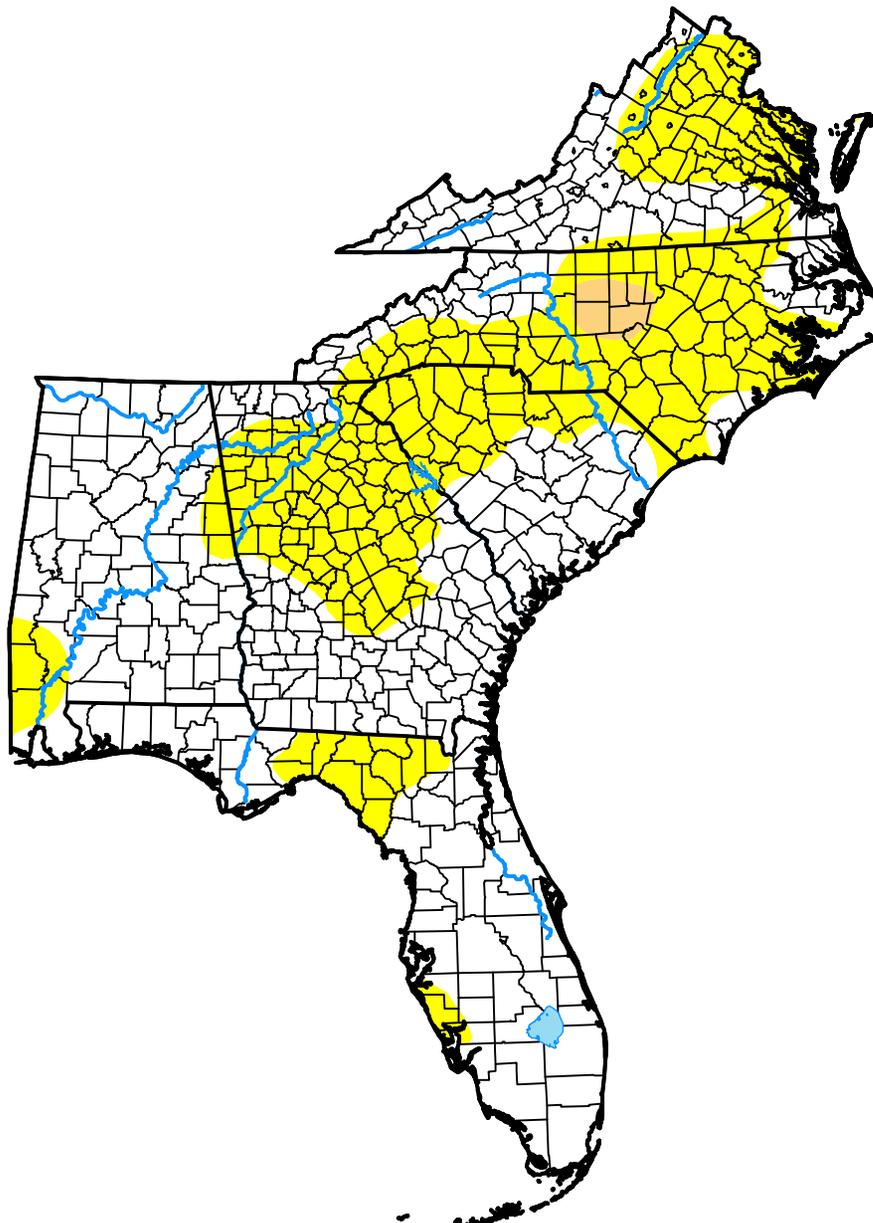


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southeast

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	62.64	36.32	1.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-11-2009</i>	69.65	30.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-19-2009</i>	84.11	7.24	2.46	5.21	0.99	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	71.37	13.28	10.02	2.29	3.04	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	35.14	23.08	20.97	11.43	7.52	1.87
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-19-2008</i>	22.73	16.00	19.78	25.98	7.98	7.53

*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>*

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