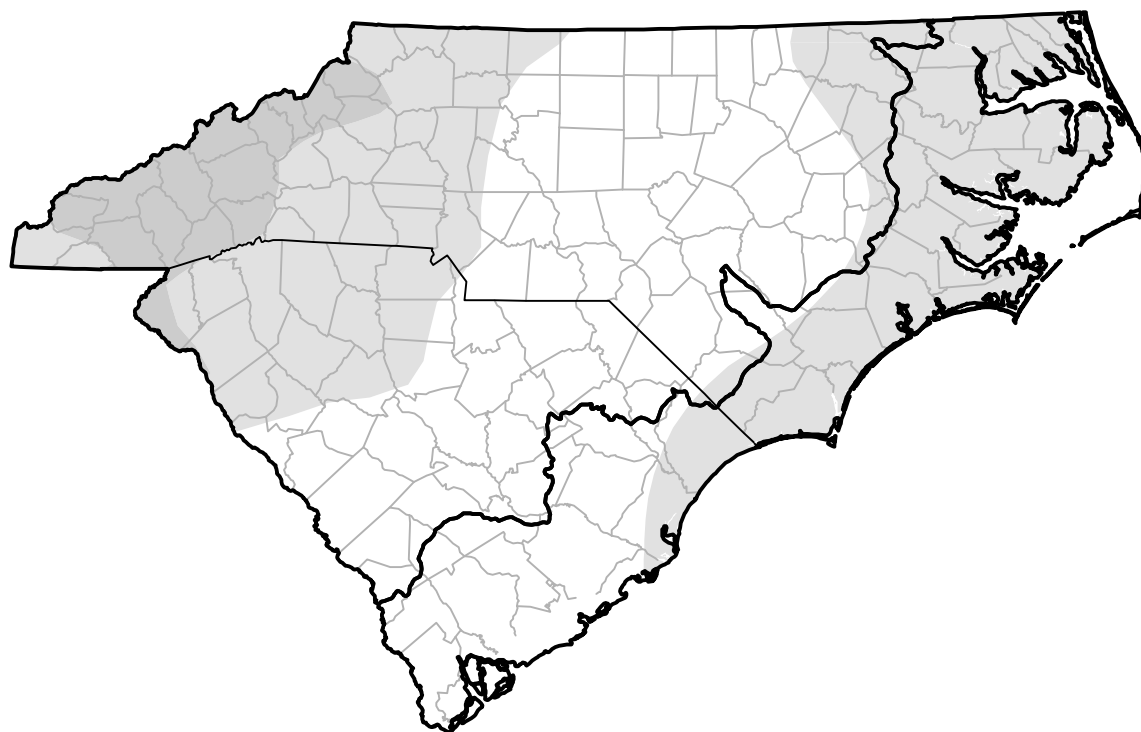


U.S. Drought Monitor

Coastal Carolinas RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	33.31	66.69	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-23-2009</i>	71.86	28.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-29-2009</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	37.75	62.25	35.43	6.95	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-01-2008</i>	35.71	64.29	5.73	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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