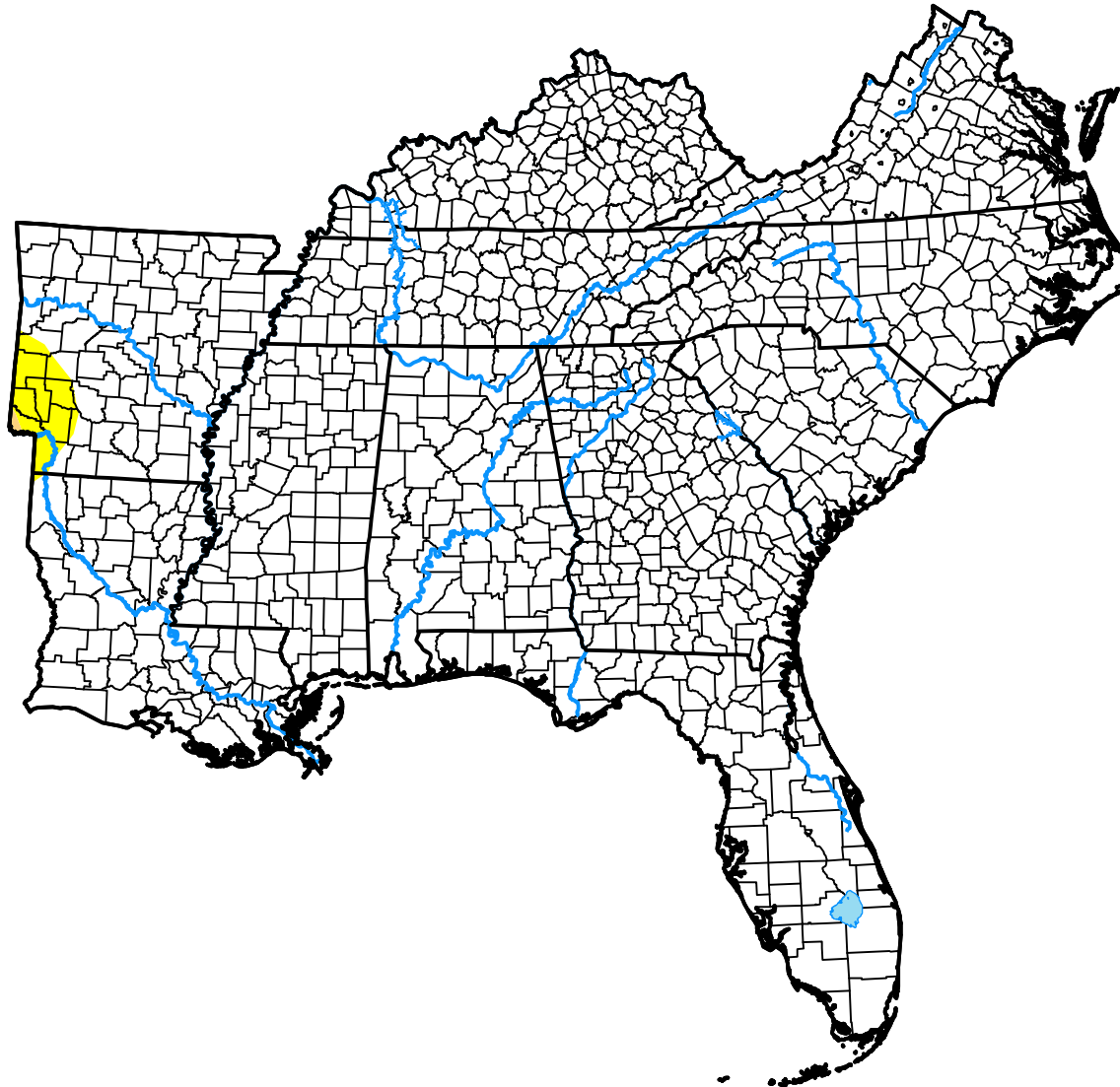


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	98.88	1.12	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-17-2004</i>	98.05	1.95	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-25-2003</i>	95.99	4.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	97.26	2.74	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-25-2003</i>	84.92	15.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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