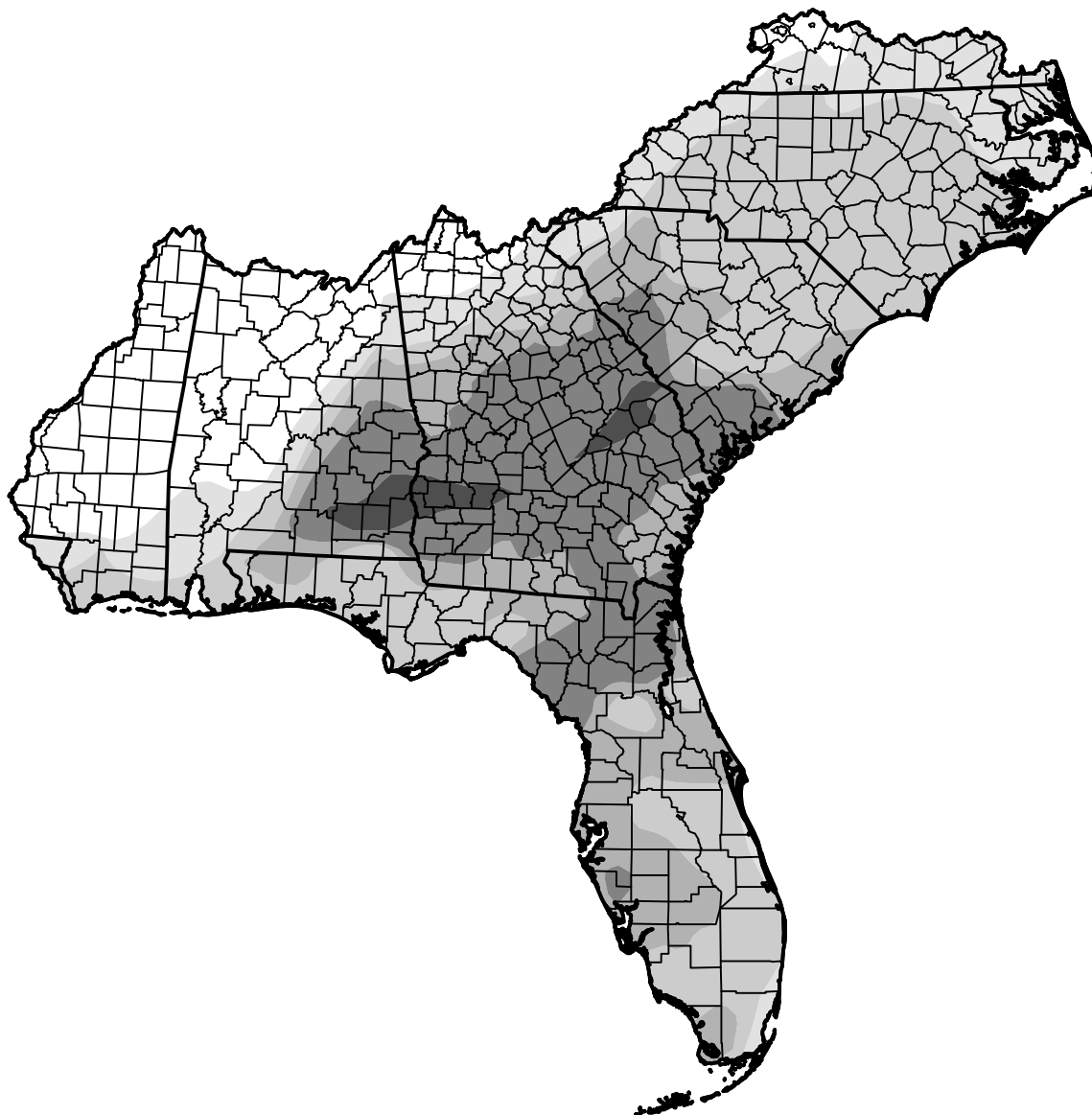


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	17.63	13.15	30.76	17.11	19.36	1.99
Last Week <i>03-15-2012</i>	19.16	14.42	31.13	14.93	18.64	1.74
3 Months Ago <i>12-22-2011</i>	29.18	21.39	16.28	11.80	21.35	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	25.80	22.59	20.84	10.74	20.04	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	38.40	16.87	10.73	8.88	25.13	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-24-2011</i>	9.62	26.31	40.37	17.47	6.23	0.00

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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