

U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

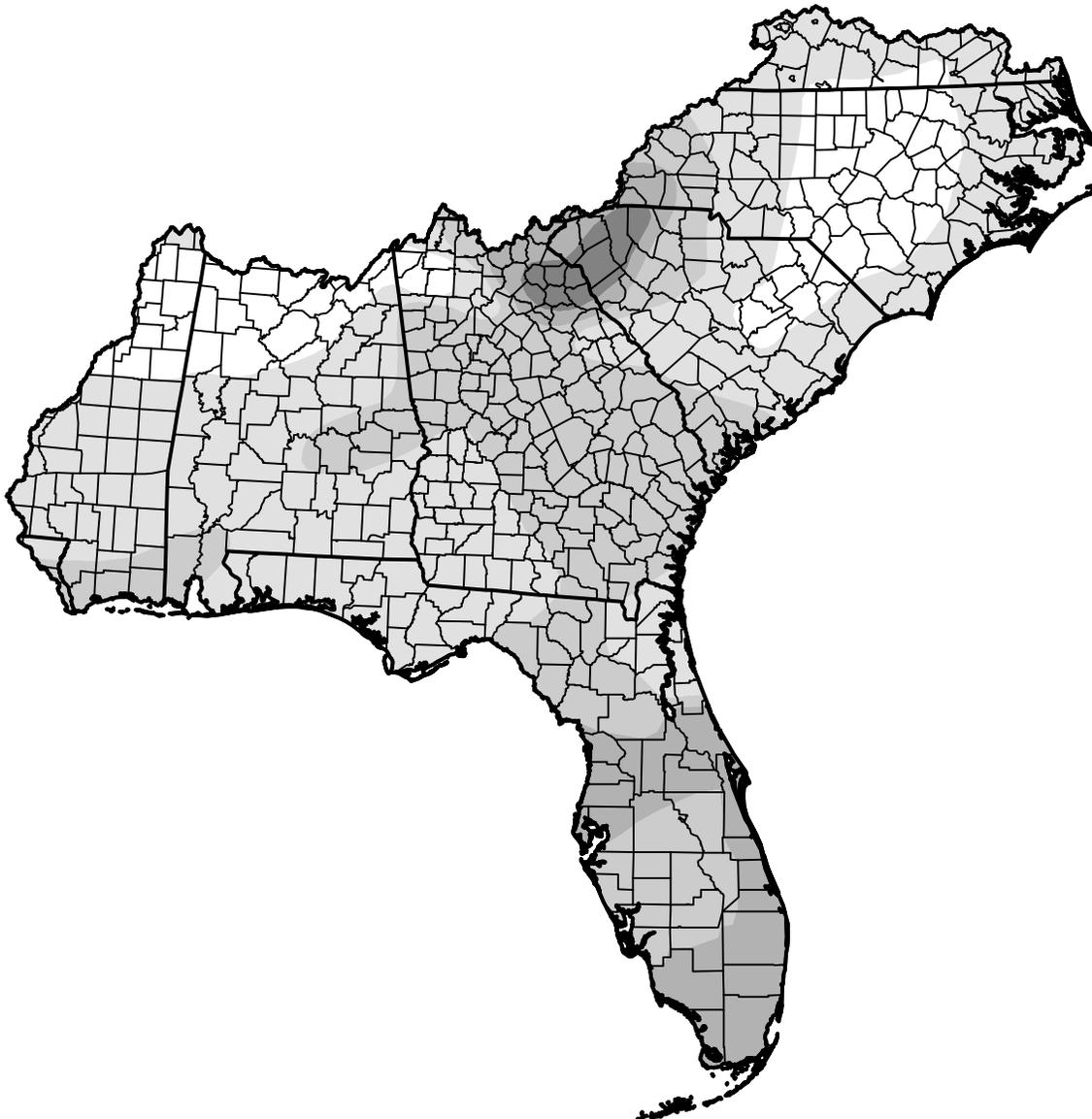
March 17, 2009

(Released Thursday, Mar. 19, 2009)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	15.22	84.78	40.12	11.43	1.70	0.00
Last Week <i>03-12-2009</i>	9.80	90.20	39.52	9.30	1.70	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-18-2008</i>	75.80	24.20	9.13	4.76	3.56	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	76.38	23.62	10.21	4.43	3.14	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	39.21	60.79	36.79	19.11	8.01	2.00
One Year Ago <i>03-20-2008</i>	31.04	68.96	51.33	35.94	18.16	0.00



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>

Author:

Laura Edwards
Western Regional Climate Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu