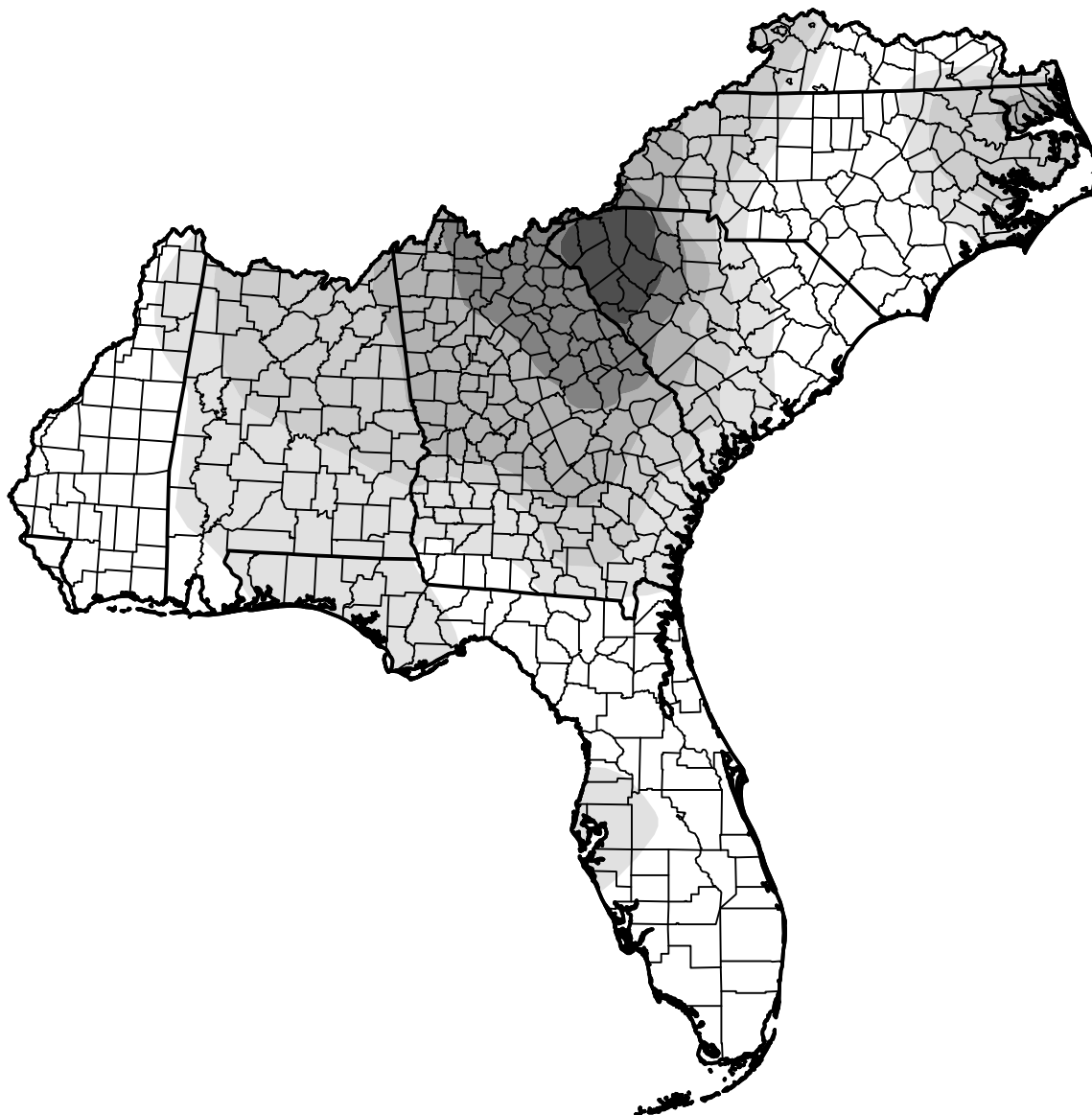


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	39.21	23.99	17.69	11.10	6.01	2.00
Last Week <i>10-02-2008</i>	39.21	23.99	17.69	11.10	6.01	2.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-10-2008</i>	11.18	34.71	24.42	19.09	8.08	2.54
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	10.15	20.48	14.07	17.19	19.08	19.03
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	39.21	23.99	17.69	11.10	6.01	2.00
One Year Ago <i>10-11-2007</i>	14.39	10.64	14.32	16.94	19.75	23.97

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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