

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Alabama

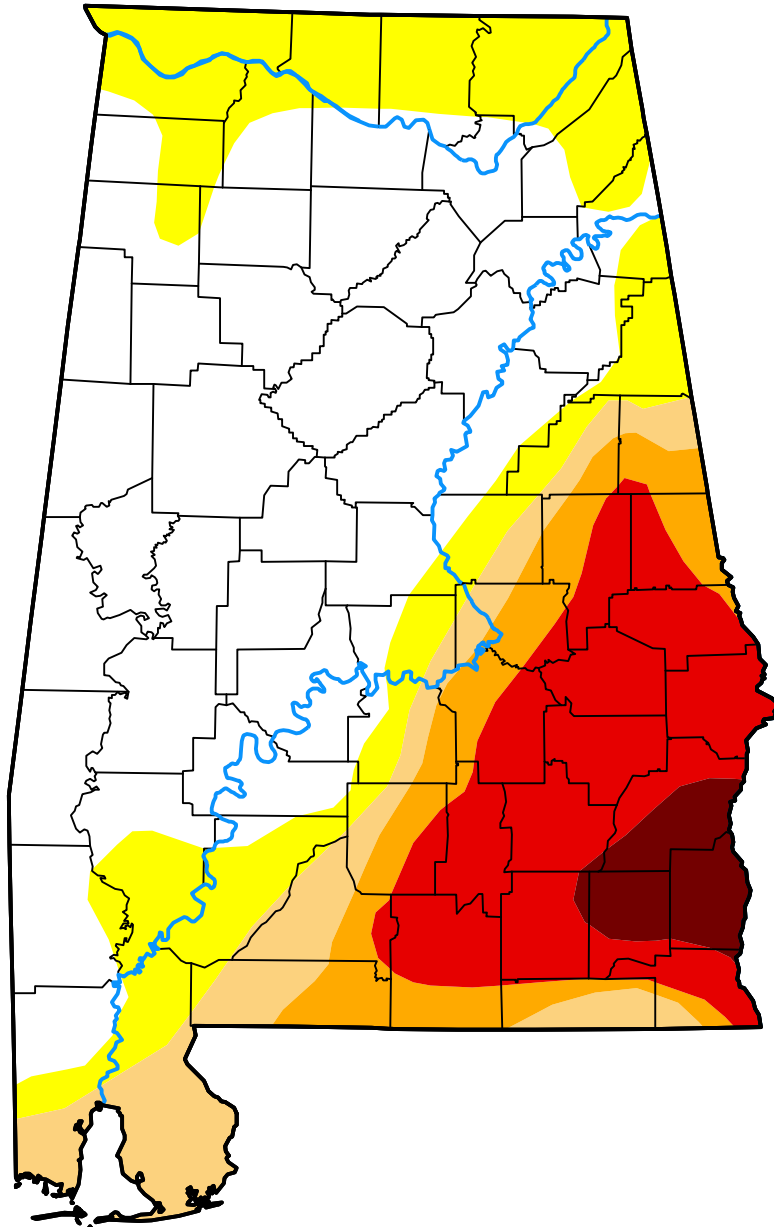
**April 17, 2012**

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	47.98	19.06	8.27	7.00	14.68	2.99
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-12-2012</i>	52.26	14.77	8.27	7.00	14.91	2.76
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-19-2012</i>	45.48	8.88	13.67	14.18	14.53	3.25
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	39.32	11.03	21.67	13.50	14.47	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	52.53	7.76	10.57	14.73	14.38	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-21-2011</i>	54.02	7.98	21.16	16.82	0.00	0.00



***Intensity:***

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