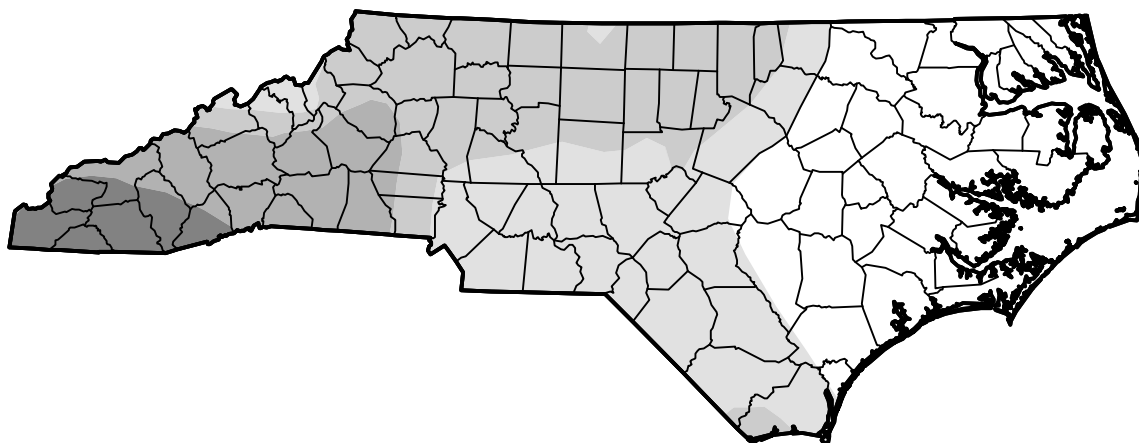


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	33.63	27.56	23.90	10.18	4.74	0.00
Last Week <i>03-16-2017</i>	34.09	26.73	23.41	11.03	4.74	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-22-2016</i>	37.95	28.72	20.68	8.20	4.45	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	57.09	16.01	14.49	10.84	1.57	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	66.16	16.33	16.58	0.93	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-24-2016</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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