

U.S. Drought Monitor Southeast

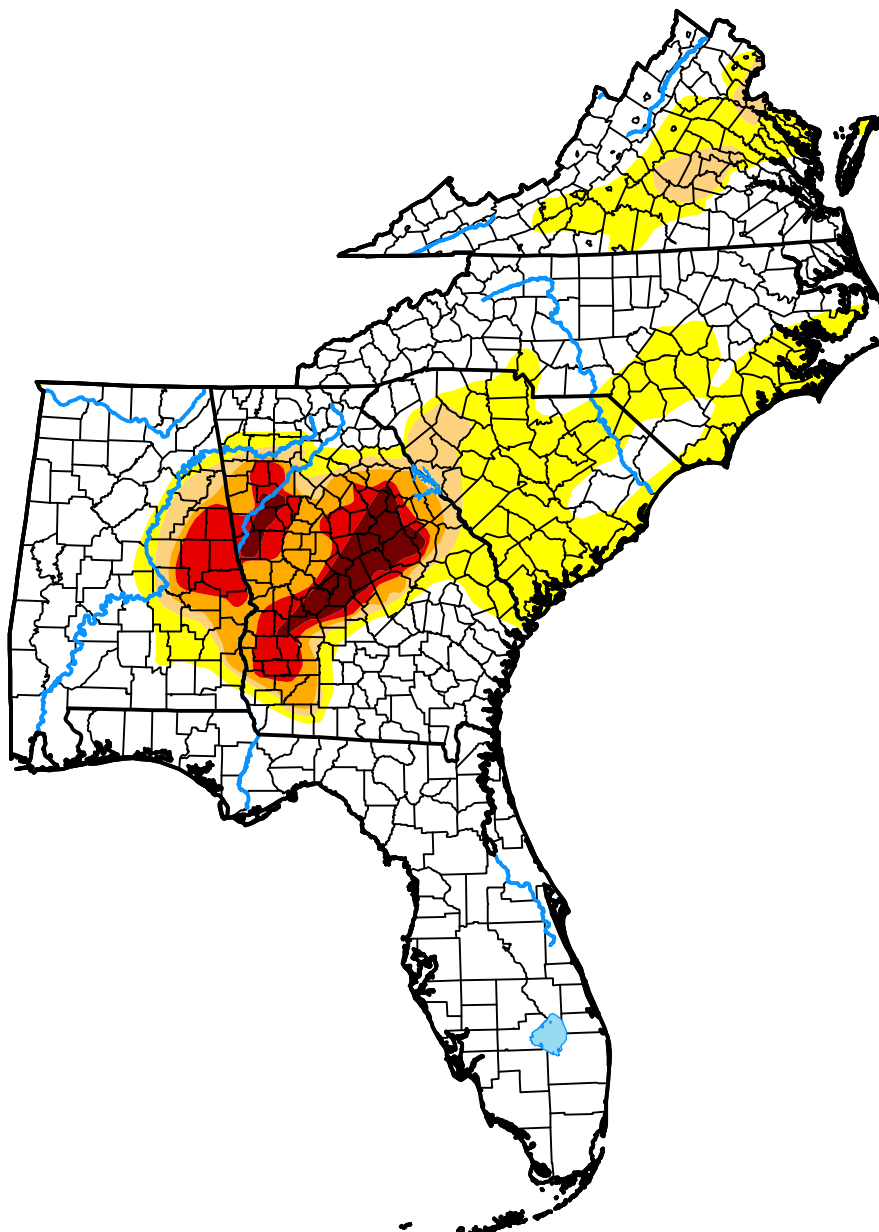
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	65.20	34.80	14.75	10.20	5.88	2.03
Last Week <i>10-09-2012</i>	71.91	28.09	14.52	9.70	5.69	1.85
3 Months Ago <i>07-17-2012</i>	33.39	66.61	37.26	19.04	10.96	4.54
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	33.82	66.18	45.63	28.64	18.72	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	66.47	33.53	17.19	11.50	8.54	3.52
One Year Ago <i>10-18-2011</i>	43.00	57.00	43.61	31.92	21.80	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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