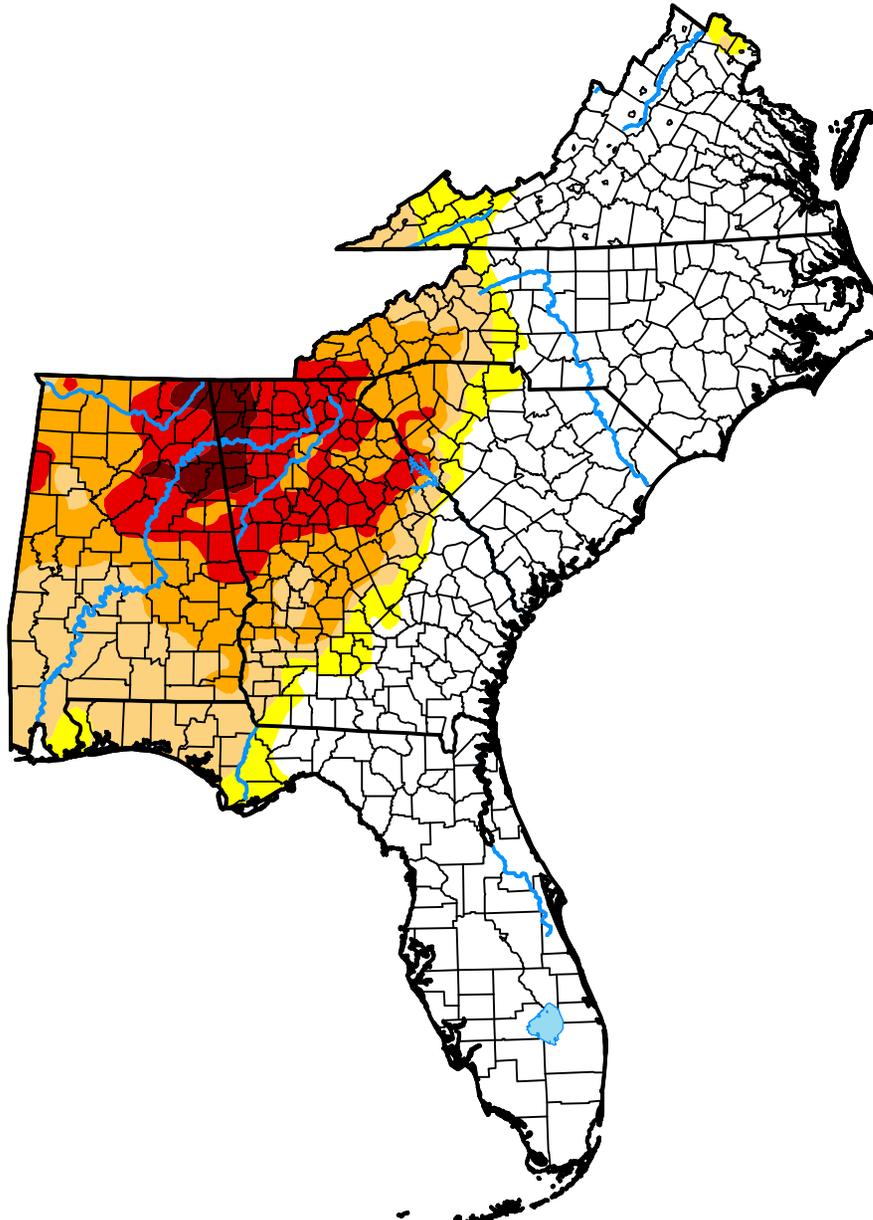


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southeast

**October 18, 2016**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	56.65	43.35	37.45	24.09	10.88	1.84
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-11-2016</i>	58.41	41.59	29.40	16.80	7.82	1.32
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-19-2016</i>	68.00	32.00	19.46	10.57	2.65	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>09-27-2016</i>	50.03	49.97	22.52	10.61	4.15	0.32
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-20-2015</i>	76.85	23.15	8.29	0.29	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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