

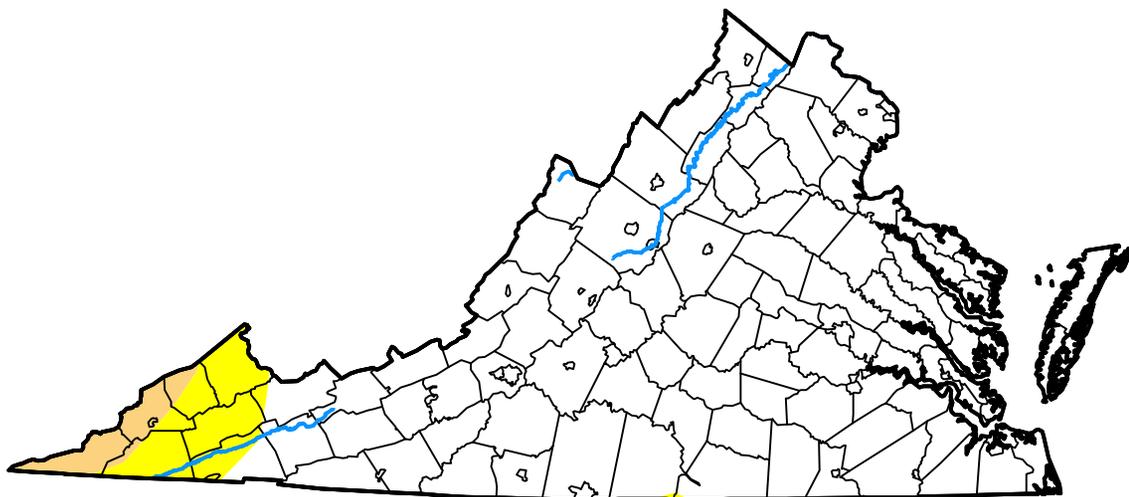
U.S. Drought Monitor Virginia

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 92.32 | 5.41 | 2.26 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>12-15-2005</i> | 89.71 | 8.03 | 2.26 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>09-22-2005</i> | 8.43 | 42.16 | 49.41 | 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> | 1.46 | 42.21 | 56.34 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>12-23-2004</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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