

U.S. Drought Monitor

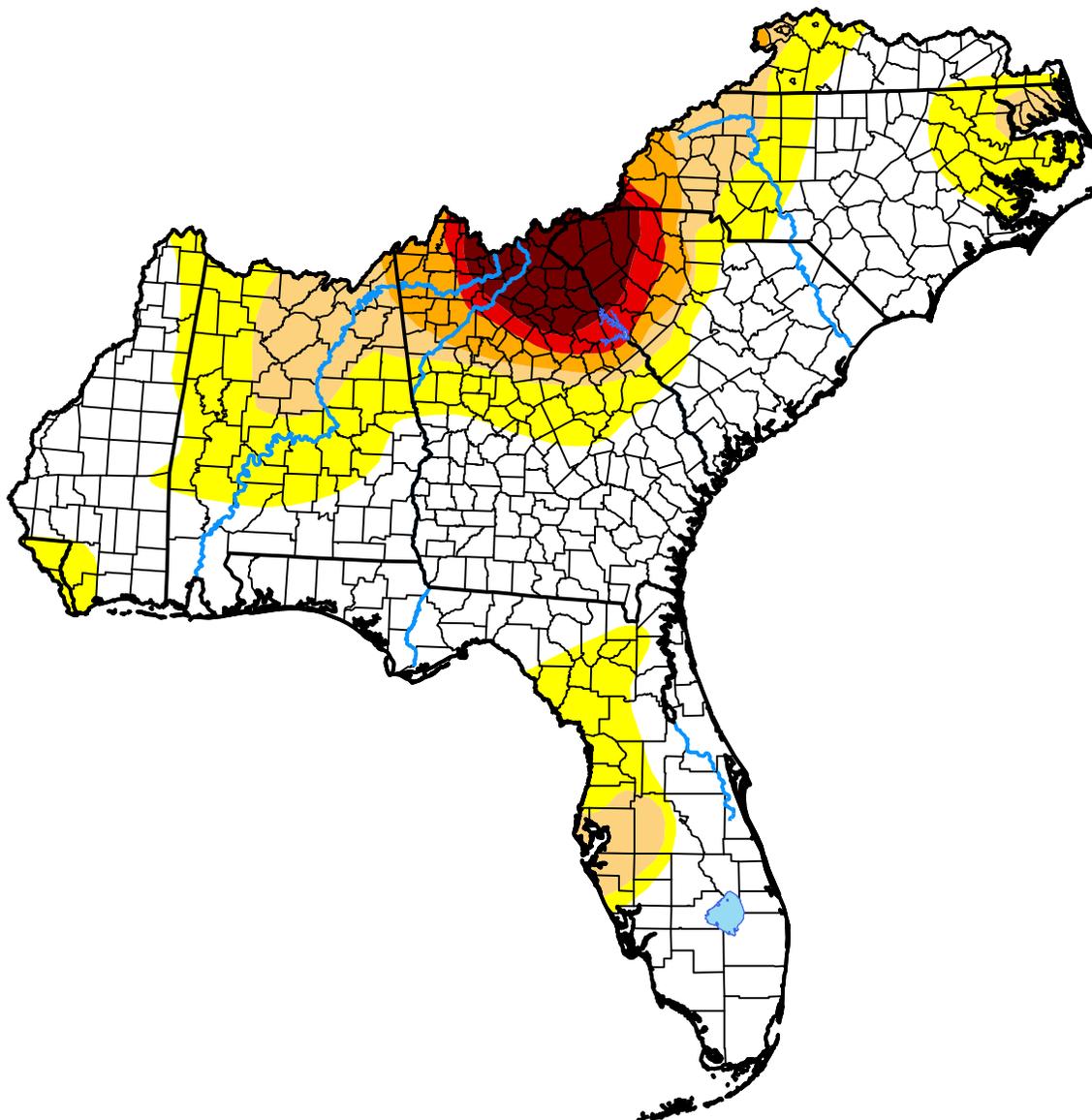
South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	57.38	23.17	9.61	4.08	2.12	3.65
Last Week <i>12-04-2008</i>	49.51	27.16	12.47	4.05	2.86	3.95
3 Months Ago <i>09-11-2008</i>	48.12	22.18	12.99	10.91	4.20	1.60
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>12-13-2007</i>	10.43	15.68	14.07	14.27	11.67	33.88



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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