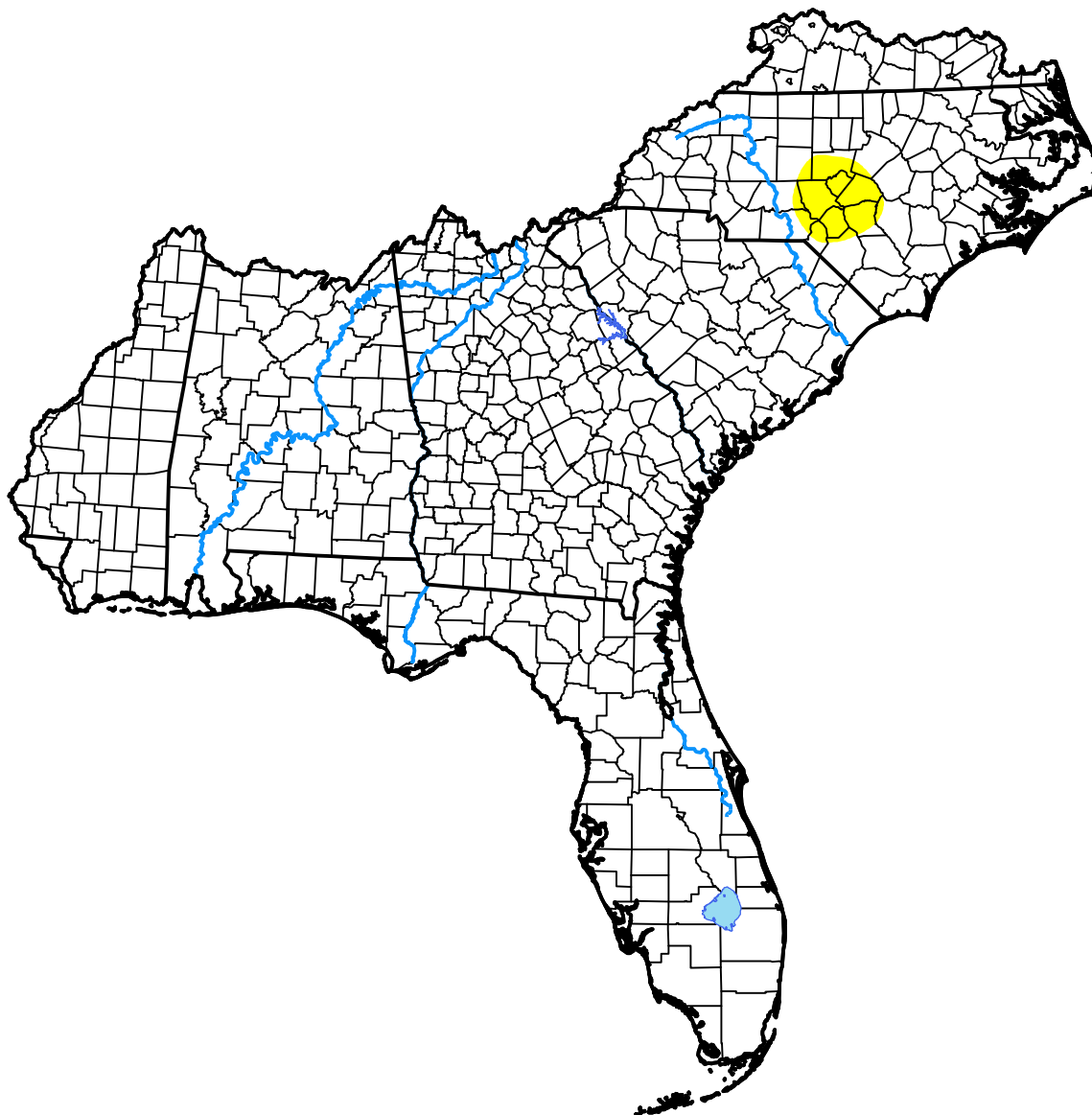


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	98.50	1.50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-20-2003</i>	86.09	13.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-26-2002</i>	70.79	29.21	1.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	80.52	19.48	0.00	0.00	0.00	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>03-28-2002</i>	22.08	77.92	54.70	47.42	16.96	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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