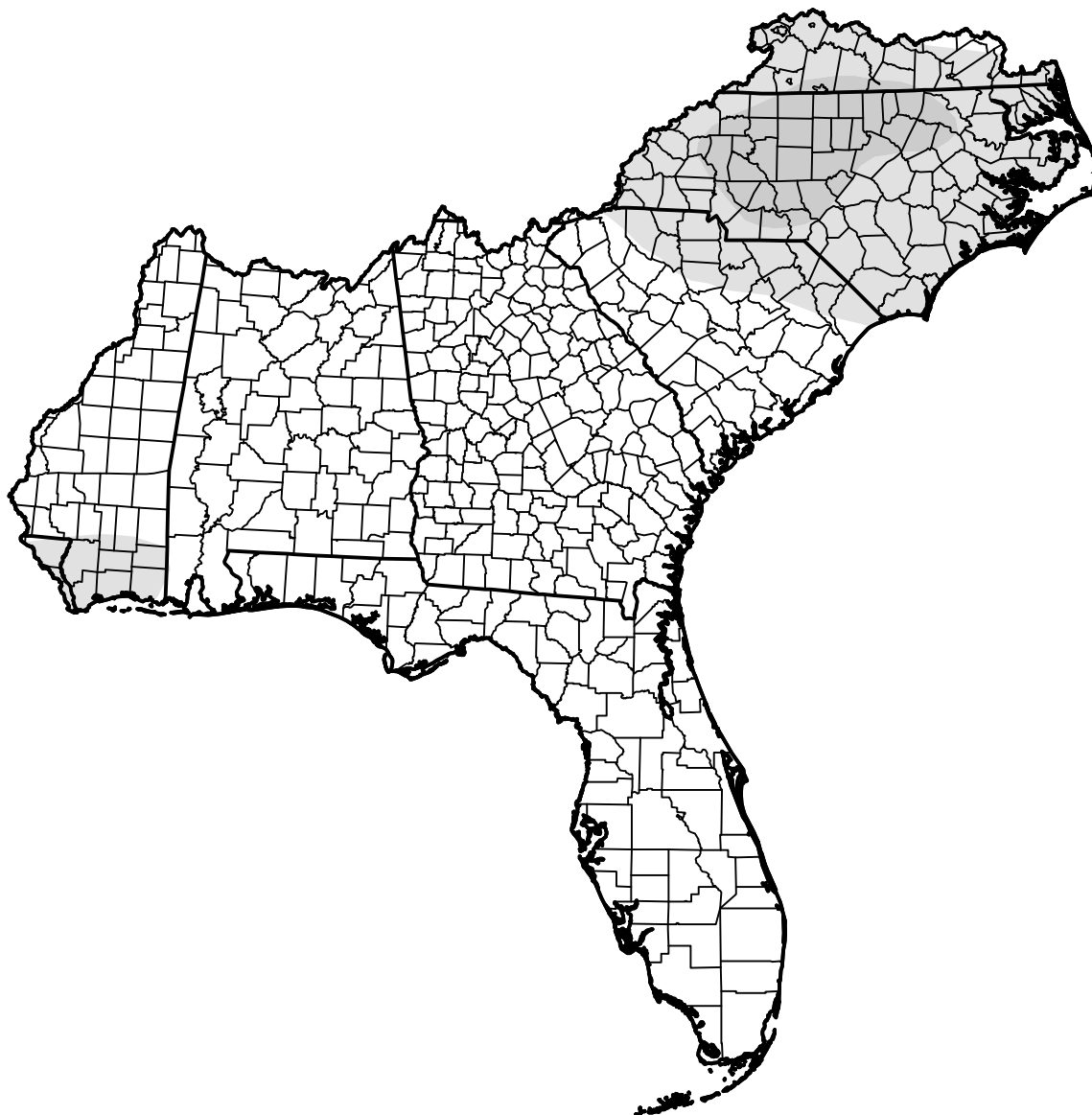


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	75.26	18.86	5.88	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 02-23-2006	85.85	10.40	3.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 12-01-2005	82.44	14.61	2.17	0.79	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2006	97.74	2.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2005	68.91	22.50	8.59	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 03-03-2005	93.87	6.13	0.00	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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