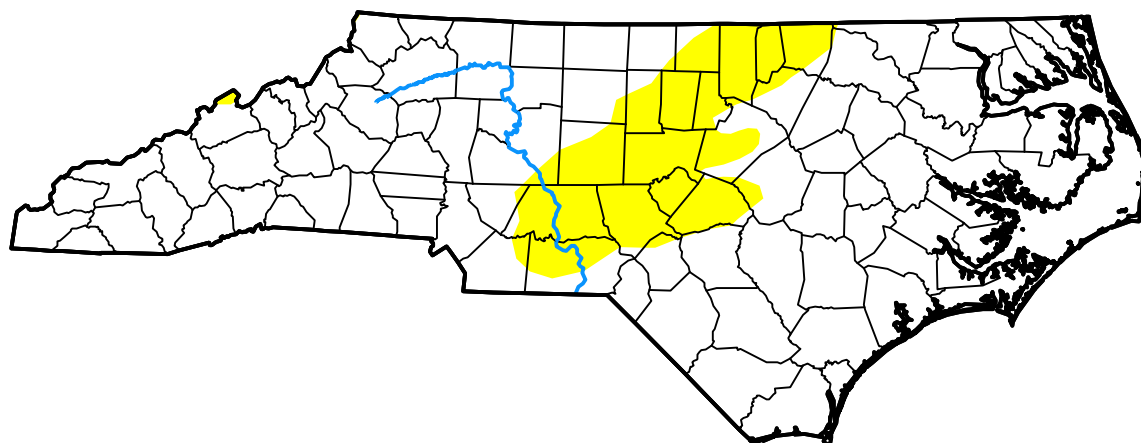


# U.S. Drought Monitor North Carolina

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 84.27  | 15.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-21-2017</i>              | 84.36  | 15.64 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-29-2017</i>           | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2017</i> | 57.09  | 42.91 | 26.90 | 12.41 | 1.57  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>    | 66.16  | 33.84 | 17.51 | 0.93  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-29-2016</i>           | 66.16  | 33.84 | 17.51 | 0.93  | 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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