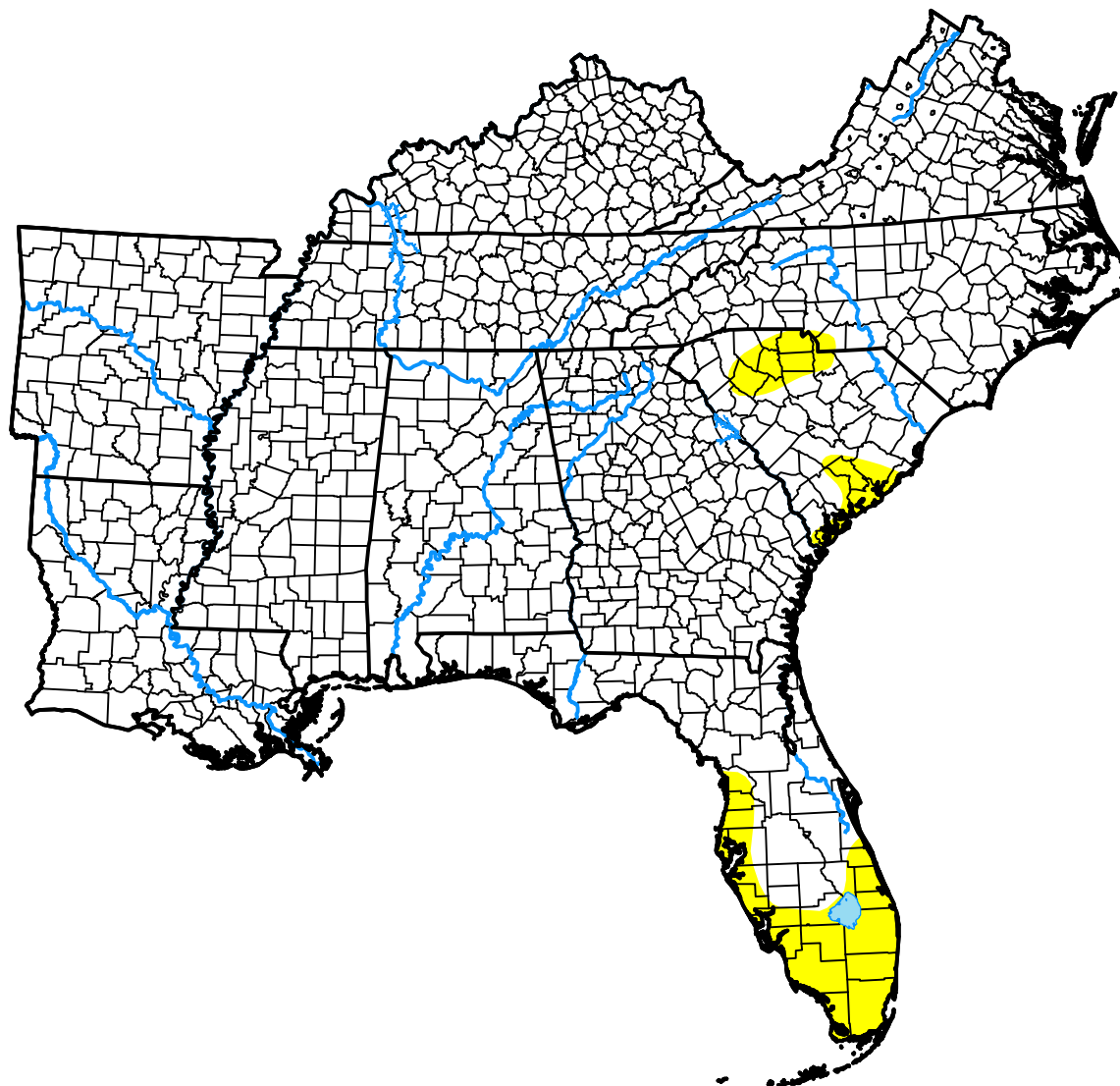


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	95.15	4.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-08-2005</i>	97.77	2.23	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-16-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	98.34	1.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	86.88	13.12	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-17-2004</i>	98.05	1.95	0.22	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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