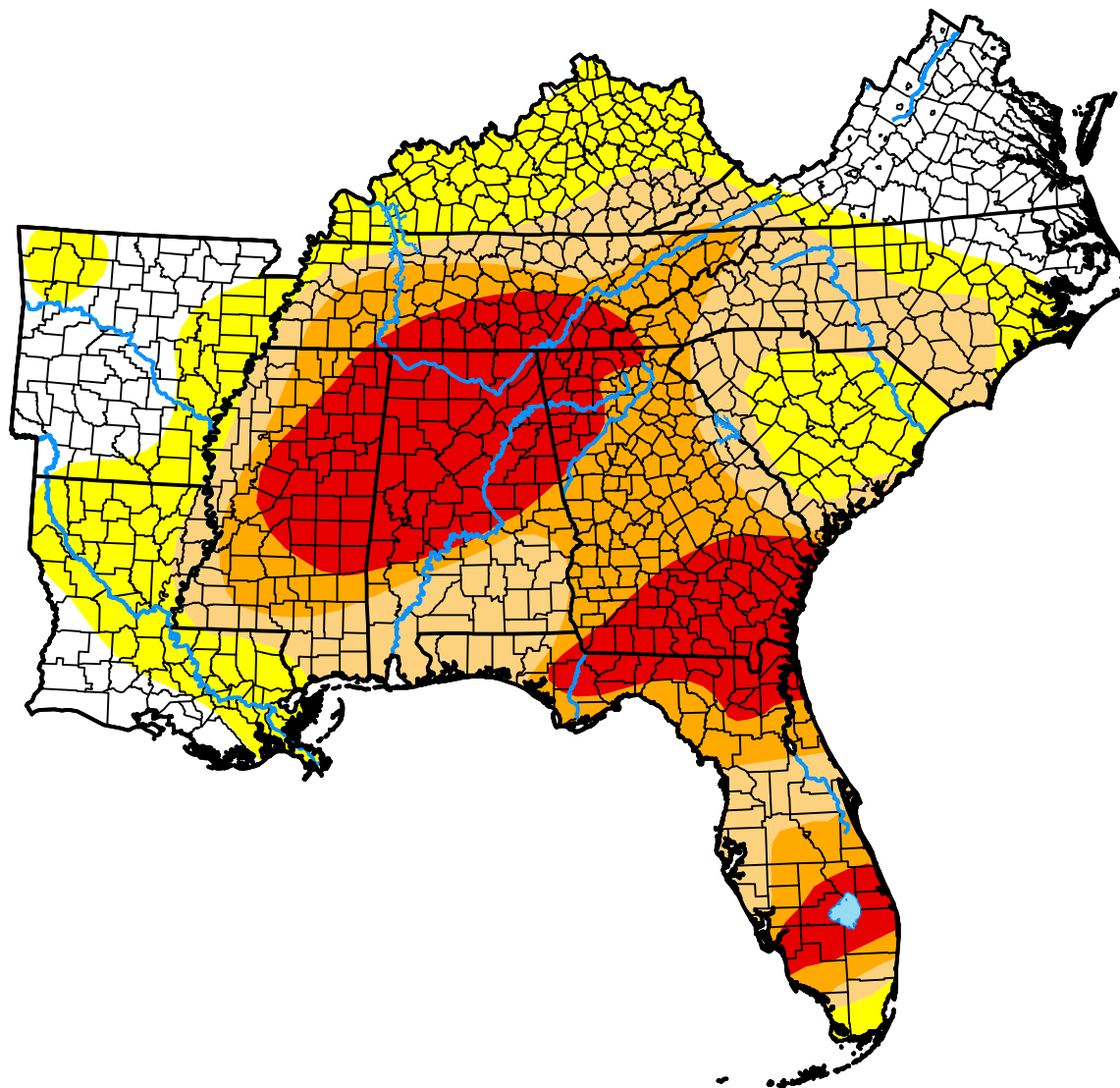


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.16	82.84	58.73	37.22	19.67	0.00
Last Week <i>05-15-2007</i>	18.61	81.39	52.33	30.11	14.71	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-20-2007</i>	63.82	36.18	12.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	56.84	43.16	6.51	0.81	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	46.37	53.63	19.96	0.40	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-23-2006</i>	50.98	49.02	22.68	4.76	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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