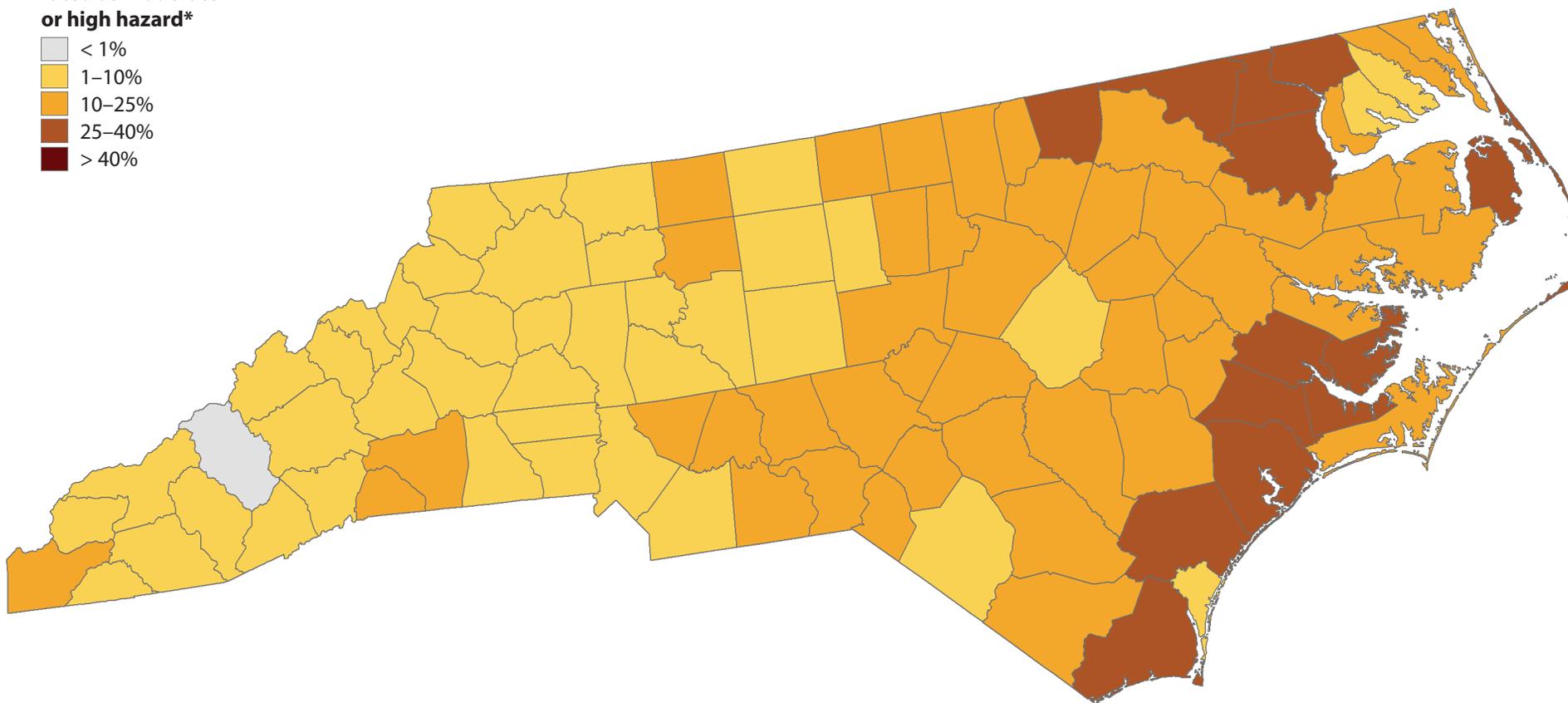
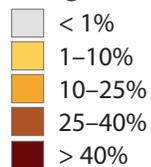




SOUTHERN PINE BEETLE COUNTY HAZARD RATING FOR North Carolina

Percent of county
rated as moderate
or high hazard*



*Hazard rating based on the US Forest Service 2012 National Insect and Disease Risk Map (NIDRM) over a 15 year period, 2013 – 2027.

-Moderate hazard = Areas projected to lose 11 to 24% of host basal area to SPB

-High hazard = Areas projected to lose 25% or more of host basal area to SPB