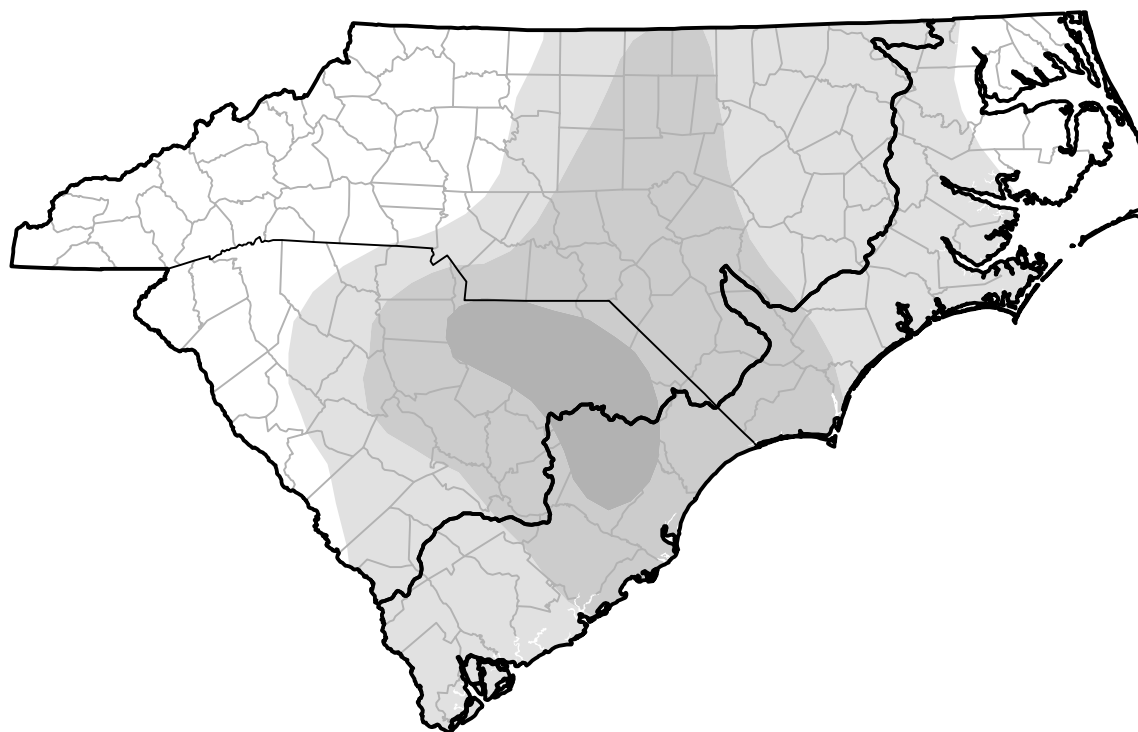


U.S. Drought Monitor

Coastal Carolinas RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	22.19	77.81	28.87	0.23	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-17-2009</i>	58.74	41.26	12.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-25-2009</i>	83.01	16.99	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>09-25-2008</i>	28.72	71.28	40.15	14.65	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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