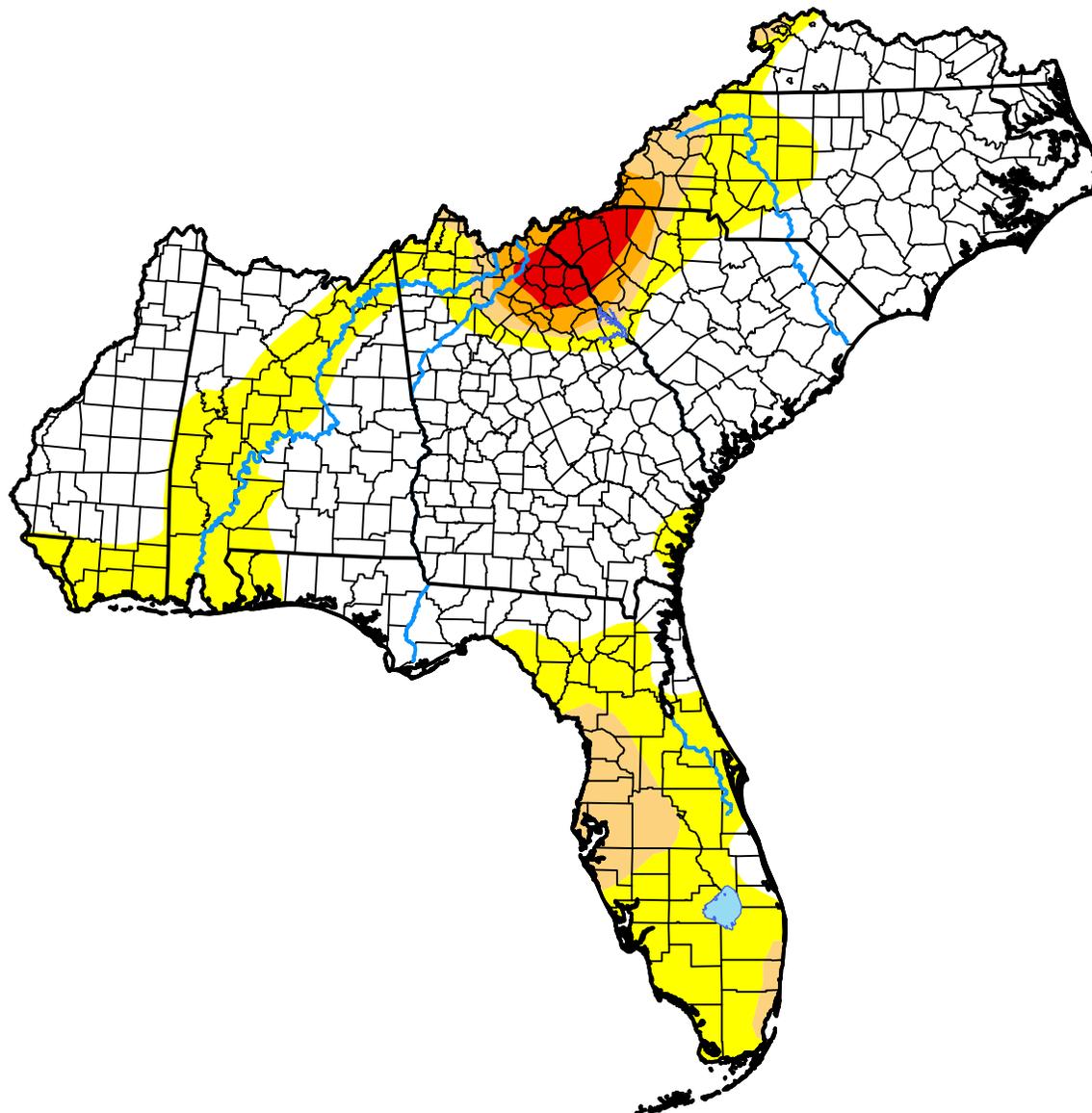


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

**January 27, 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>	63.00	37.00	9.39	3.84	1.82	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-22-2009</i>	71.07	28.93	8.51	3.84	1.82	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-30-2008</i>	53.78	46.22	25.21	15.27	7.15	1.37
<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>01-31-2008</i>	10.86	89.14	66.90	53.54	36.15	19.85

*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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