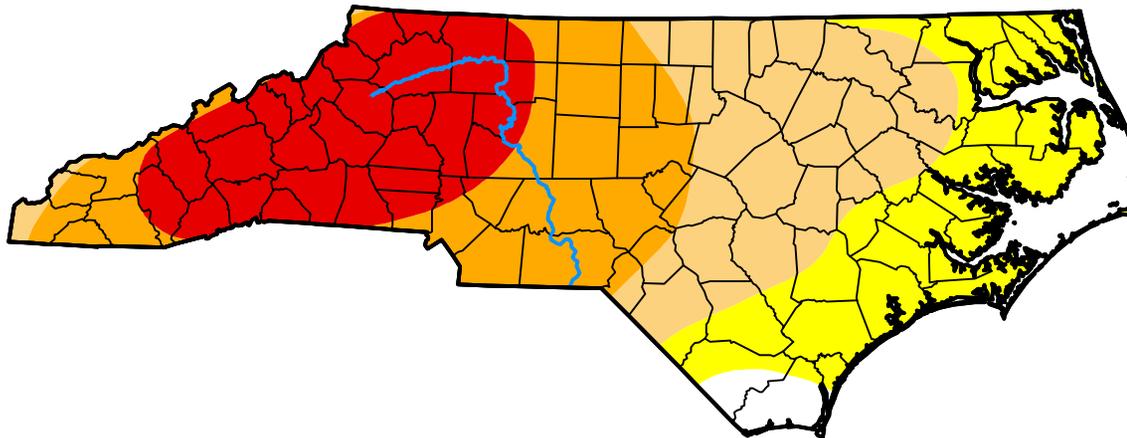


U.S. Drought Monitor North Carolina

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 2.39 | 23.42 | 26.68 | 23.32 | 24.19 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>03-15-2001</i> | 1.76 | 27.19 | 22.92 | 22.76 | 25.38 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-21-2000</i> | 43.35 | 20.33 | 8.23 | 25.37 | 2.72 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i> | 46.93 | 16.71 | 8.27 | 25.23 | 2.86 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i> | 89.41 | 5.79 | 4.66 | 0.14 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-23-2000</i> | 63.47 | 15.17 | 21.36 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |



Intensity:

| | |
|---------------------|------------------------|
| None | D2 Severe Drought |
| D0 Abnormally Dry | D3 Extreme Drought |
| D1 Moderate 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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