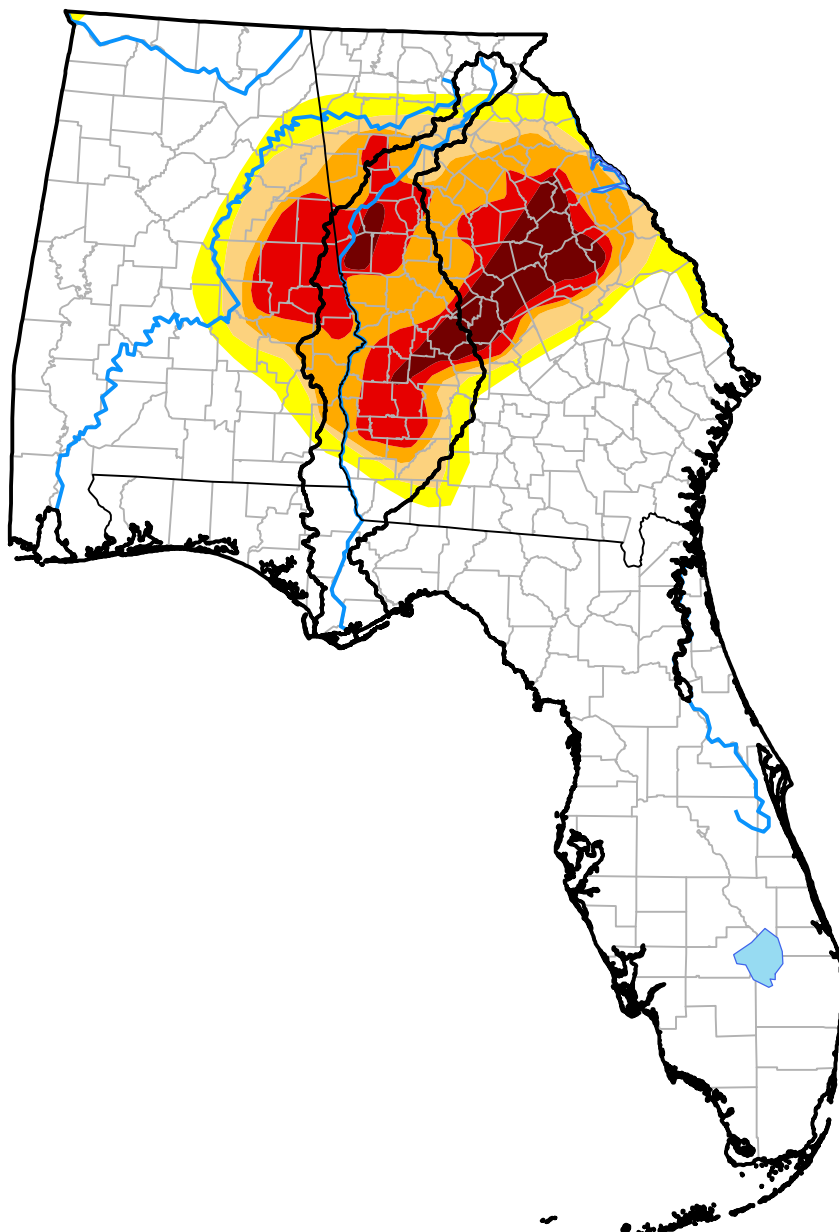


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	72.15	27.85	22.15	17.25	9.79	3.18
Last Week 09-27-2012	69.10	30.90	24.50	19.79	14.69	6.06
3 Months Ago 07-05-2012	35.73	64.27	44.35	30.60	17.97	7.38
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	19.42	80.58	54.73	41.56	27.89	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	69.10	30.90	24.50	19.79	14.69	6.06
One Year Ago 10-06-2011	33.49	66.51	53.97	46.27	35.03	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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