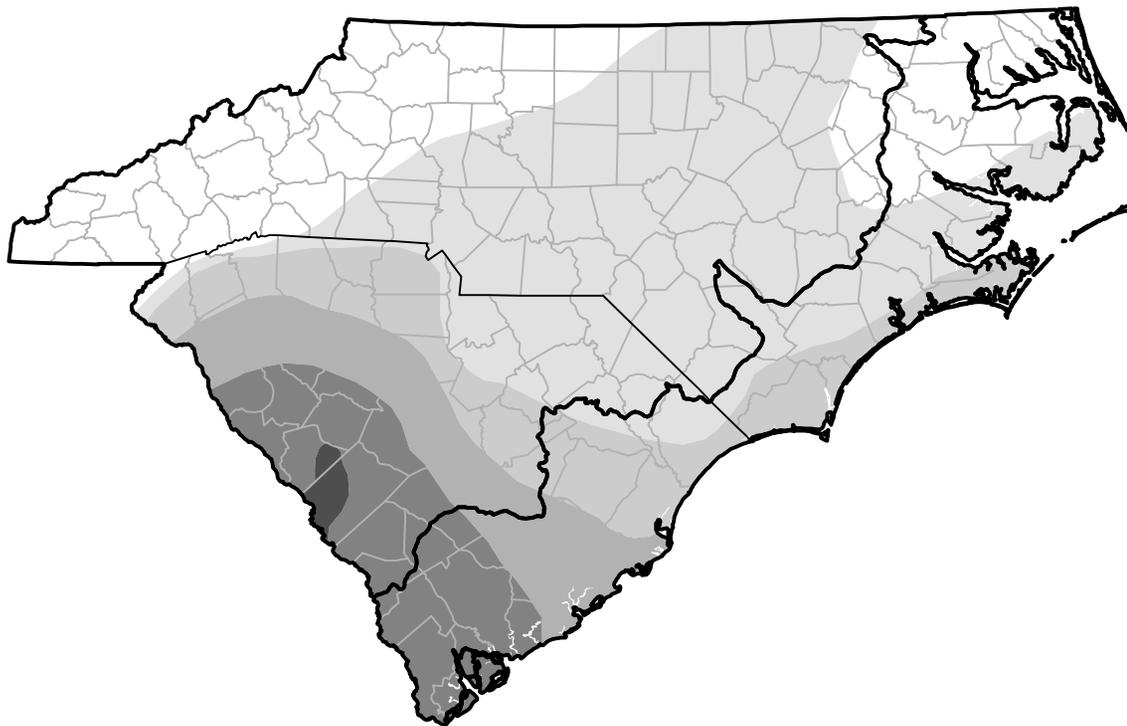


Carolinas RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 25.11 | 74.89 | 34.08 | 21.09 | 11.79 | 0.64 |
| Last Week <i>05-24-2012</i> | 20.87 | 79.13 | 34.61 | 21.36 | 11.79 | 0.64 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>03-01-2012</i> | 7.96 | 92.04 | 64.17 | 27.53 | 11.90 | 4.68 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i> | 33.03 | 66.97 | 49.46 | 16.04 | 8.98 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i> | 35.11 | 64.89 | 37.37 | 20.41 | 11.52 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>06-02-2011</i> | 24.87 | 75.13 | 33.20 | 9.39 | 0.11 | 0.00 |



Intensity:



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