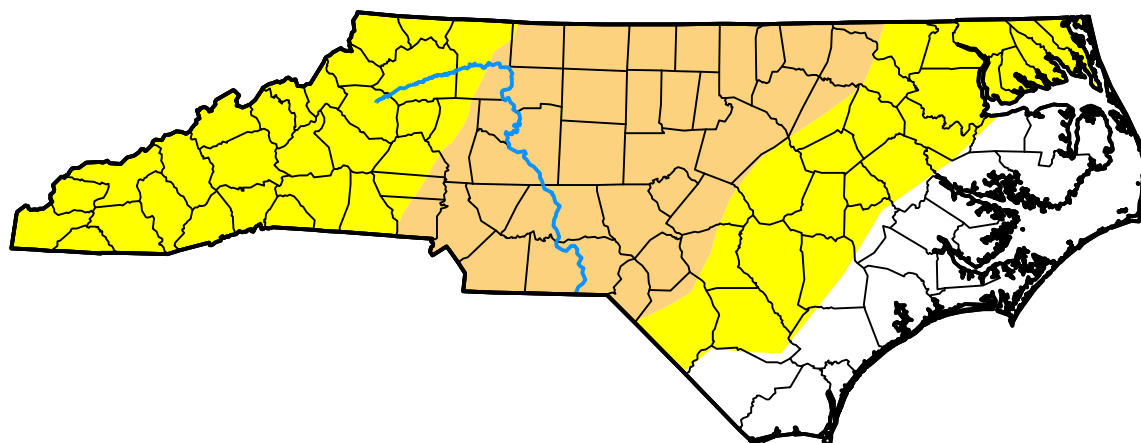


# U.S. Drought Monitor North Carolina

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                        | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--------------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                         | 17.91 | 46.75 | 35.34 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-04-2018</i>                  | 15.67 | 48.99 | 35.34 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-12-2017</i>               | 57.54 | 31.90 | 10.57 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2018</i> | 15.67 | 48.99 | 35.34 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 84.27 | 15.73 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-12-2017</i>               | 59.00 | 14.10 | 14.49 | 10.84 | 1.57 | 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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