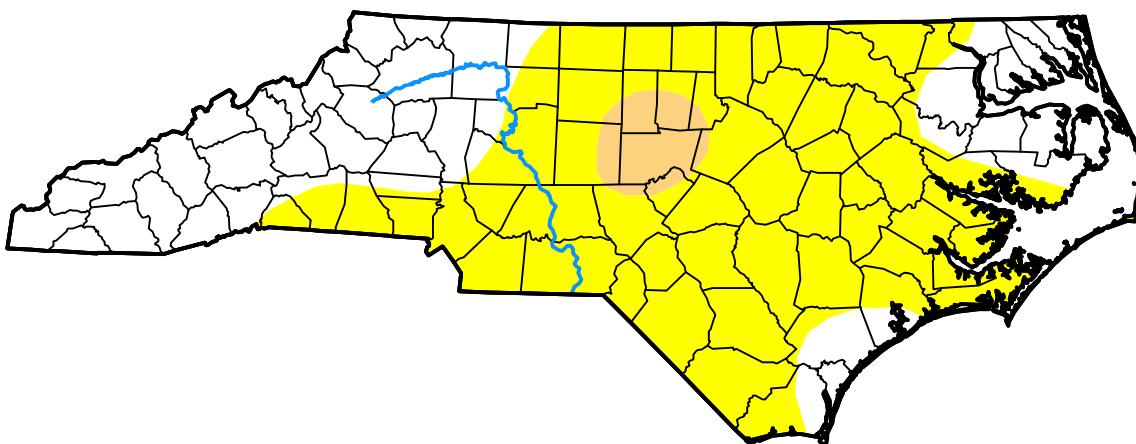


U.S. Drought Monitor

North Carolina



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	35.87	64.13	3.74	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-20-2009	27.21	72.79	6.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-28-2009	89.77	10.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	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 08-28-2008	4.51	95.49	79.06	48.57	29.90	0.02

Intensity:

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

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