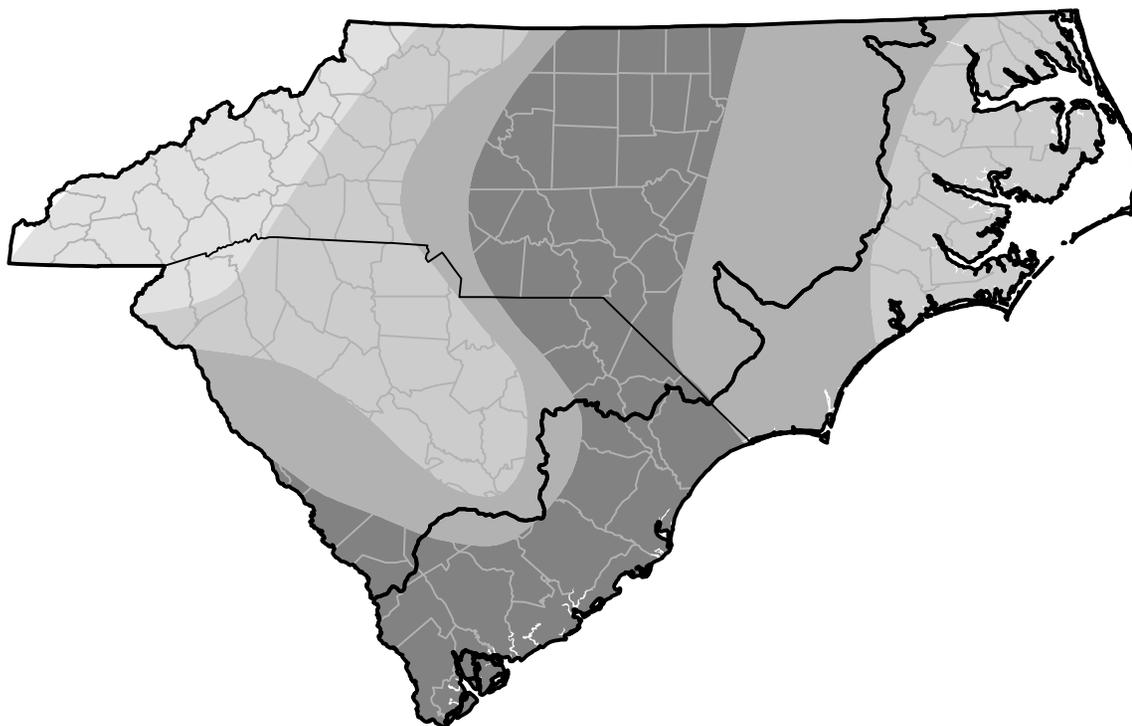


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Coastal Carolinas RDEWS

**May 14, 2002**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	0.00	42.06	15.79	42.15	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-09-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	41.48	15.76	42.76	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-14-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	34.03	22.75	43.22	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	0.00	0.00	0.00	59.73	40.27	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	86.90	13.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-17-2001</i>	0.00	76.68	19.63	3.69	0.00	0.00

*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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