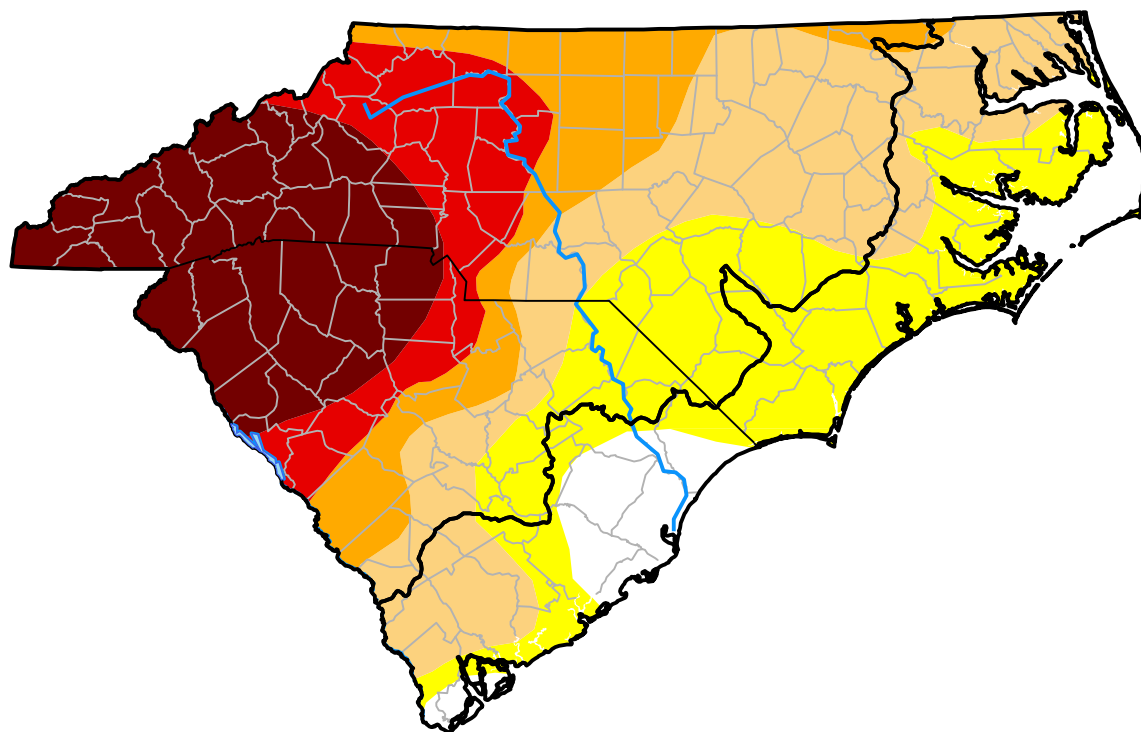


U.S. Drought Monitor

Coastal Carolinas RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	17.56	51.96	29.94	0.54	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-14-2008</i>	17.74	47.86	34.40	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2008</i>	40.98	53.29	5.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	1.88	6.41	26.15	44.68	20.88	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2007</i>	14.61	9.66	32.03	33.07	10.63	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-23-2007</i>	0.00	0.00	86.97	13.03	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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