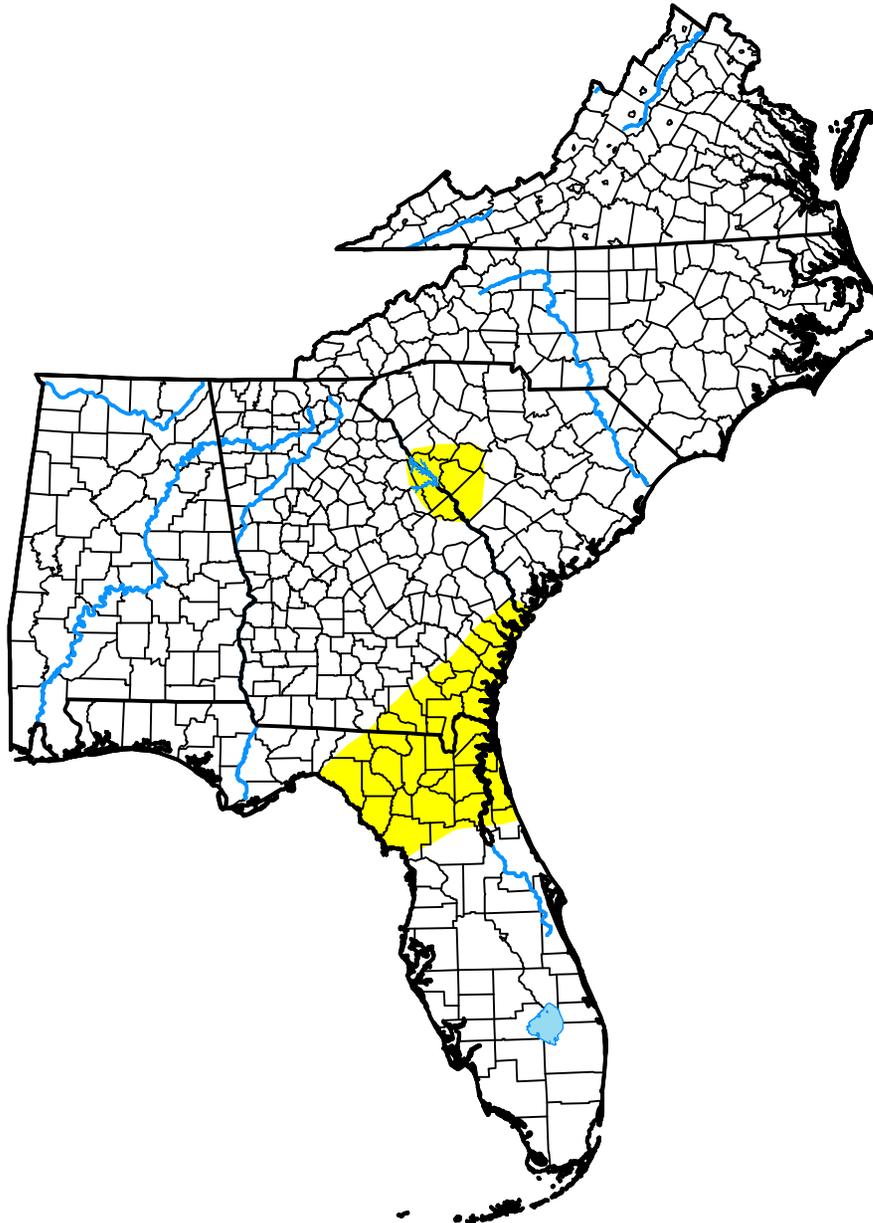


# U.S. Drought Monitor Southeast

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	92.12	7.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-08-2016</i>	93.76	6.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-15-2015</i>	93.67	6.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-29-2015</i>	95.02	4.98	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	53.42	46.58	11.74	1.74	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-17-2015</i>	74.61	25.39	3.06	0.00	0.00	0.00

*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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