

# U.S. Drought Monitor

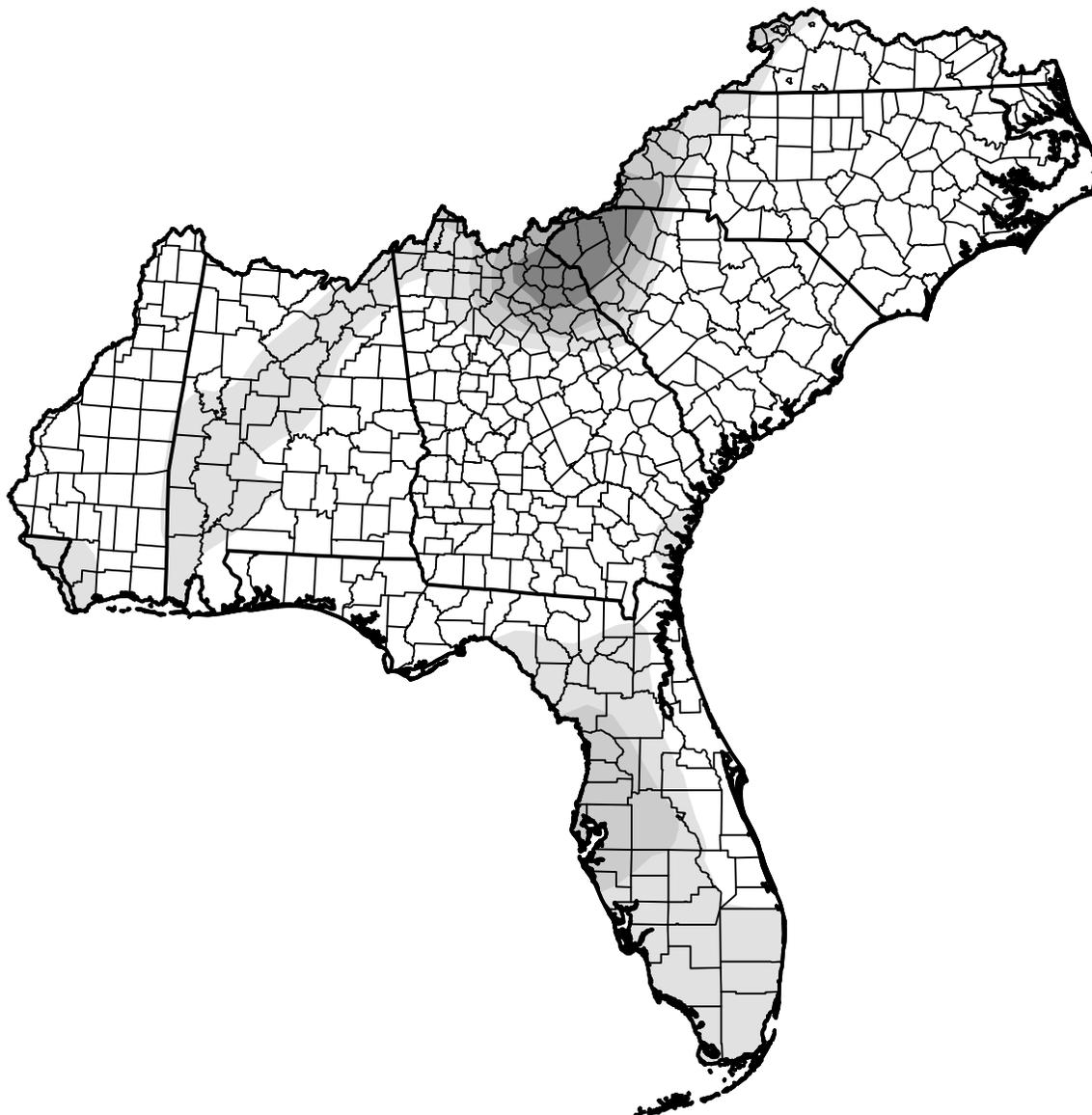
## South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

January 20, 2009  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	71.07	28.93	8.51	3.84	1.82	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-15-2009</i>	71.07	28.93	8.29	3.49	1.82	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-23-2008</i>	40.46	59.54	31.00	18.80	8.01	1.38
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	76.38	23.62	10.21	4.43	3.14	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	39.21	60.79	36.79	19.11	8.01	2.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-24-2008</i>	9.56	90.44	68.58	51.06	34.74	18.97



**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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