

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Alabama



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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 99.98 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-05-2002</i>              | 99.98 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>09-12-2002</i>           | 1.72  | 38.98 | 41.85 | 17.16 | 0.27 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2002</i> | 69.61 | 22.98 | 5.69  | 1.70  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 87.34 | 12.63 | 0.01  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-13-2001</i>           | 80.62 | 17.31 | 2.04  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### 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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