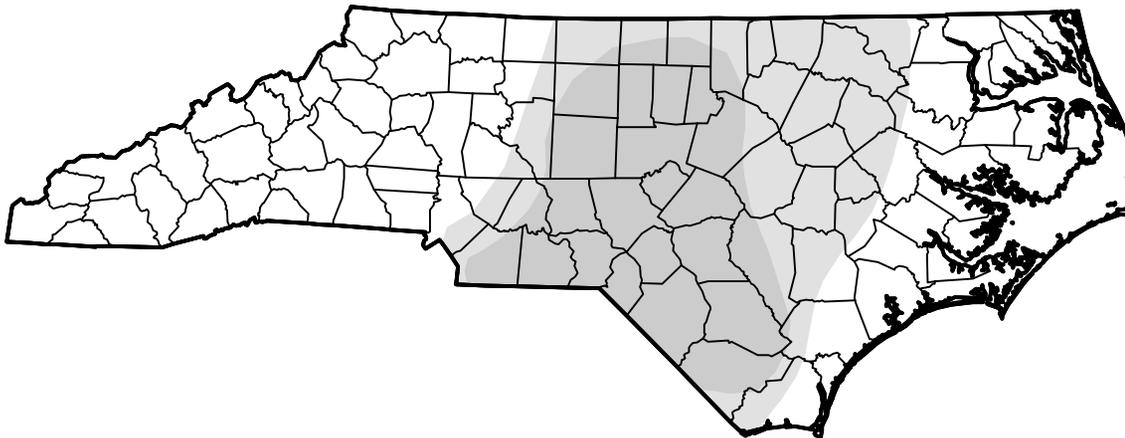


# U.S. Drought Monitor North Carolina

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	51.45	48.55	26.42	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-15-2009</i>	51.45	48.55	13.83	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-23-2009</i>	25.27	74.73	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	76.72	23.28	18.39	7.22	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2009</i>	51.28	48.72	14.15	0.03	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-23-2008</i>	40.21	59.79	46.31	20.70	11.08	0.04



### 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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