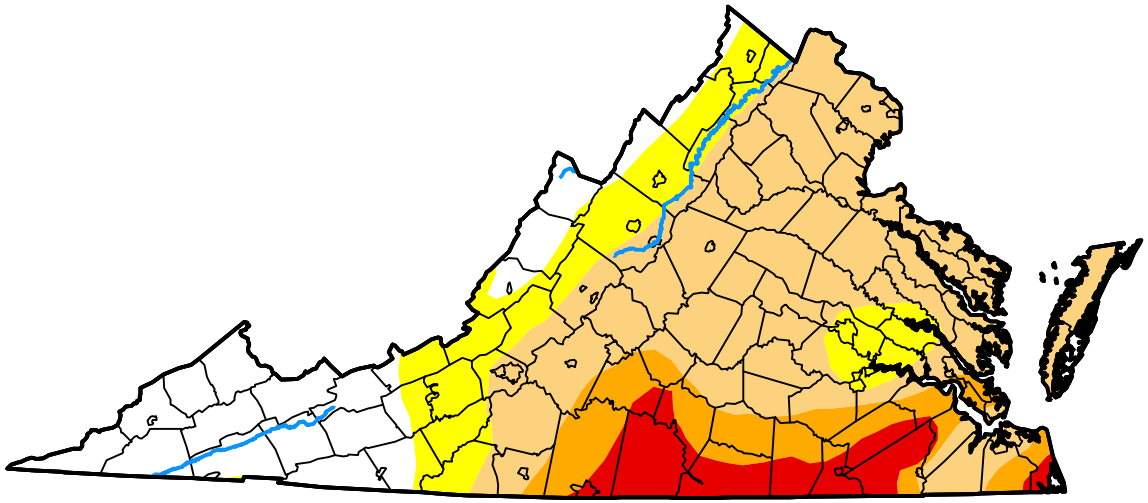
U.S. Drought Monitor

Virginia



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	18.90	81.10	64.12	18.60	8.13	0.00
Last Week *11-10-2026*	27.06	72.94	28.08	13.94	2.32	0.00
3 Months Ago *08-18-2026*	19.94	80.06	34.70	12.50	0.28	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	2.33	97.67	71.76	42.29	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	38.91	61.09	32.15	14.71	3.79	0.00
One Year Ago *11-18-2025*	22.01	77.99	52.62	12.24	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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