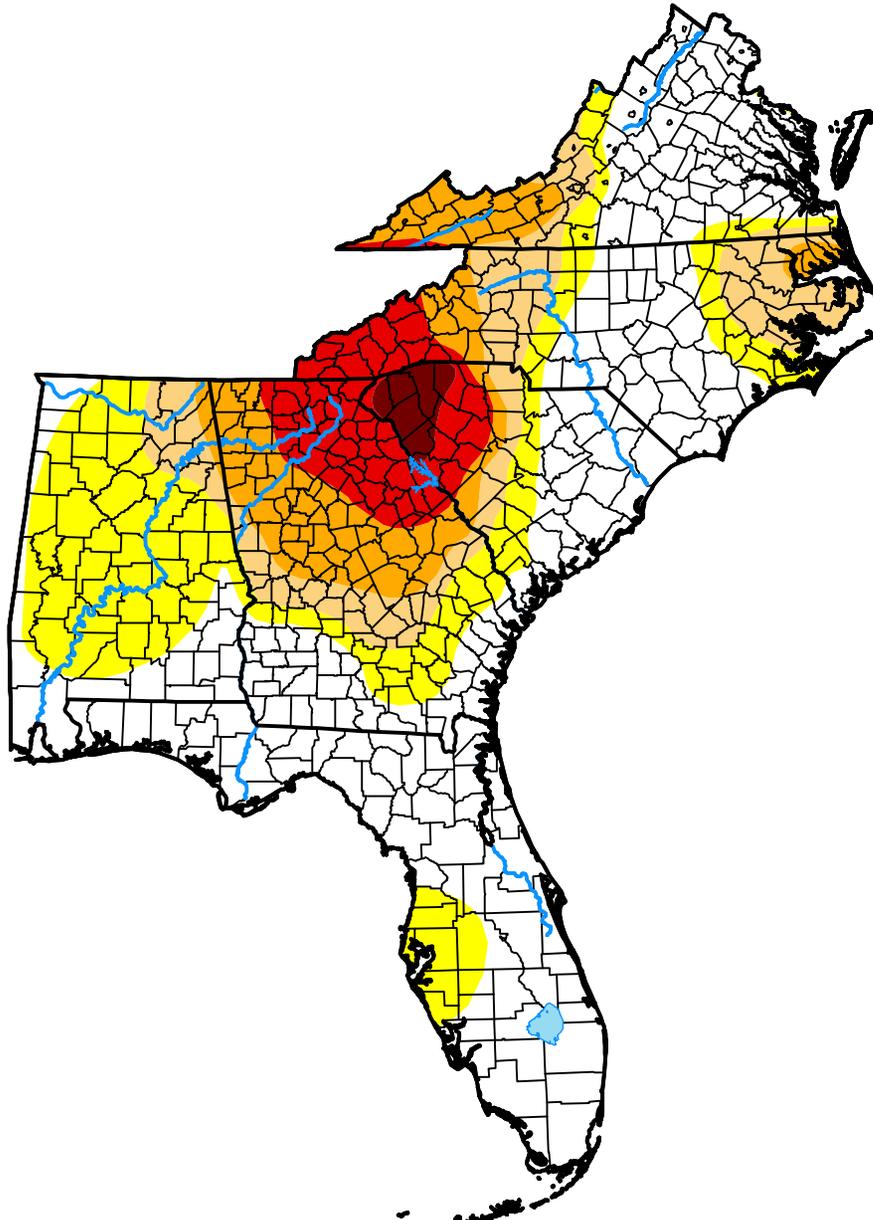


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southeast

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4    |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 48.79 | 51.21 | 30.03 | 19.13 | 8.83  | 1.28  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-21-2008</i>              | 35.38 | 64.62 | 35.51 | 22.56 | 9.63  | 1.29  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>07-29-2008</i>           | 22.95 | 77.05 | 58.72 | 34.37 | 12.23 | 6.29  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2008</i> | 9.58  | 90.42 | 74.29 | 58.50 | 40.98 | 22.01 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2008</i>    | 35.14 | 64.86 | 41.78 | 20.82 | 9.39  | 1.87  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-30-2007</i>           | 14.77 | 85.23 | 66.73 | 46.35 | 31.29 | 18.54 |

Intensity:



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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