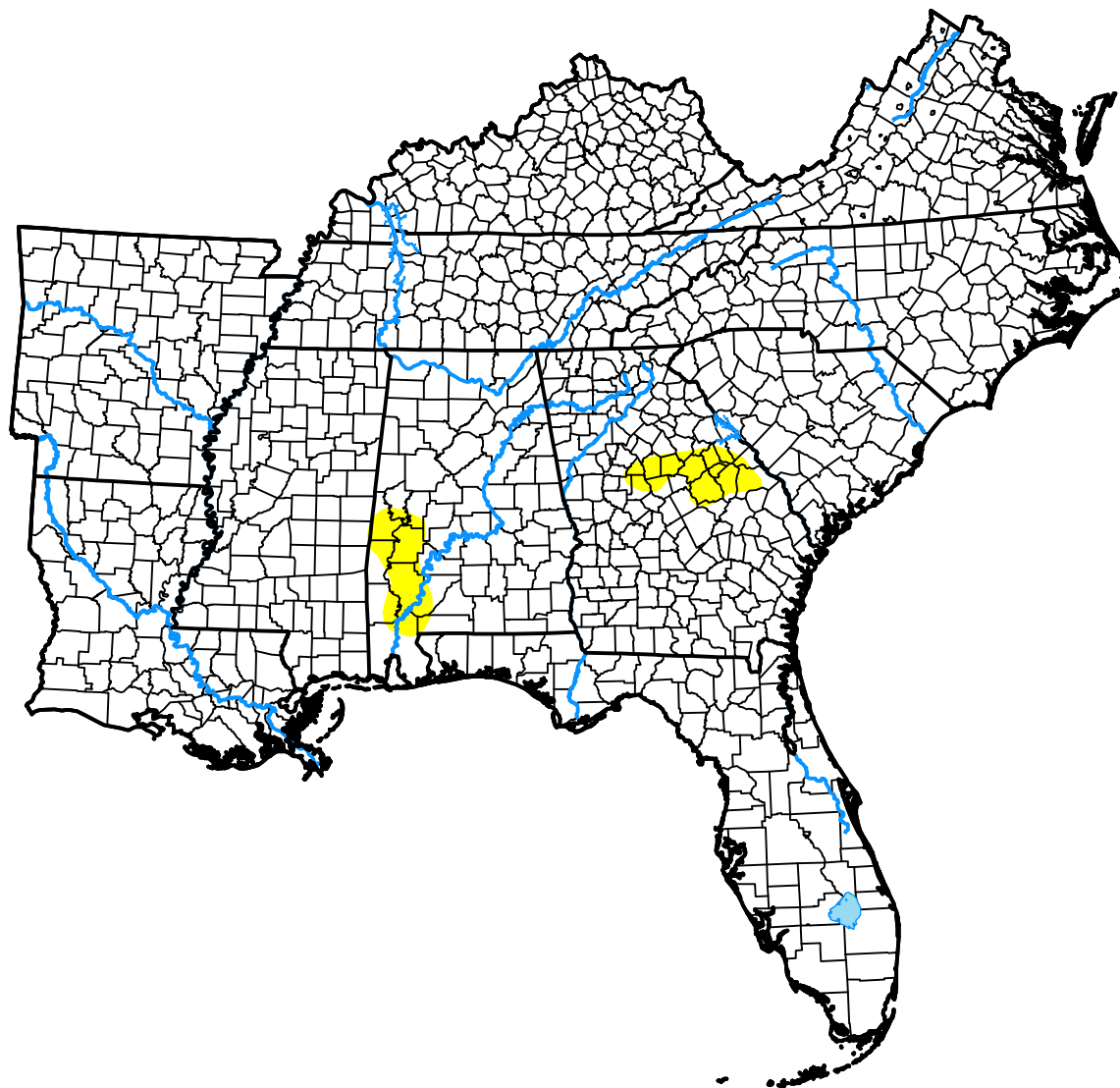


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	98.09	1.91	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-10-2004</i>	84.89	15.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-18-2004</i>	73.96	26.04	6.91	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	97.26	2.74	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-19-2003</i>	98.31	1.69	0.28	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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