

**Department of Conservation and Recreation
Water Resources Data Collection and Analysis Program**

March 2009

Massachusetts Monthly Precipitation Composite Estimate

March-09	Normal	Actual	Percent Normal	Excess/Deficit	-----Excess or Deficit Since Last-----								
					10/1/2007	2 Months	% Norm	3 Months	% Norm	6 Months	% Norm	12 Months	% Norm
State	3.99	3.11	78	-0.88	0.92	-2.23	69	-2.01	82	0.92	104	7.85	117
Cape Cod and Islands	4.18	3.83	92	-0.35	0.31	-1.77	77	-1.16	90	0.31	101	3.92	109
Central	4.06	3.06	75	-1.00	-0.39	-2.51	66	-2.84	74	-0.39	98	6.41	114
Connecticut River	3.76	2.72	72	-1.04	0.08	-2.59	62	-2.73	73	0.08	100	8.84	119
Northeast	4.02	3.29	82	-0.73	0.75	-1.85	75	-1.62	85	0.75	103	9.21	121
Southeast	4.30	3.36	78	-0.94	2.82	-2.26	71	-1.53	87	2.82	112	9.06	120
Western	3.43	2.45	71	-0.98	2.89	-2.05	67	-1.37	85	2.89	114	8.15	119

Note: Precipitation values are total rainfall and melted snow in inches.

Values are estimated pending receipt of additional data and final calculations.