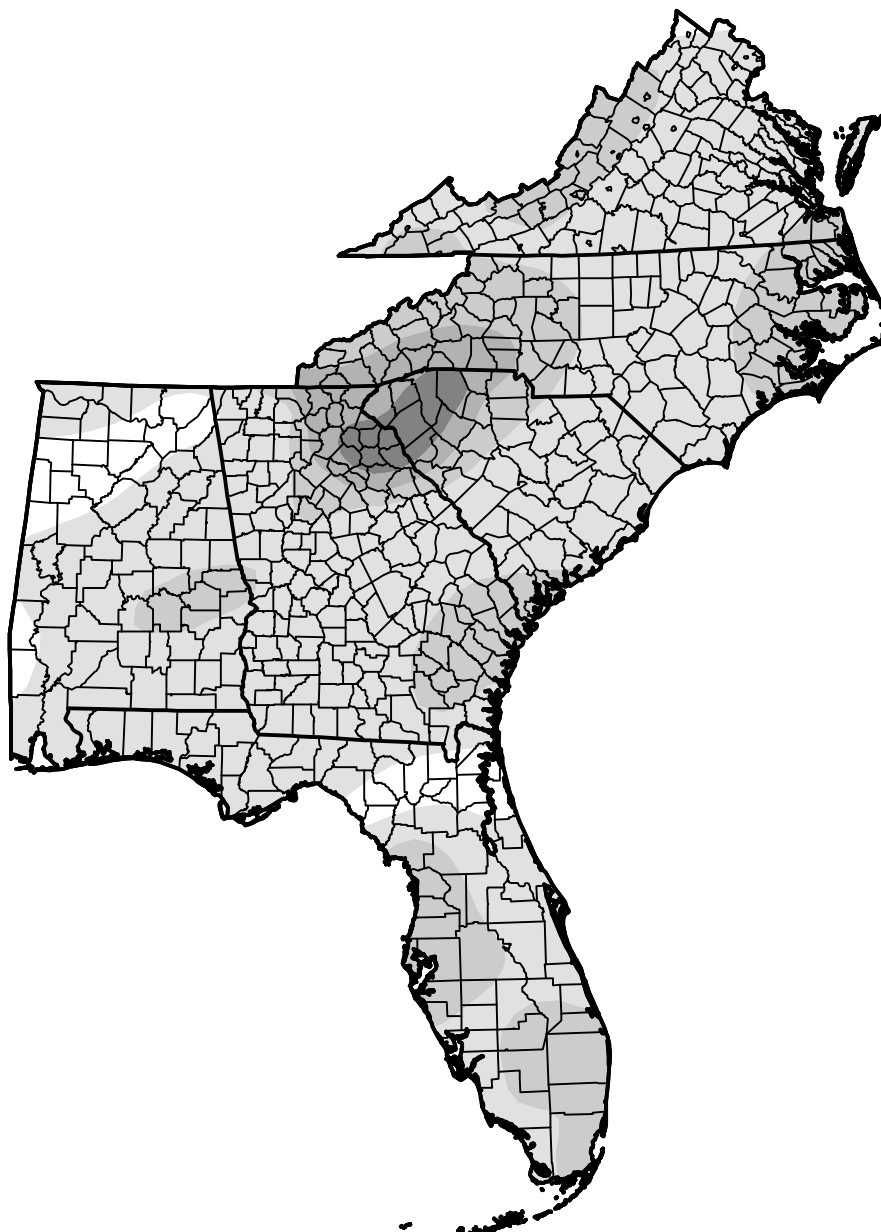


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southeast

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	6.11	93.89	29.76	6.05	1.87	0.00
Last Week <i>02-10-2009</i>	8.89	91.11	19.95	4.63	1.61	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-18-2008</i>	49.45	50.55	28.89	18.42	8.51	4.56
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	71.37	28.63	15.35	5.33	3.04	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	35.14	64.86	41.78	20.82	9.39	1.87
One Year Ago <i>02-19-2008</i>	8.58	91.42	72.47	54.46	34.52	18.87

Intensity:

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