

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

December 2016

Massachusetts Monthly Precipitation Composite Estimate

December-16	Normal	Actual	Percent Normal	Excess/Deficit	-----Excess or Deficit Since Last-----								
					10/1/2016	2 Months	% Norm	3 Months	% Norm	6 Months	% Norm	12 Months	% Norm
State	3.85	3.52	91	-0.33	-0.41	-1.66	79	-0.41	96	-4.53	80	-7.49	83
Western	3.40	3.38	99	-0.02	-0.96	-0.53	92	-0.96	91	-3.06	87	-3.13	93
Connecticut River	3.72	4.60	124	0.88	-1.70	-0.75	90	-1.70	85	-4.97	79	-10.41	77
Central	3.88	3.65	94	-0.23	-0.28	-1.48	81	-0.28	98	-3.31	86	-8.63	81
Northeast	3.72	3.34	90	-0.38	1.52	-1.19	84	1.52	114	-3.71	83	-8.73	80
Southeast	4.12	3.11	75	-1.01	-0.41	-2.74	67	-0.41	97	-5.98	74	-8.70	81
Cape Cod and Islands	4.18	2.41	58	-1.77	-1.35	-3.68	57	-1.35	89	-6.08	74	-6.85	85

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

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