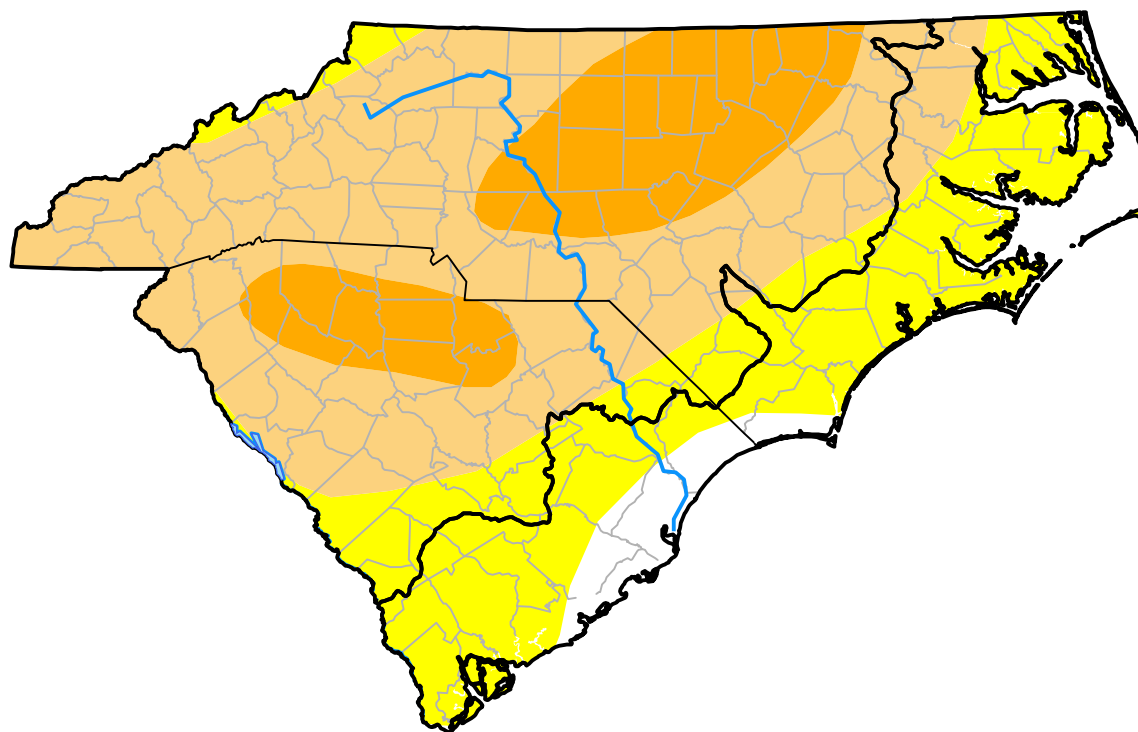


Carolinas RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	3.91	96.09	65.49	18.43	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-13-2006	9.44	90.56	53.04	12.77	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-19-2006	87.40	12.60	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2006	92.44	7.56	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2005	28.11	71.89	19.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 04-21-2005	100.00	0.00	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

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