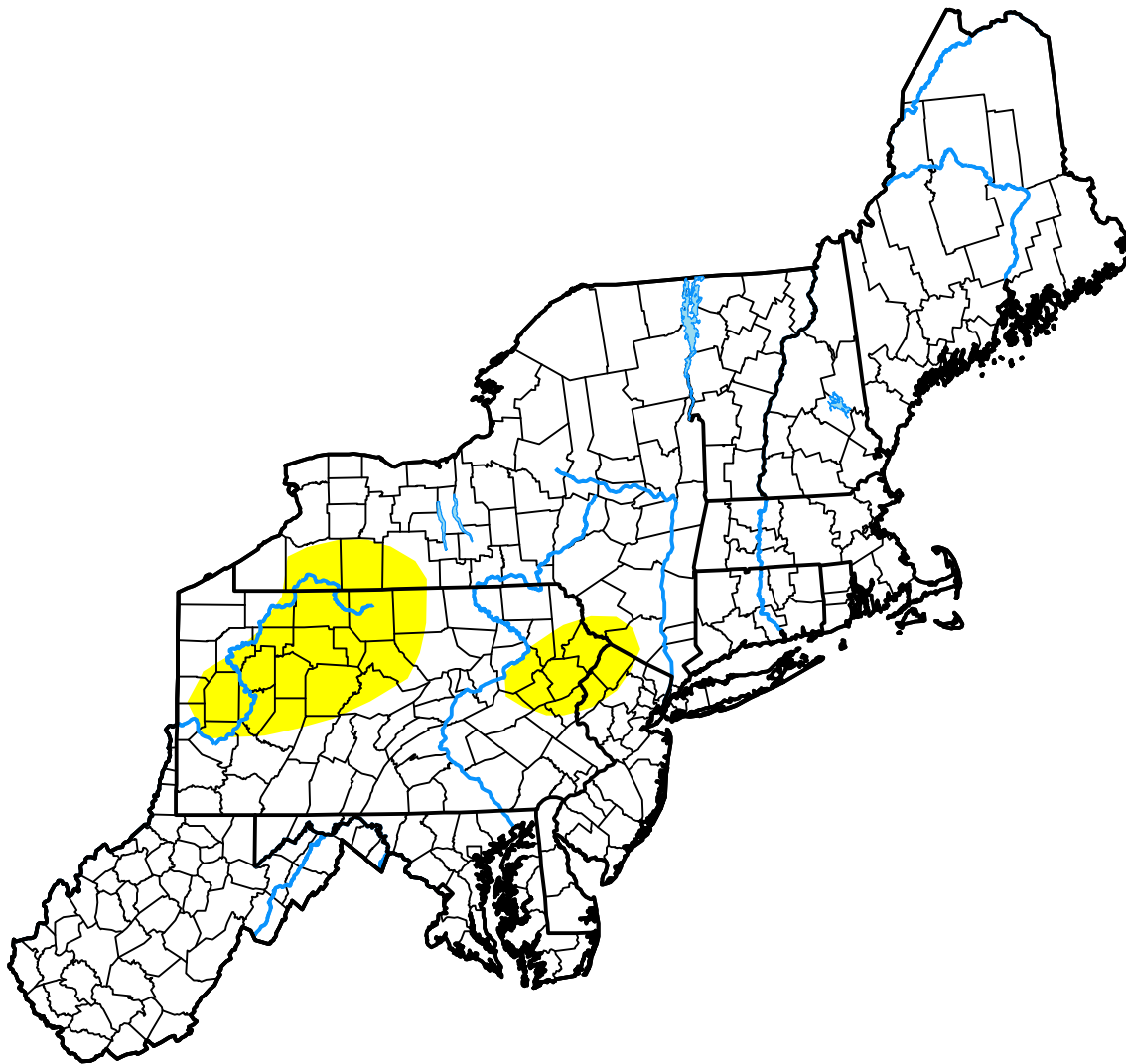


# U.S. Drought Monitor Northeast

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	90.44	9.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-12-2009</i>	80.24	19.76	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-17-2009</i>	93.39	5.78	0.83	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	88.72	6.59	4.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	82.50	14.93	2.57	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-20-2008</i>	99.84	0.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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