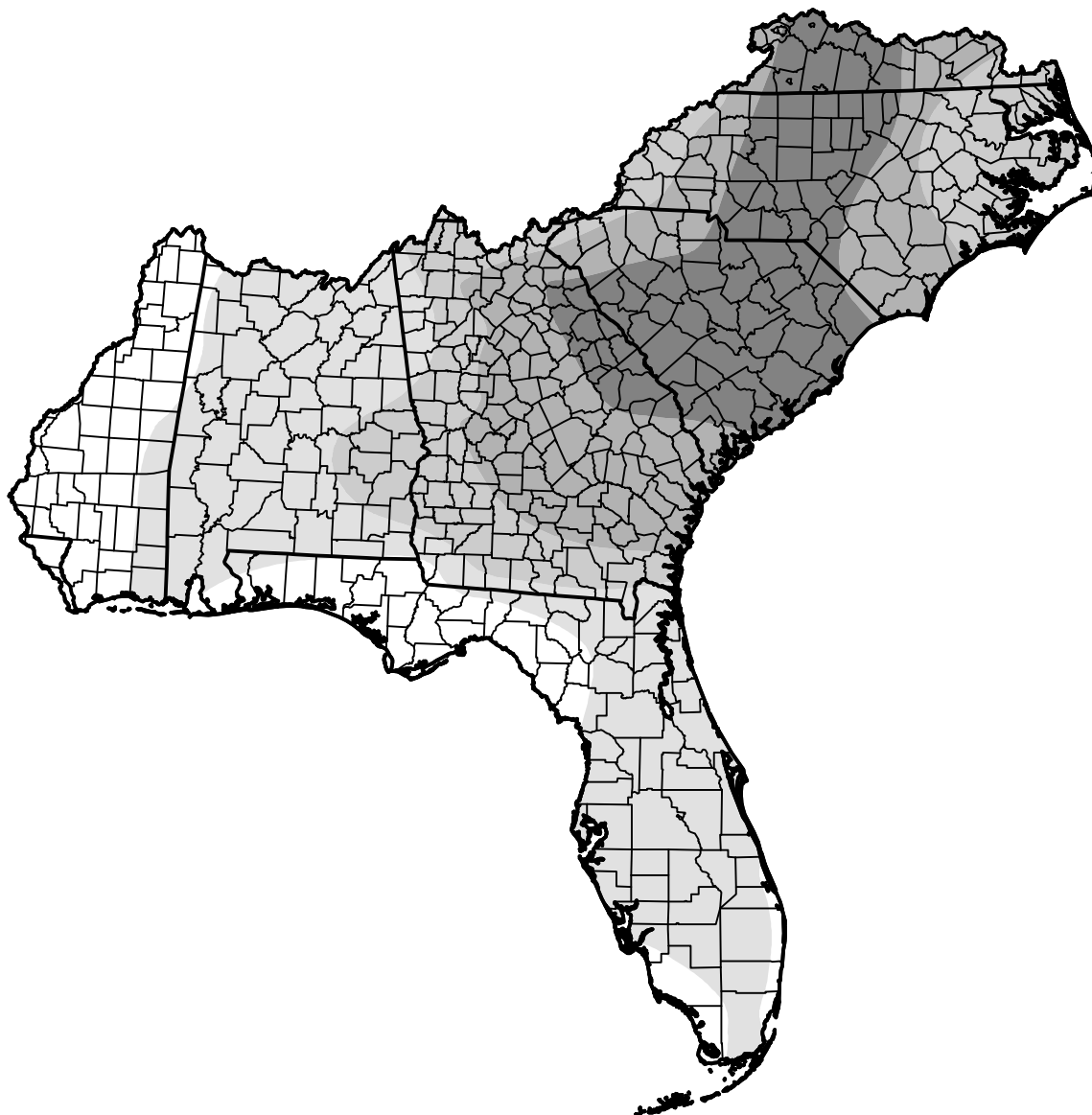


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	15.66	31.40	15.48	19.19	18.27	0.00
Last Week <i>04-25-2002</i>	28.83	23.34	14.49	19.93	13.40	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-31-2002</i>	35.27	13.64	18.11	22.47	10.51	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	28.26	17.42	8.80	32.26	13.27	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	73.90	24.22	1.88	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-03-2001</i>	35.52	15.80	23.97	10.69	11.02	3.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate 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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