

U.S. Drought Monitor North Carolina

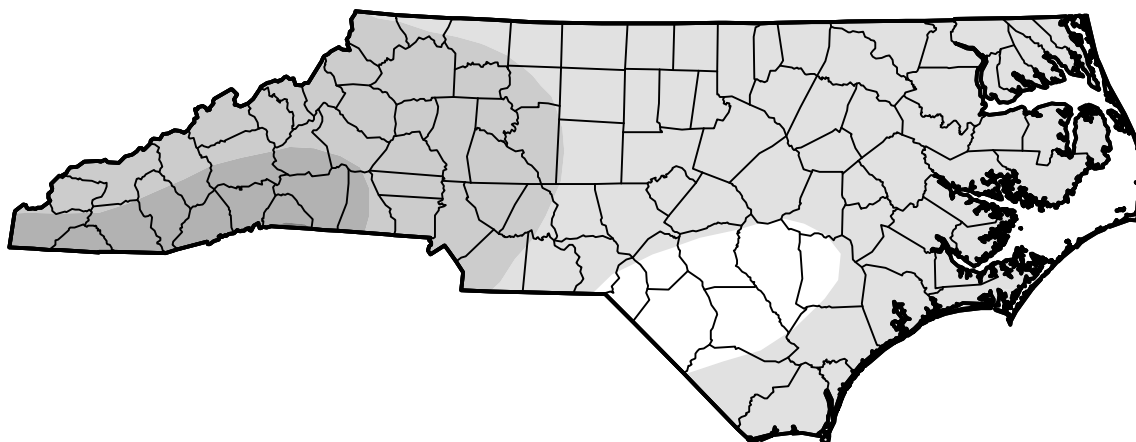
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	9.16	58.37	23.95	8.47	0.05	0.00
Last Week <i>02-26-2009</i>	0.00	47.16	42.20	10.59	0.05	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-04-2008</i>	42.43	26.41	14.33	5.75	2.78	8.30
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	76.72	4.89	11.17	7.22	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	40.20	13.66	25.66	9.63	10.83	0.03
One Year Ago <i>03-06-2008</i>	0.00	1.24	11.09	26.42	34.99	26.27



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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