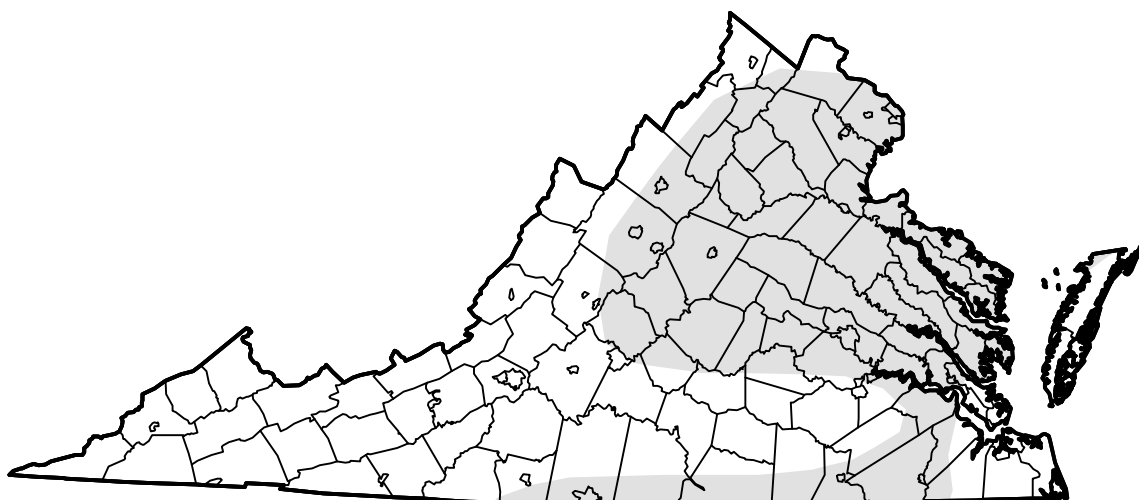


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.78	45.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-13-2009	83.13	16.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-21-2009	99.68	0.32	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2009	63.01	12.21	24.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	57.84	17.02	23.51	1.63	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-21-2008	11.38	23.32	34.14	31.16	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

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

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