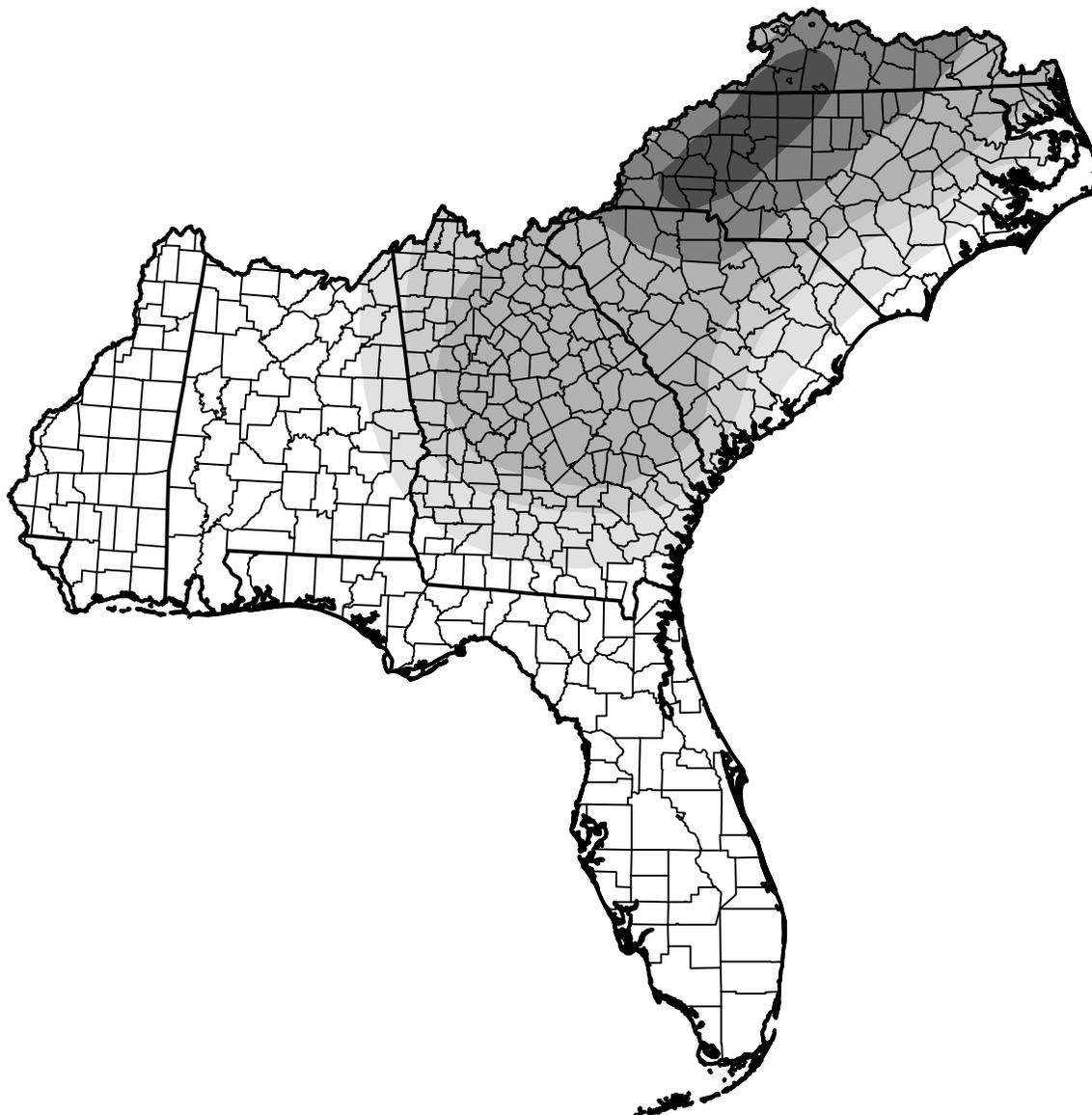


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.99	50.01	39.22	31.23	10.82	3.29
Last Week <i>09-26-2002</i>	39.30	60.70	45.87	30.55	9.60	2.31
3 Months Ago <i>07-03-2002</i>	21.80	78.20	69.16	49.85	26.50	4.72
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	28.26	71.74	54.32	45.53	13.27	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	49.99	50.01	39.22	31.23	10.82	3.29
One Year Ago <i>10-04-2001</i>	69.97	30.03	5.60	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



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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