

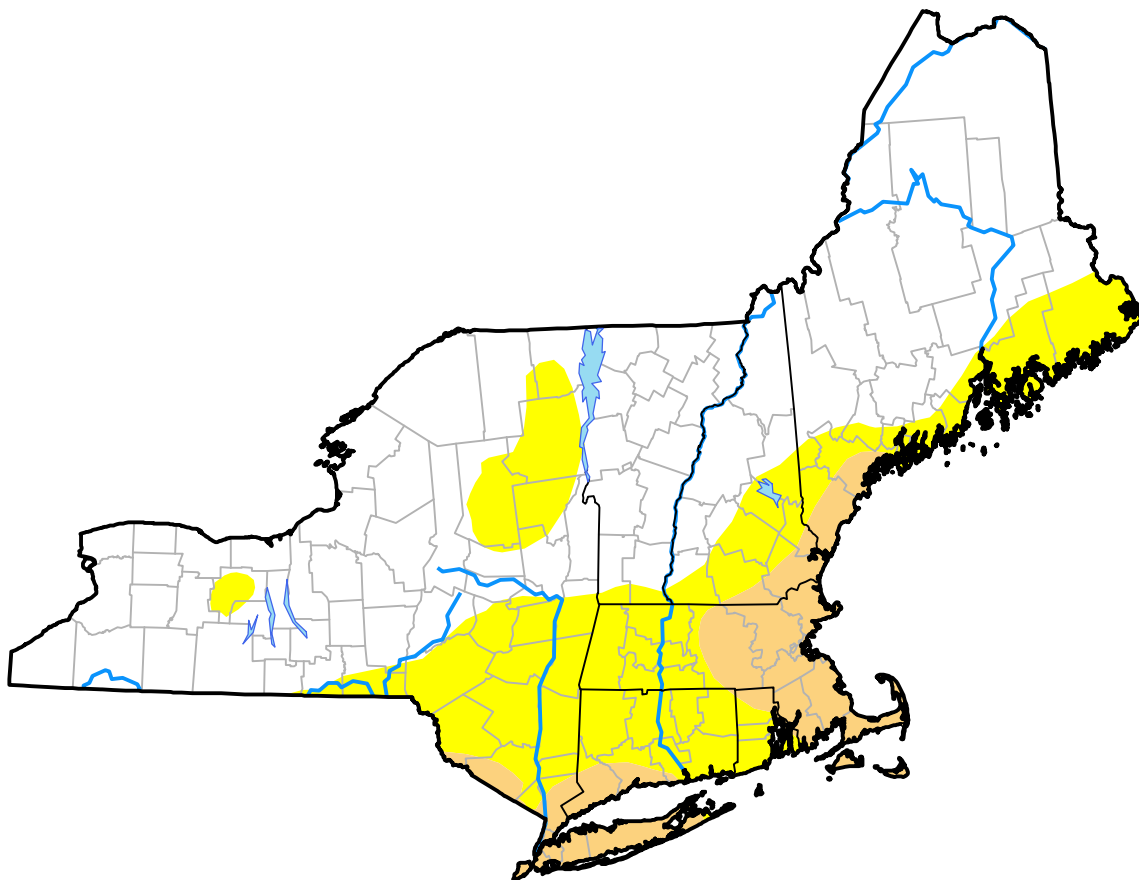
# U.S. Drought Monitor Northeast RDEWS

**December 17, 2013**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	63.67	36.33	9.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-12-2013</i>	66.09	33.91	9.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-19-2013</i>	96.93	3.07	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2013</i>	89.89	10.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	85.02	14.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-20-2012</i>	80.85	19.15	0.00	0.00	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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