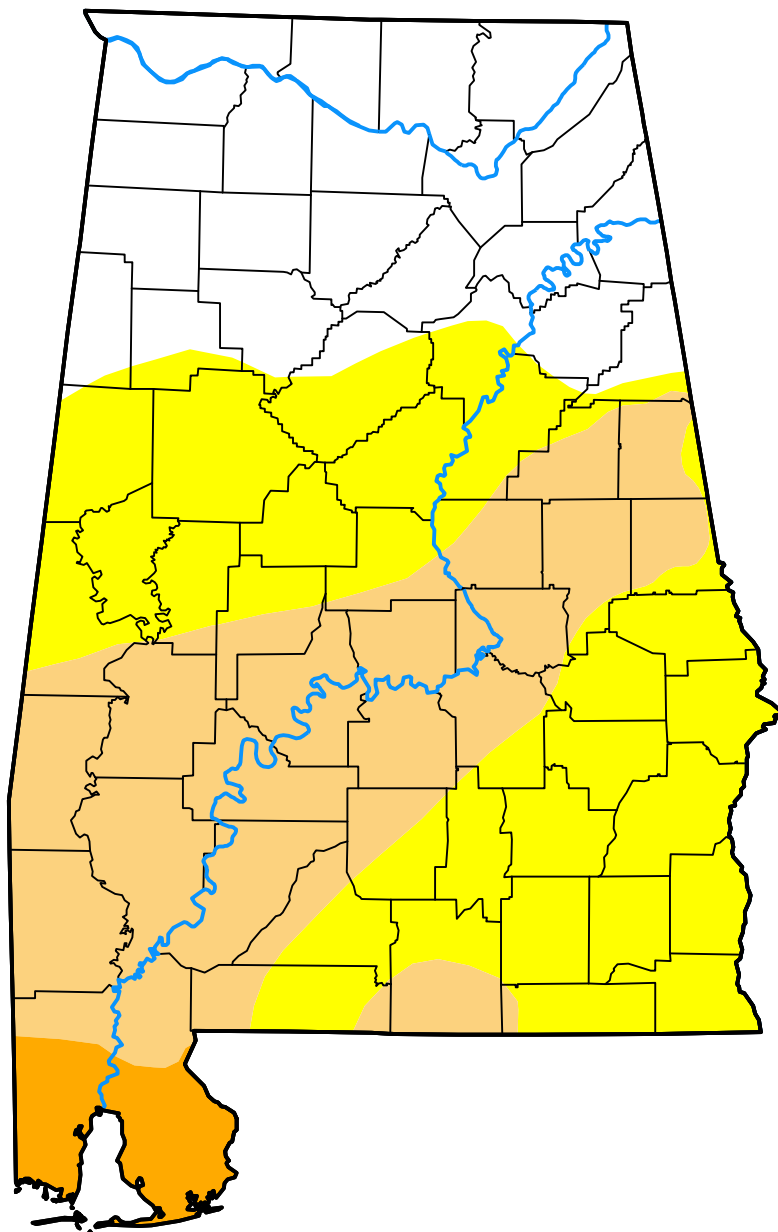


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Alabama



**December 16, 2014**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 18, 2014)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 28.09 | 37.05 | 30.97 | 3.87 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>12-11-2014              | 33.71 | 45.20 | 18.45 | 2.63 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>09-18-2014           | 37.03 | 52.76 | 10.18 | 0.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-02-2014 | 97.33 | 2.65  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-02-2014    | 17.21 | 55.78 | 25.74 | 1.25 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>12-19-2013           | 67.26 | 26.21 | 6.52  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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