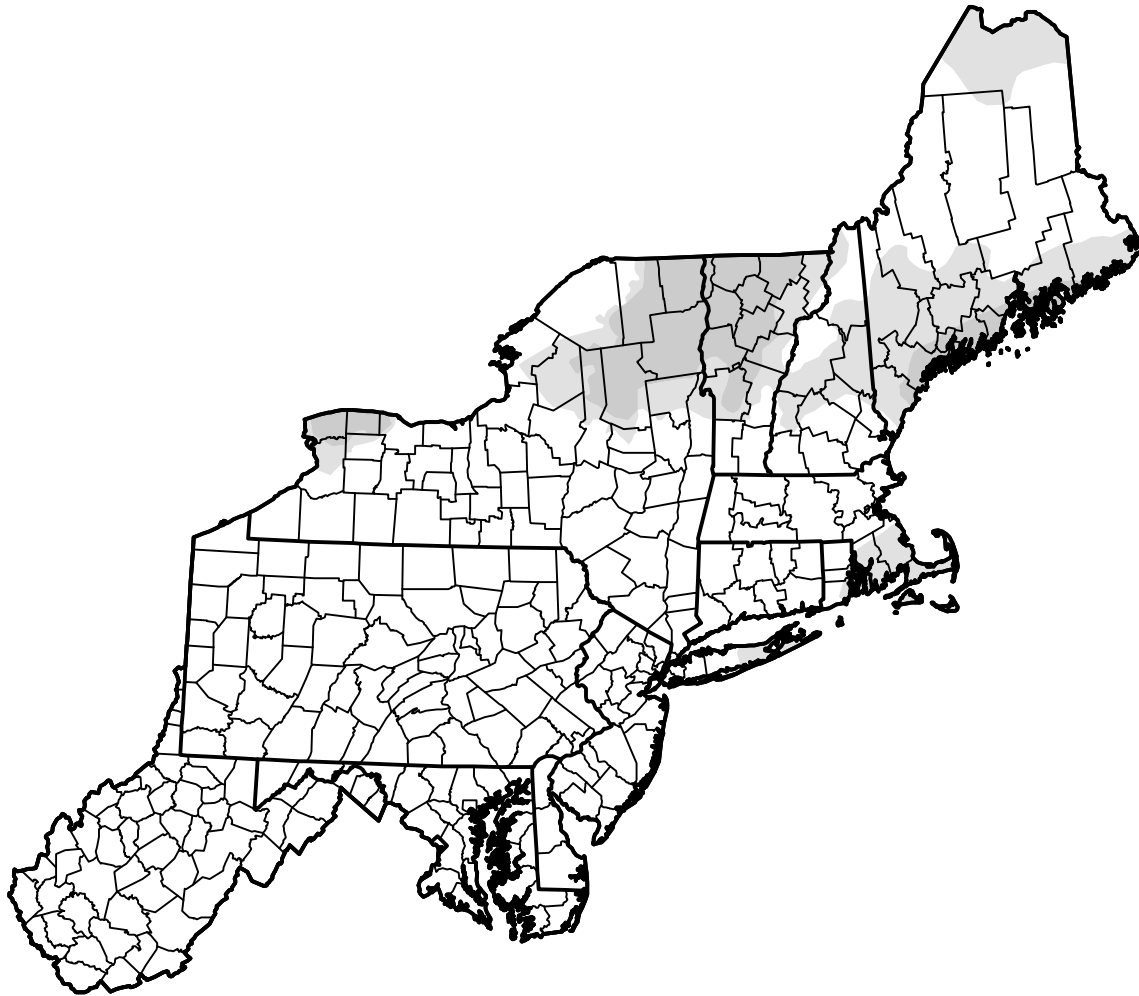


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Northeast Climate Hub

**August 21, 2018**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 23, 2018)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	80.08	12.72	7.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-14-2018</i>	76.23	15.42	8.35	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-22-2018</i>	99.17	0.83	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2018</i>	76.11	18.63	5.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2017</i>	77.61	18.45	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-22-2017</i>	89.00	6.17	4.83	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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