

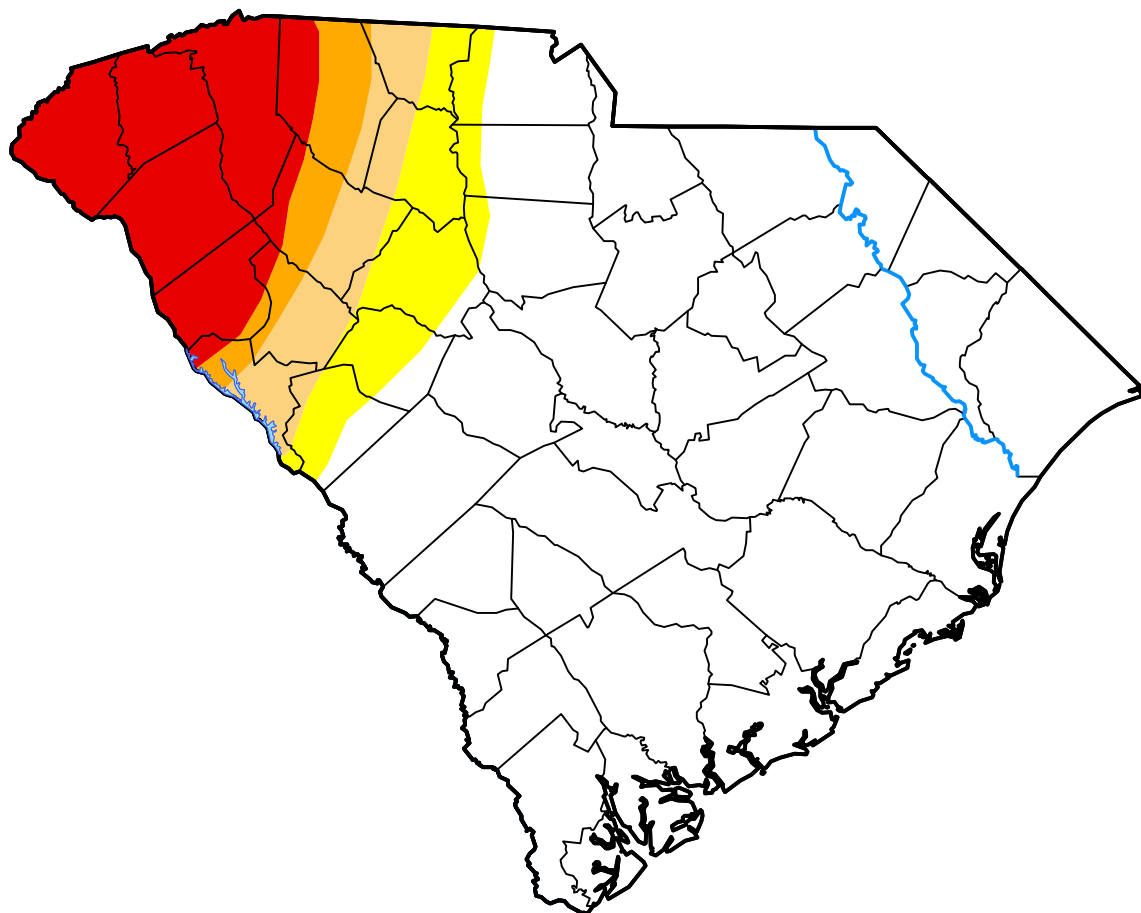
# U.S. Drought Monitor South Carolina

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	73.79	26.21	19.64	14.89	11.89	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-11-2008</i>	61.62	38.38	29.83	25.07	18.79	11.83
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-18-2008</i>	28.40	71.60	59.95	37.62	26.42	13.86
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	1.01	98.99	95.33	76.54	41.93	19.47
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	27.91	72.09	51.30	36.35	26.72	17.24
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-20-2007</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	89.80	70.46	45.86



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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