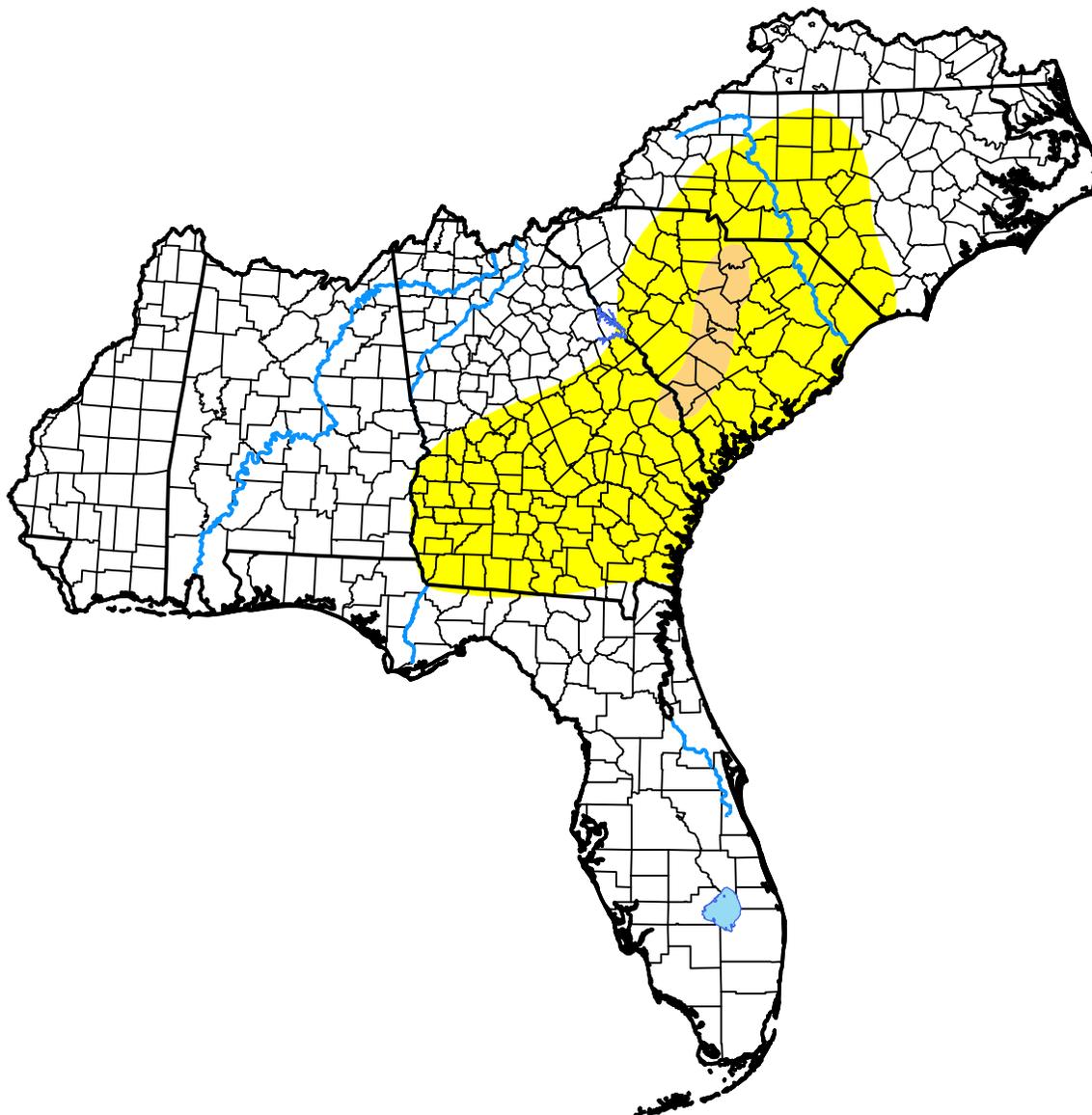


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

**February 18, 2003**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	71.07	27.01	1.92	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-13-2003</i>	70.52	27.61	1.86	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-21-2002</i>	65.67	20.33	13.99	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2003</i>	80.52	19.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	49.99	10.78	8.00	20.41	7.53	3.29
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-21-2002</i>	27.22	22.29	16.07	21.65	12.77	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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