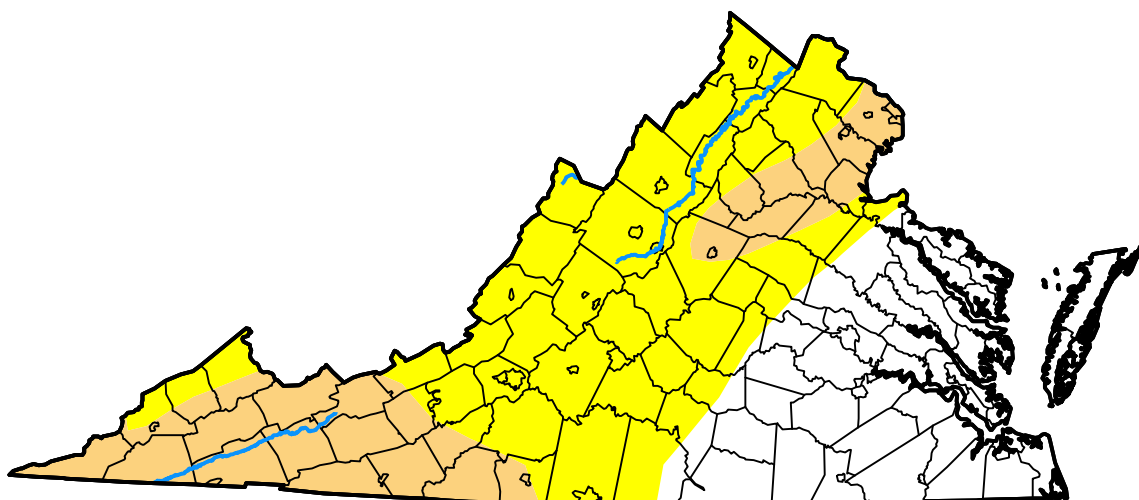


# U.S. Drought Monitor Virginia

**December 13, 2016**  
(Released Thursday, Dec. 15, 2016)  
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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                 | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                  | 31.30 | 68.70 | 22.92 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>12-08-2016                  | 31.30 | 68.70 | 27.67 | 0.78  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>09-15-2016               | 37.54 | 62.46 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br>12-31-2015 | 99.99 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br>09-29-2016    | 15.28 | 84.72 | 0.77  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>12-17-2015               | 99.99 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |



## 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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