

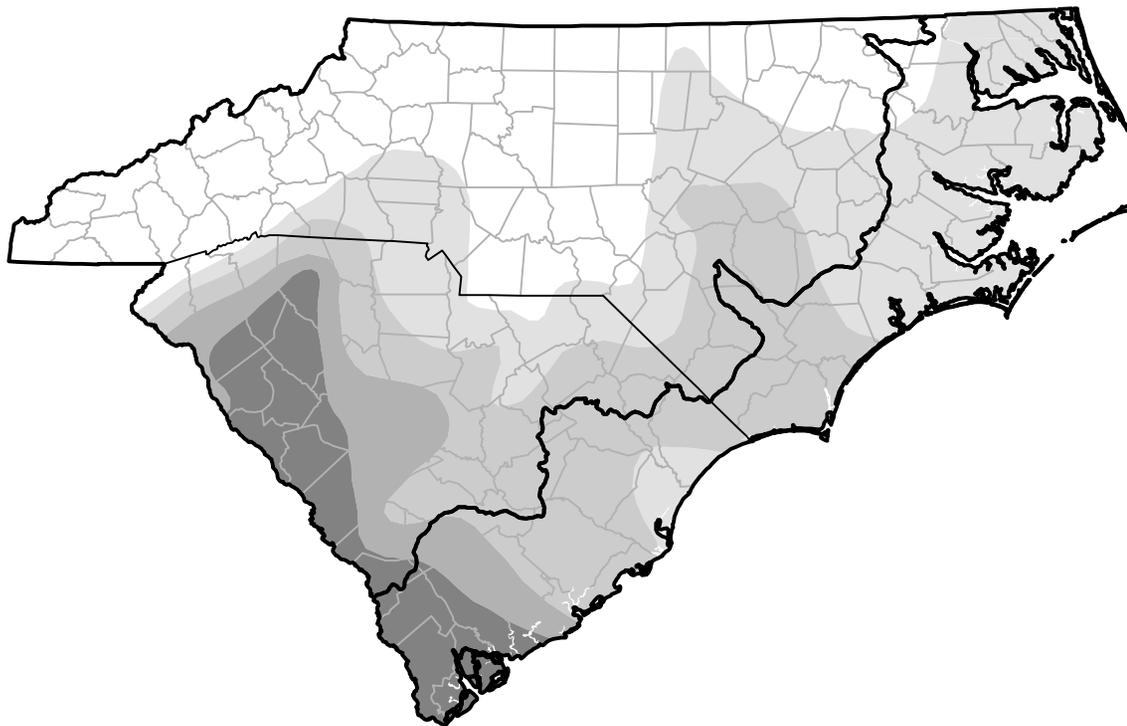
Carolinas RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	31.51	28.05	24.39	7.07	8.98	0.00
Last Week <i>12-15-2011</i>	31.51	31.73	20.71	7.07	8.98	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-22-2011</i>	27.70	17.00	33.79	9.99	11.52	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	28.48	43.31	28.21	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	35.11	27.52	16.96	8.89	11.52	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-23-2010</i>	24.13	49.06	26.68	0.13	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

-  None
-  D0 Abnormally Dry
-  D1 Moderate Drought
-  D2 Severe Drought
-  D3 Extreme 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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