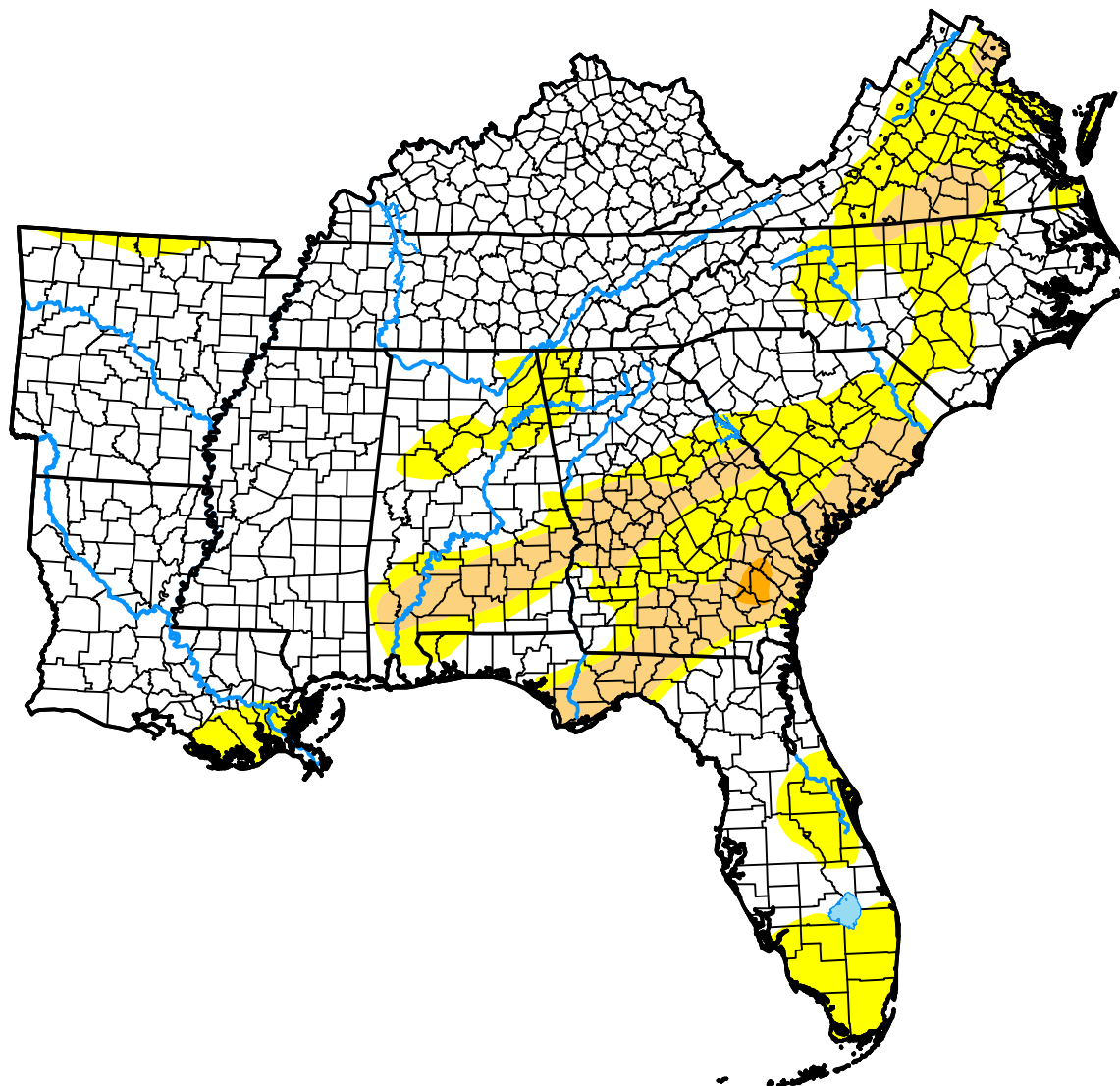


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	70.16	20.49	9.12	0.24	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-27-2018</i>	65.56	27.28	7.16	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-05-2017</i>	36.19	31.13	22.86	7.14	2.69	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2018</i>	36.41	29.55	26.76	7.04	0.24	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	88.72	11.11	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-07-2017</i>	35.90	38.89	14.25	8.41	2.54	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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