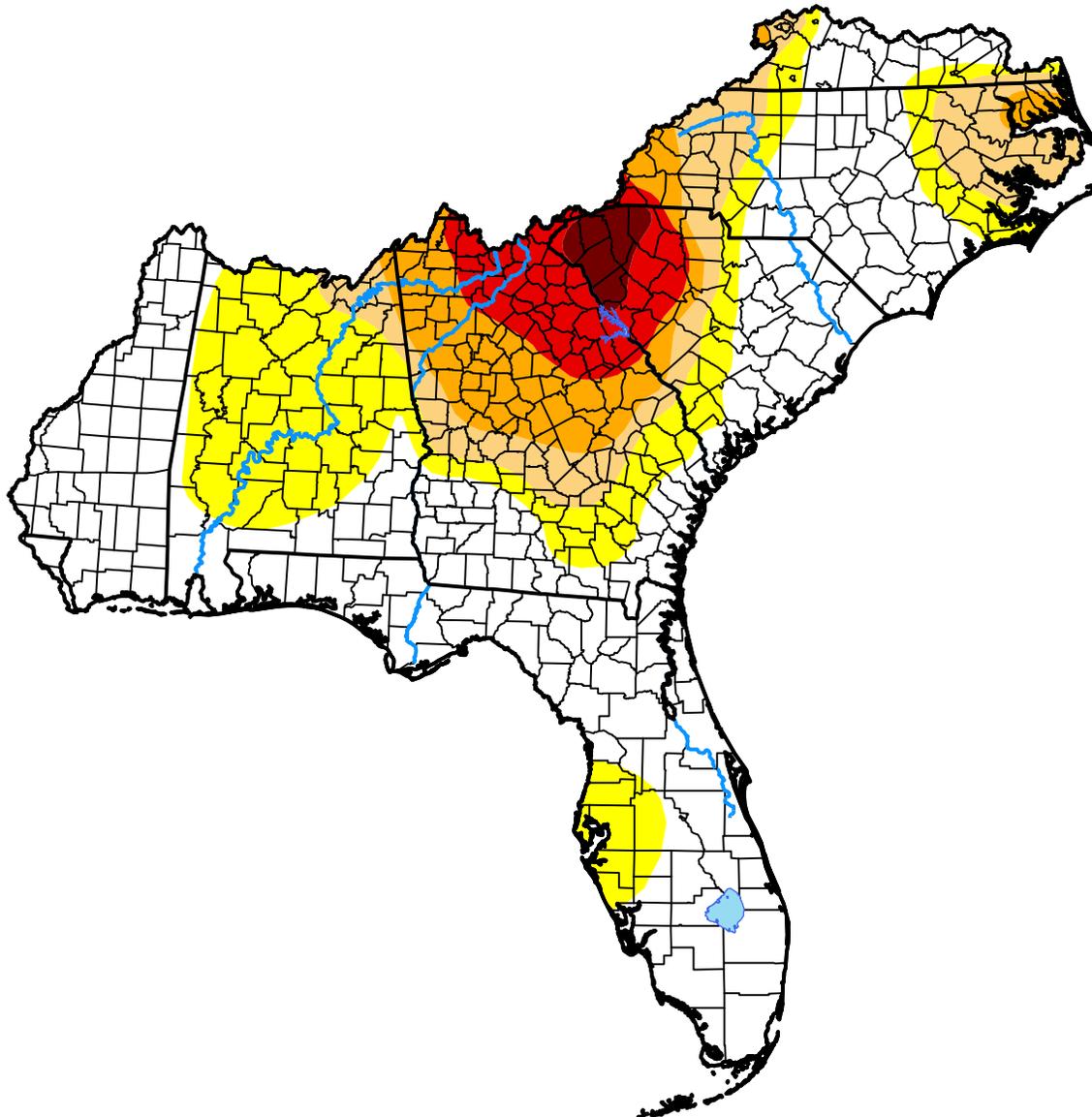


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.78	46.22	25.21	15.27	7.15	1.37
Last Week <i>10-23-2008</i>	40.46	59.54	31.00	18.80	8.01	1.38
3 Months Ago <i>07-31-2008</i>	18.82	81.18	57.38	31.70	10.74	5.32
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	10.15	89.85	69.37	55.30	38.11	19.03
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	39.21	60.79	36.79	19.11	8.01	2.00
One Year Ago <i>11-01-2007</i>	20.61	79.39	62.00	42.93	27.87	15.53

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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