

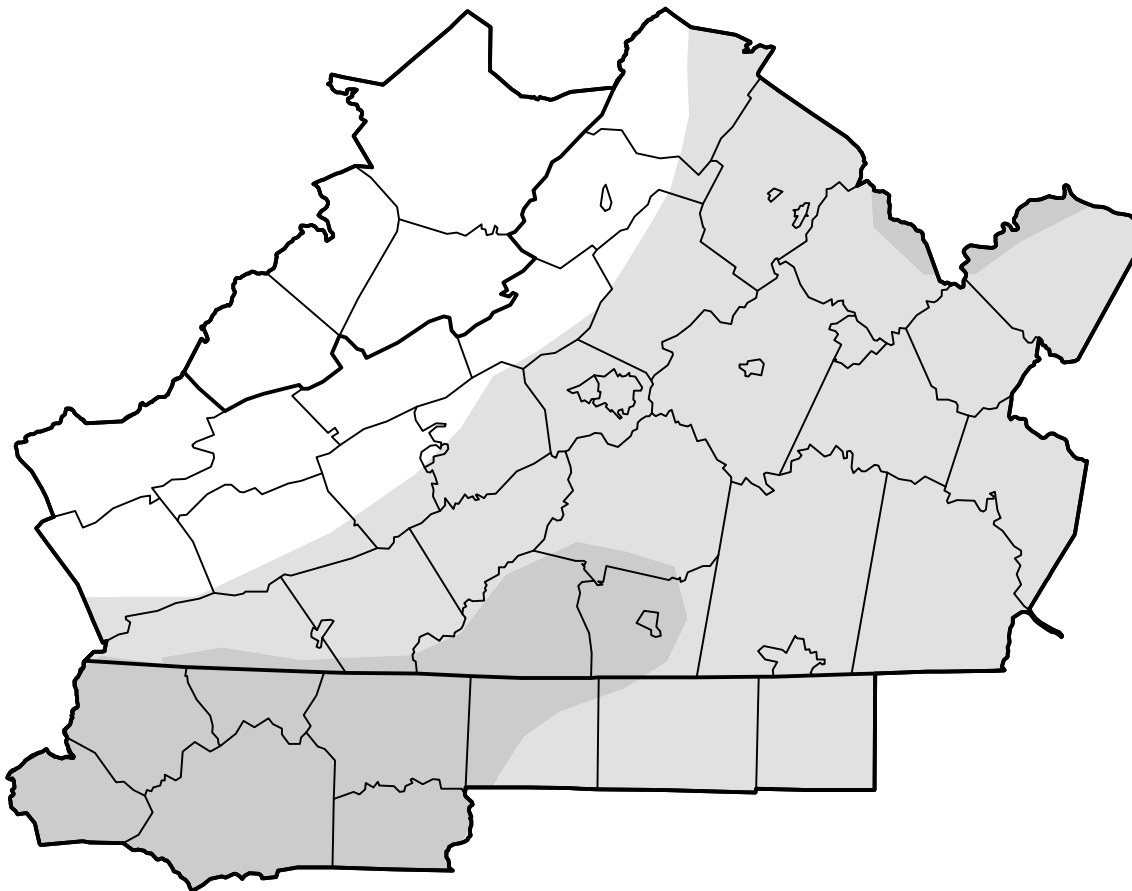
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Blacksburg, VA WFO

**February 28, 2017**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	28.12	52.00	19.88	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-23-2017</i>	36.36	62.84	0.80	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-01-2016</i>	5.09	58.25	35.22	1.44	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	16.54	51.28	32.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	0.97	97.47	1.57	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-03-2016</i>	100.00	0.00	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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