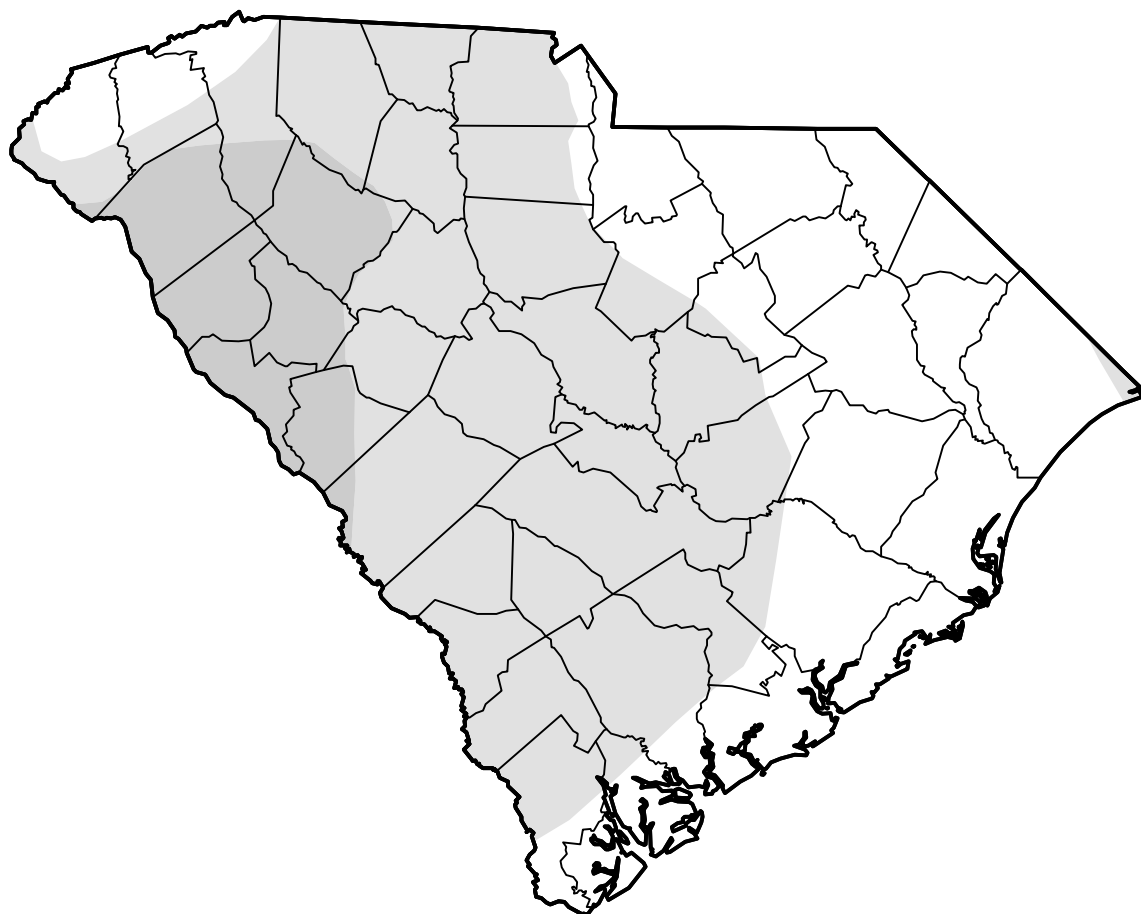


# U.S. Drought Monitor South Carolina

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 39.33 | 49.12 | 11.55 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-30-2012</i>              | 31.22 | 40.56 | 25.98 | 2.24  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-07-2012</i>           | 15.45 | 21.76 | 24.38 | 29.18 | 9.24  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2012</i> | 2.37  | 12.13 | 43.89 | 18.31 | 23.30 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2011</i>    | 0.00  | 25.96 | 21.71 | 22.43 | 29.90 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-08-2011</i>           | 7.61  | 31.09 | 20.18 | 32.25 | 8.87  | 0.00 |

**Intensity:**



*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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