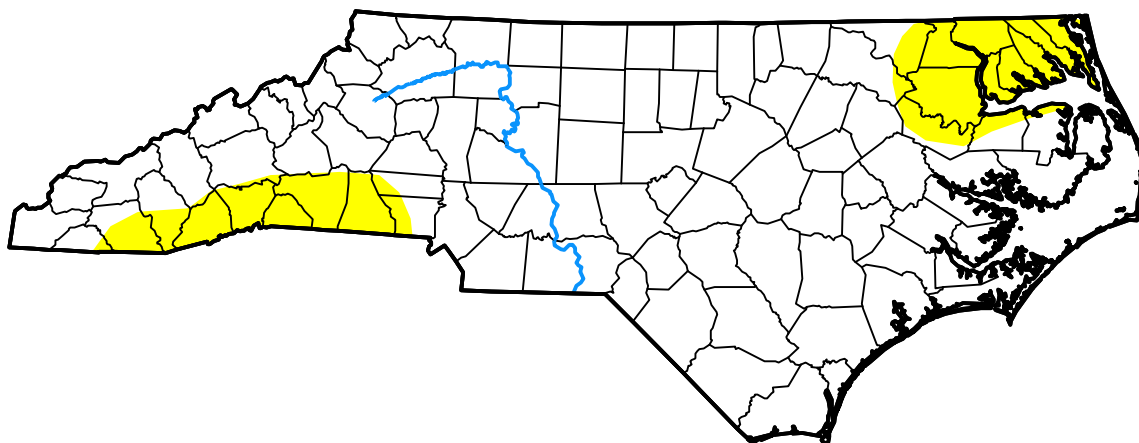


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	87.26	12.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 05-14-2009	53.74	46.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 02-19-2009	0.00	100.00	52.84	10.64	0.05	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2009	76.72	23.28	18.39	7.22	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	40.20	59.80	46.15	20.48	10.85	0.03
One Year Ago 05-22-2008	25.87	74.13	44.99	25.33	8.11	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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