

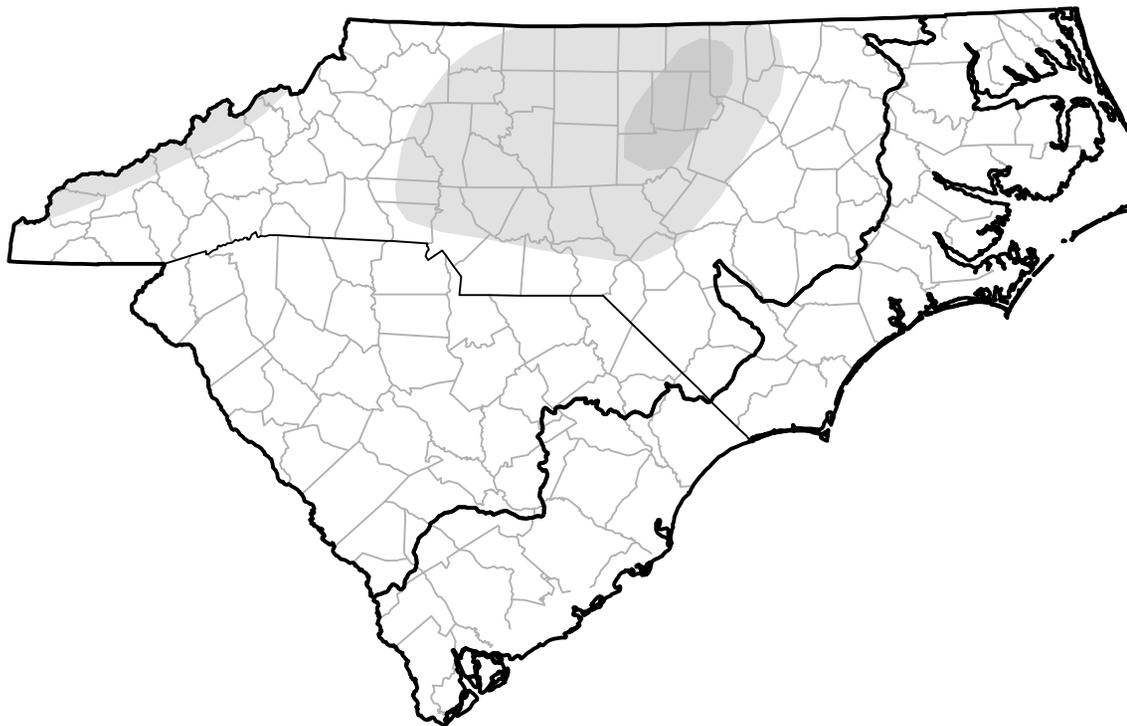
Carolinas RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 80.84 | 16.97 | 2.19 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>12-08-2005</i> | 72.90 | 24.90 | 2.19 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>09-15-2005</i> | 62.53 | 37.47 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i> | 28.11 | 52.60 | 19.29 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>12-16-2004</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |



Intensity:

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