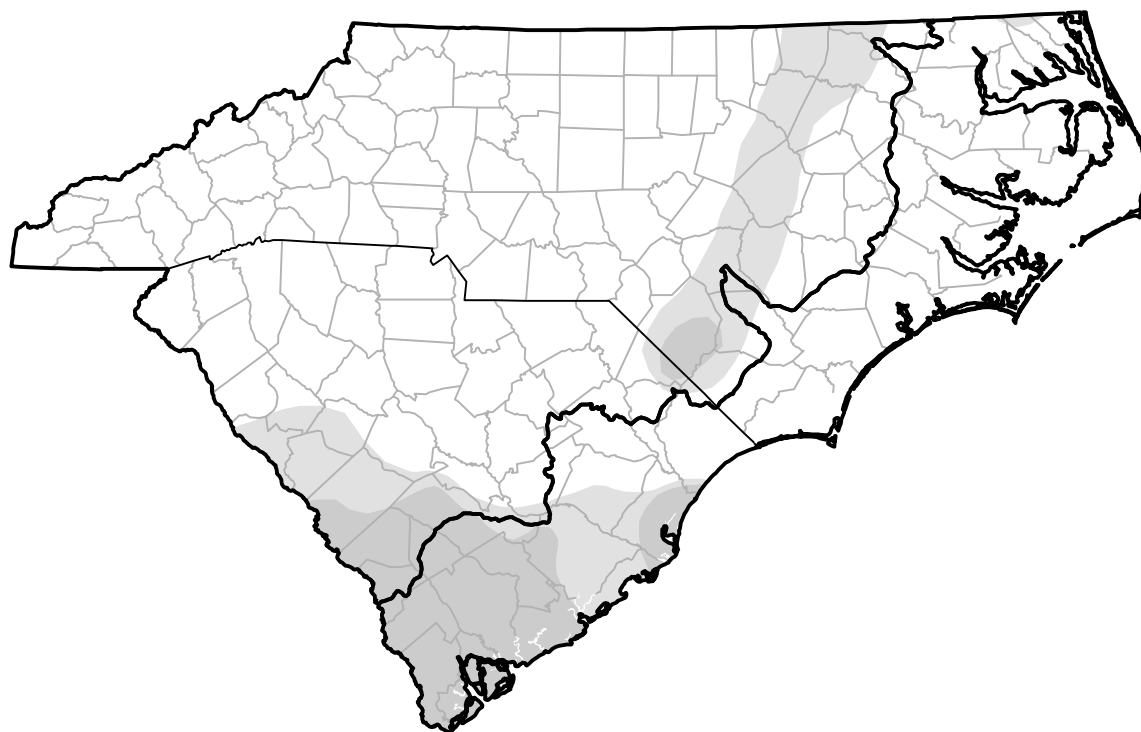


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Coastal Carolinas RDEWS



**May 1, 2018**

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 63.79  | 10.17 | 26.03 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>04-26-2018</i>              | 58.57  | 6.05  | 32.53 | 2.85 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-01-2018</i>           | 84.87  | 15.13 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2018</i> | 30.48  | 69.48 | 0.04  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-04-2017</i>           | 61.91  | 25.50 | 12.59 | 0.00 | 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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