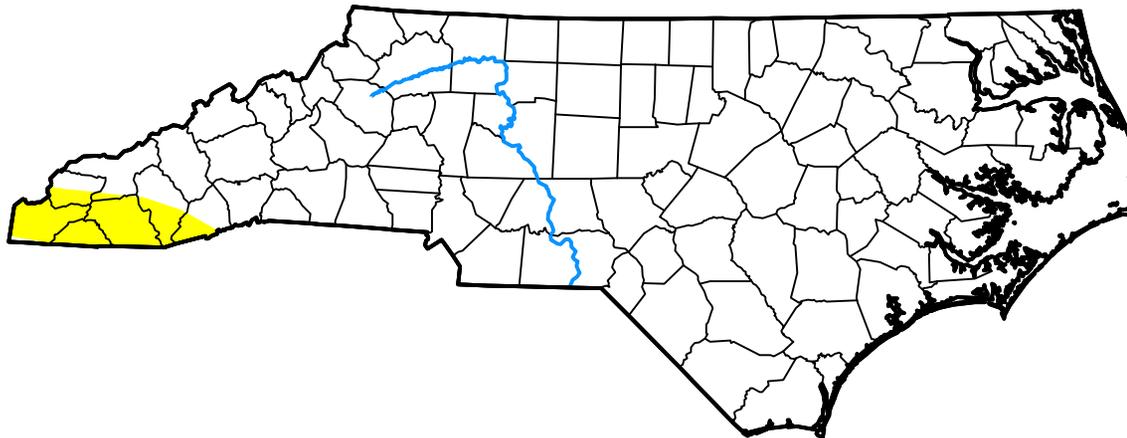


# U.S. Drought Monitor North Carolina

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	96.51	3.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-26-2006</i>	94.85	5.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-03-2006</i>	68.14	31.86	16.39	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2006</i>	87.70	12.30	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2006</i>	95.48	4.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-03-2005</i>	39.31	60.69	23.17	8.48	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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