

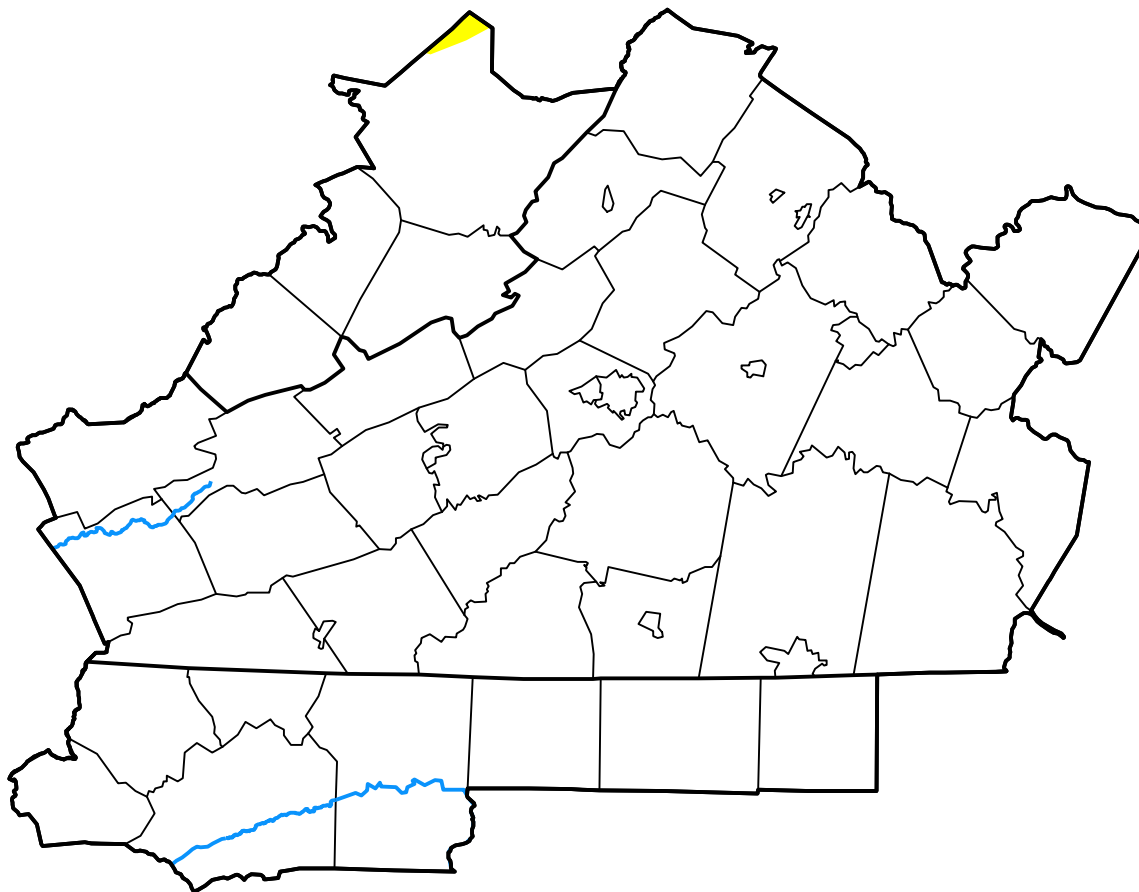
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Blacksburg, VA WFO

**October 20, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Oct. 22, 2015)  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	99.85	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-15-2015</i>	99.85	0.15	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-23-2015</i>	89.87	10.13	5.91	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2014</i>	79.58	20.42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	86.66	13.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-23-2014</i>	84.78	15.22	0.00	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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