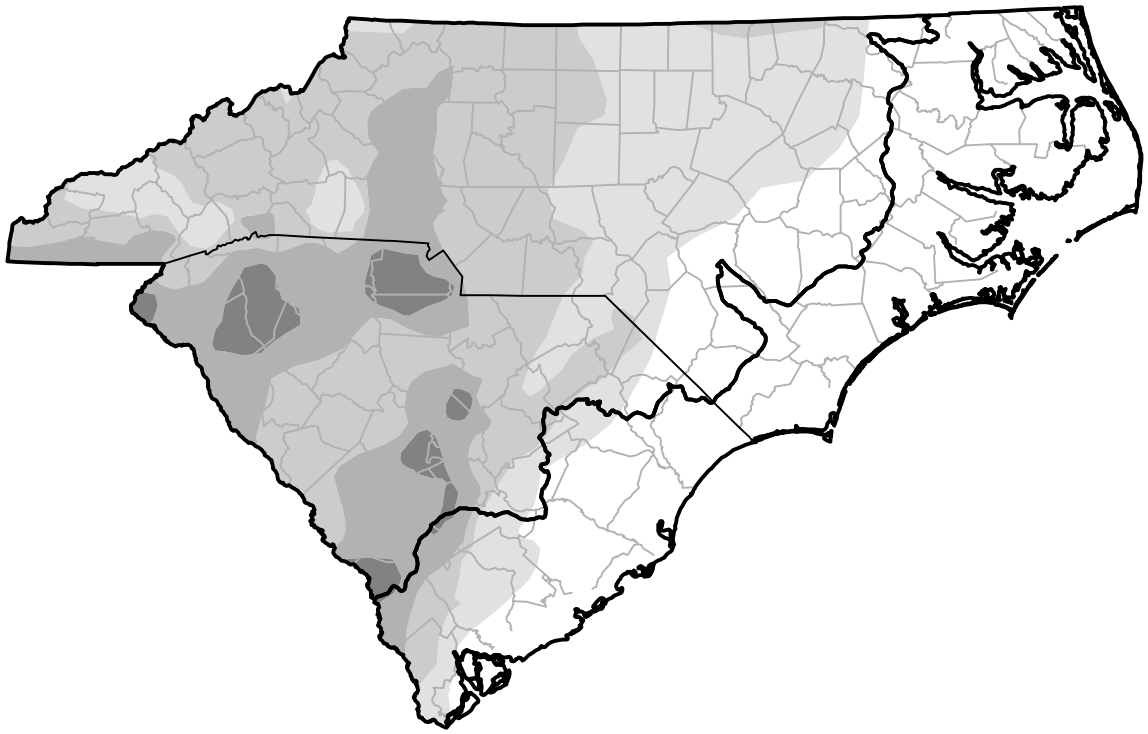
*U.S. Drought Monitor*

# Carolinas RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

**October 22, 2019**

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| **Current** | 32.29 | 21.71 | 28.37 | 14.30 | 3.33 | 0.00 |
| **Last Week** *10-17-2019* | 22.54 | 16.35 | 40.43 | 17.36 | 3.33 | 0.00 |
| **3 Months Ago** *07-25-2019* | 60.82 | 32.63 | 6.54 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| **Start of Calendar Year** *01-03-2019* | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| **Start of Water Year** *10-03-2019* | 31.66 | 23.96 | 33.79 | 9.91 | 0.68 | 0.00 |
| **One Year Ago** *10-25-2018* | 92.79 | 6.42 | 0.79 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

*Intensity:*

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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