

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



**August 26, 2003**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None   | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-21-2003</i>              | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-29-2003</i>           | 98.88  | 1.12  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2003</i> | 80.52  | 19.48 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2002</i>    | 49.99  | 50.01 | 39.22 | 31.23 | 10.82 | 3.29  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-29-2002</i>           | 37.39  | 62.61 | 52.79 | 44.21 | 29.28 | 14.12 |

### 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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