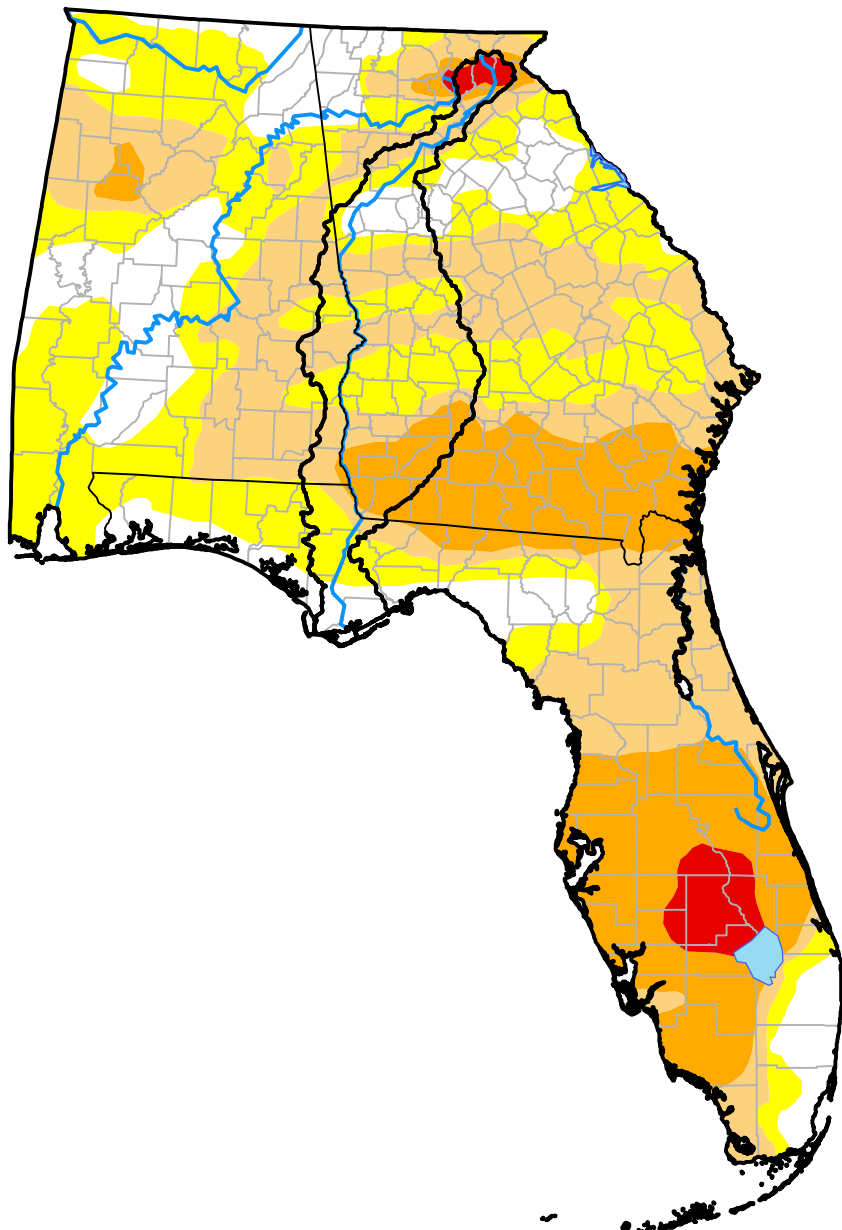


# U.S. Drought Monitor ACF River Basin RDEWS

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                 | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                  | 11.76 | 88.24 | 51.79 | 17.24 | 2.68  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>04-27-2017                  | 15.41 | 84.59 | 53.26 | 7.21  | 2.69  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>02-02-2017               | 58.30 | 41.70 | 31.70 | 9.23  | 1.94  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2017 | 18.02 | 81.98 | 61.07 | 31.08 | 9.26  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br>09-29-2016    | 20.00 | 80.00 | 50.54 | 35.31 | 10.52 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>05-05-2016               | 87.01 | 12.99 | 5.39  | 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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