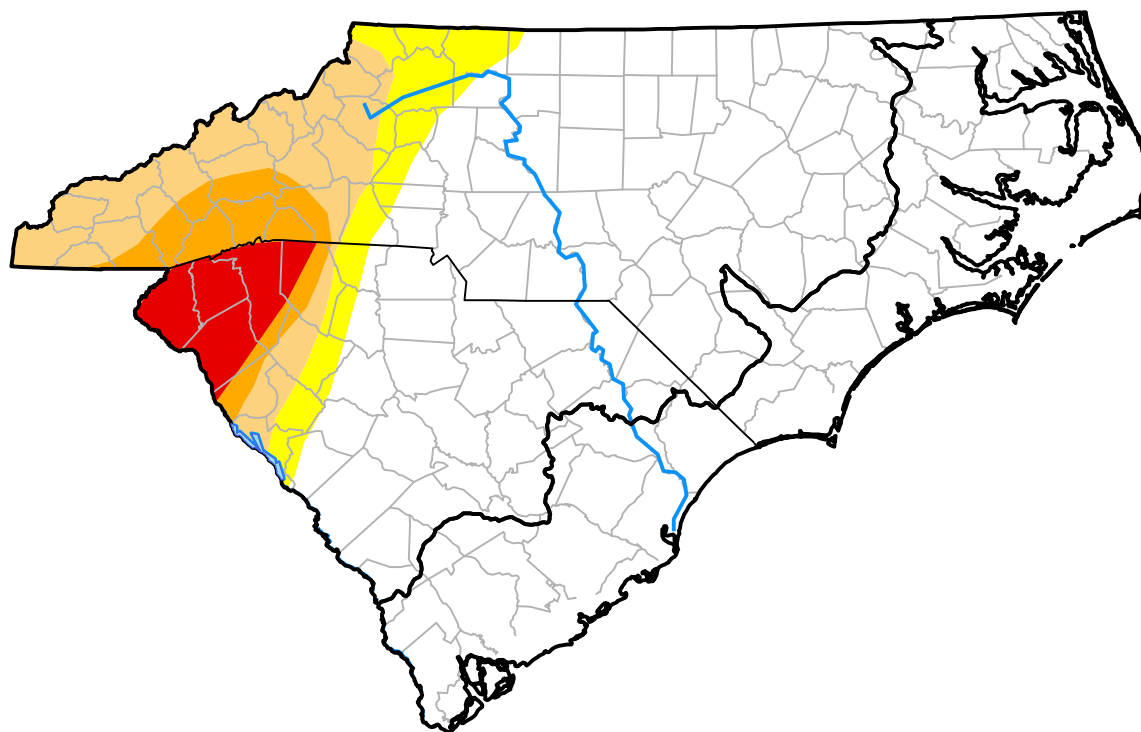


Carolinas RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	78.22	21.78	16.39	7.44	3.51	0.00
Last Week 01-08-2009	75.59	24.41	18.87	10.18	4.38	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-16-2008	36.28	63.72	48.22	26.72	17.10	4.59
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2009	75.59	24.41	18.87	10.18	4.43	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2008	35.46	64.54	48.13	26.60	16.97	6.66
One Year Ago 01-17-2008	0.00	100.00	98.20	90.96	67.47	35.80

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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