

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

March 2016

Massachusetts Monthly Precipitation Composite Estimate

March-16	Normal	Actual	Percent Normal	Excess/Deficit	-----Excess or Deficit Since Last-----								
					10/1/2015	2 Months	% Norm	3 Months	% Norm	6 Months	% Norm	12 Months	% Norm
State	3.98	3.09	78	-0.89	-1.56	0.43	106	-0.65	94	-1.56	93	-3.48	92
Cape Cod and Islands	4.27	3.66	86	-0.61	5.16	1.72	122	1.88	116	5.16	122	-2.42	95
Central	4.16	3.47	83	-0.69	-3.28	0.31	104	-1.32	88	-3.28	86	-6.96	85
Connecticut River	3.74	2.72	73	-1.02	-1.61	1.03	115	-0.92	91	-1.61	93	0.91	102
Northeast	3.92	3.40	87	-0.52	-3.68	0.08	101	-1.09	90	-3.68	84	-5.82	87
Southeast	4.24	2.36	56	-1.88	-1.14	-0.44	94	-0.62	95	-0.76	97	-3.93	91
Western	3.39	3.35	99	-0.04	-0.33	3.01	149	1.90	120	-0.33	98	2.96	107

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

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