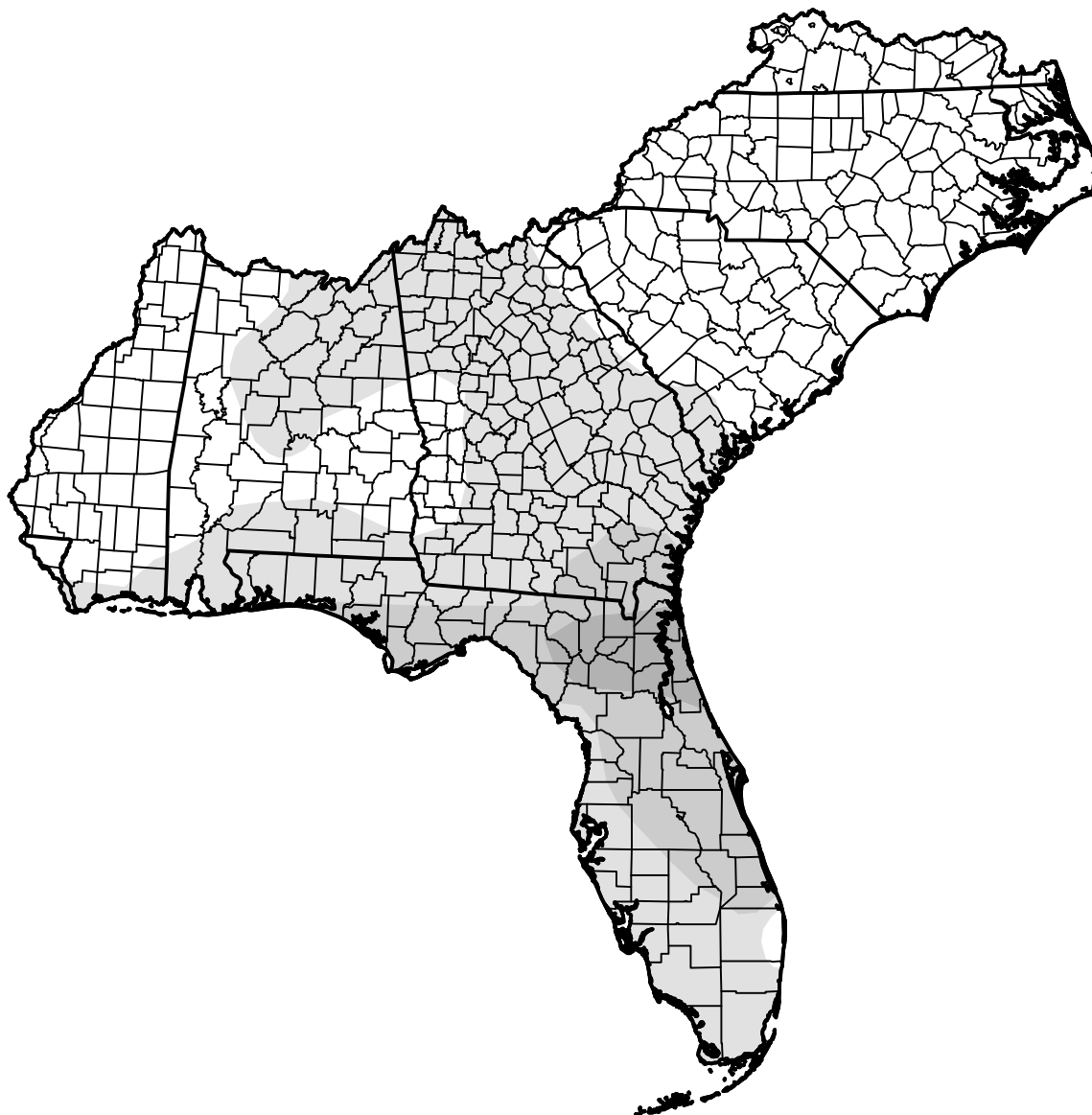


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.49	49.51	13.29	2.51	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-14-2006</i>	60.47	39.53	10.83	1.77	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-21-2006</i>	43.69	56.31	32.23	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	97.74	2.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	44.19	55.81	27.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-22-2005</i>	96.28	3.72	0.53	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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