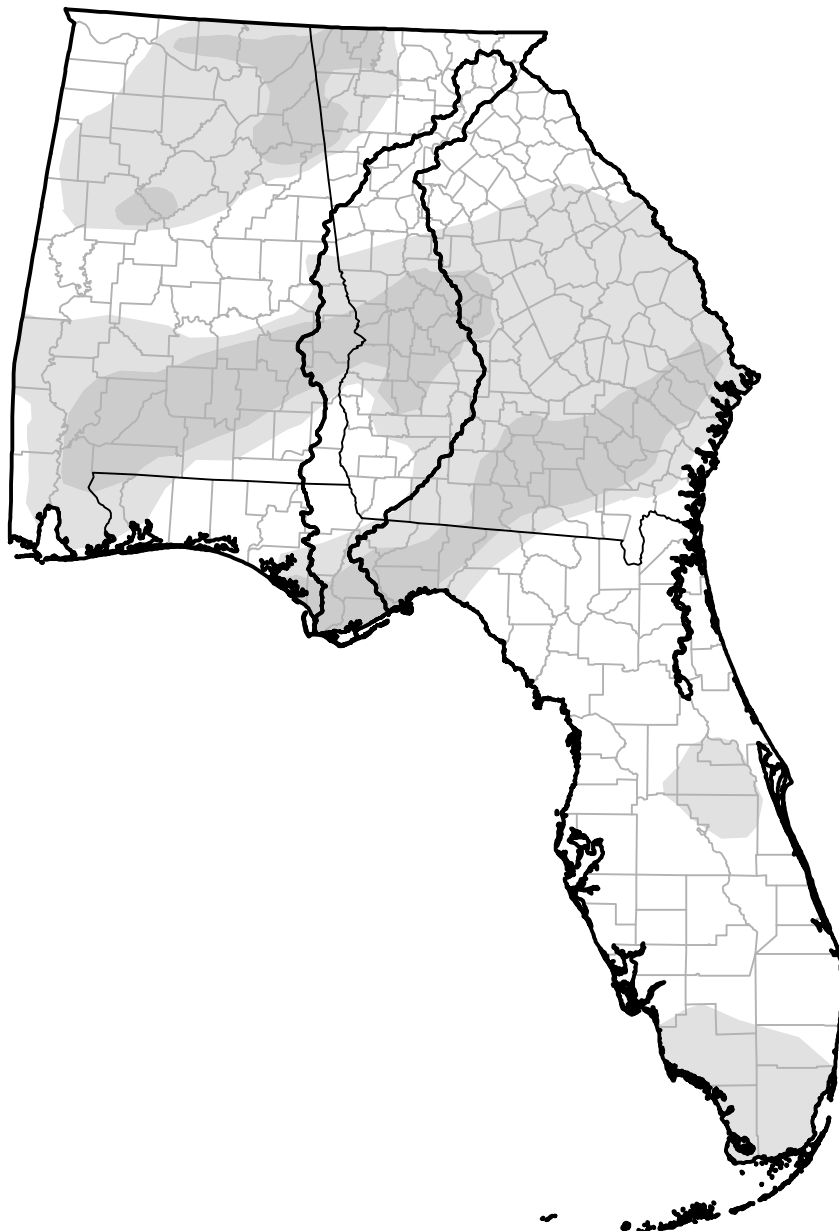


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## ACF River Basin RDEWS



**February 20, 2018**

*(Released Thursday, Feb. 22, 2018)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 40.78  | 59.22 | 31.11 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>02-15-2018</i>              | 15.77  | 84.23 | 36.44 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>11-22-2017</i>           | 36.53  | 63.47 | 33.27 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2018</i> | 4.33   | 95.67 | 53.82 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2017</i>    | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>02-23-2017</i>           | 63.90  | 36.10 | 15.63 | 9.23  | 3.16  | 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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