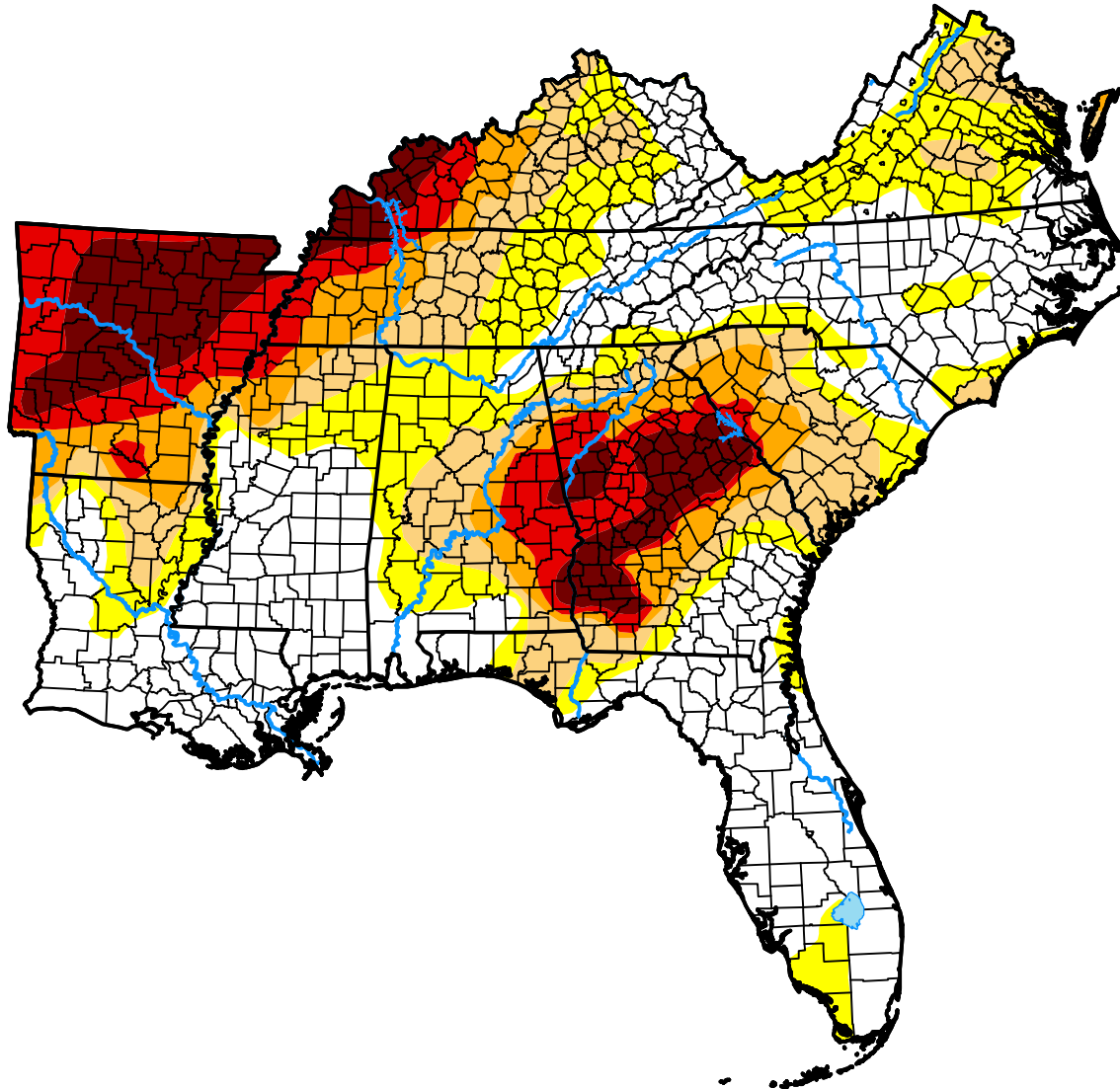


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southeast Climate Hub

**July 31, 2012**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	39.47	20.08	14.43	8.50	8.79	8.73
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-24-2012</i>	35.71	20.06	17.28	10.09	9.42	7.44
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-01-2012</i>	38.87	20.92	13.96	9.10	12.48	4.67
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2012</i>	51.42	14.02	13.18	8.56	12.45	0.37
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	48.81	15.35	10.88	7.52	15.79	1.64
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-02-2011</i>	24.93	20.01	15.93	20.77	16.18	2.18

***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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