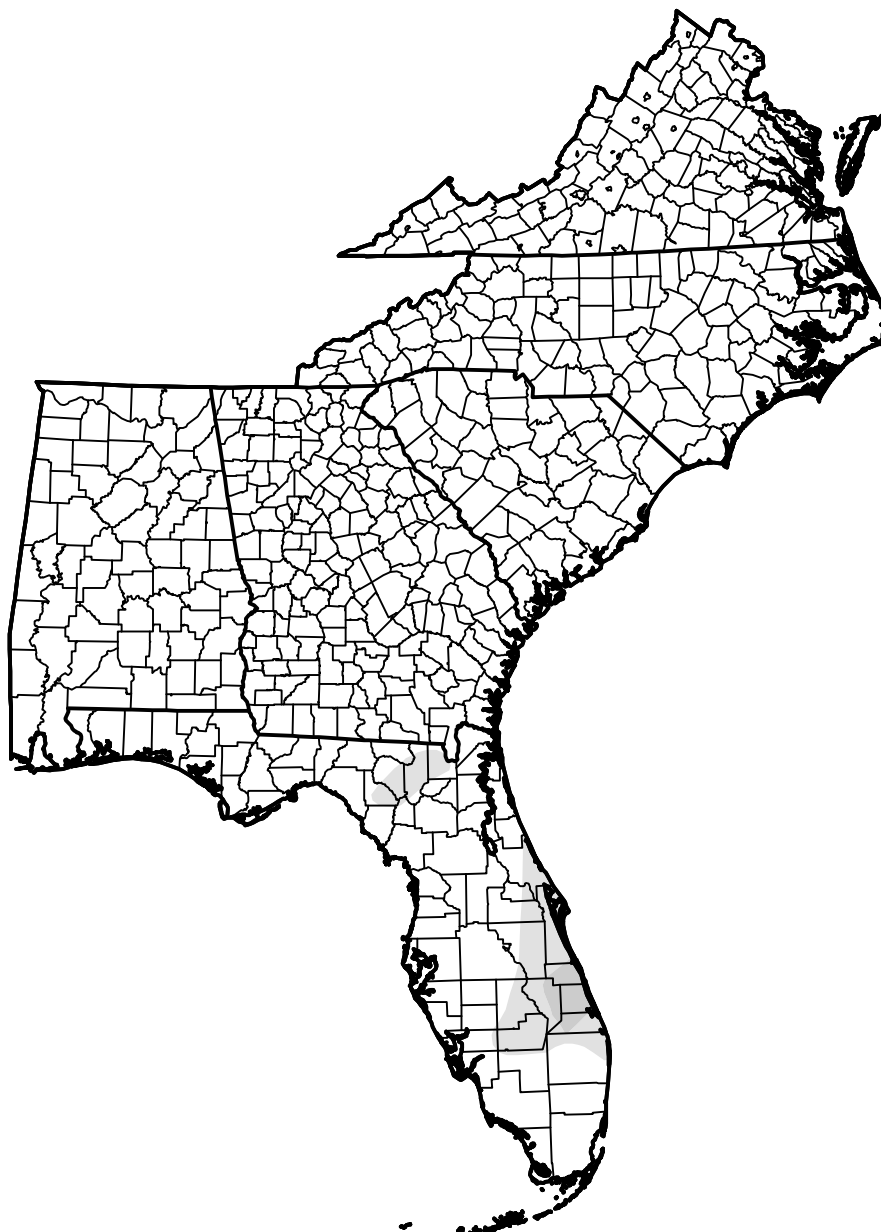


U.S. Drought Monitor Southeast



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	96.42	3.58	0.57	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-01-2009</i>	91.80	8.20	1.65	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-08-2009</i>	76.74	23.26	3.23	0.00	0.00	0.00
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>09-29-2009</i>	81.12	18.88	7.35	1.45	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-09-2008</i>	50.63	49.37	25.49	14.03	7.58	5.03

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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