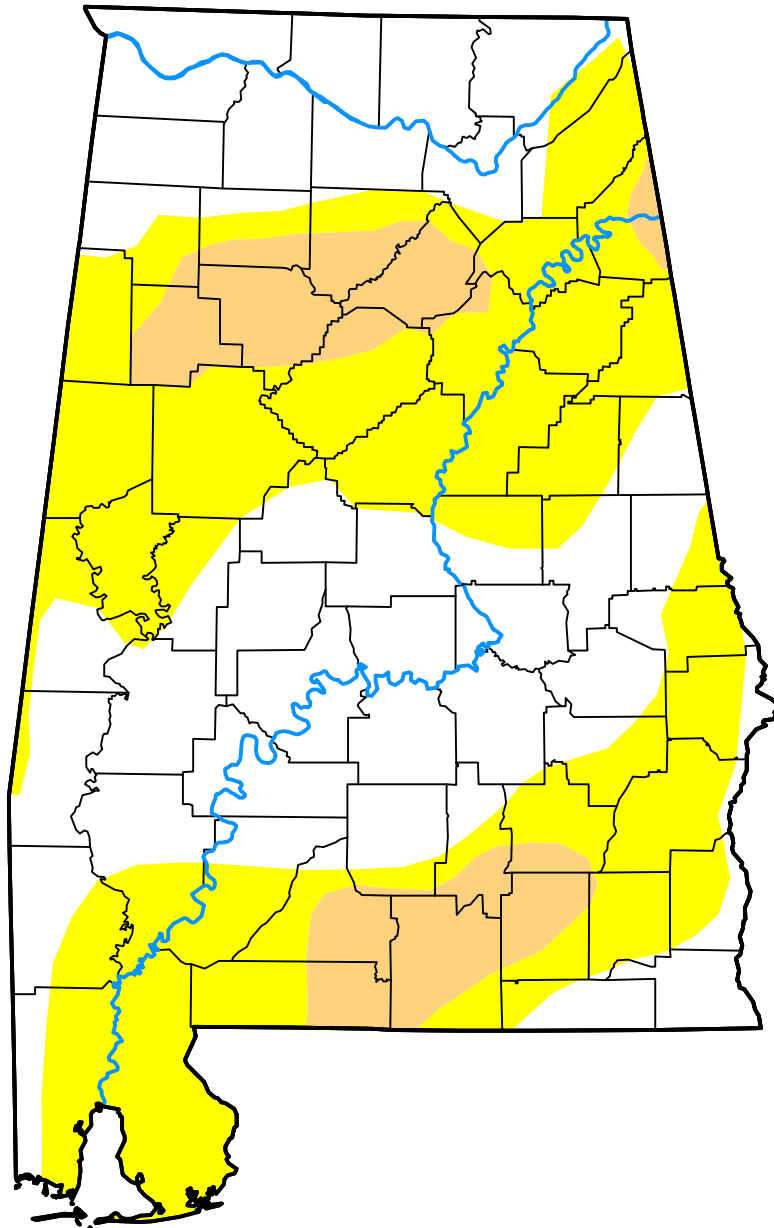


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Alabama

**August 18, 2015**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	46.11	43.01	10.86	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-13-2015</i>	41.15	39.98	18.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-21-2015</i>	58.32	41.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2014</i>	62.49	33.74	3.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	17.21	55.78	25.74	1.25	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-21-2014</i>	54.82	41.04	4.13	0.00	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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