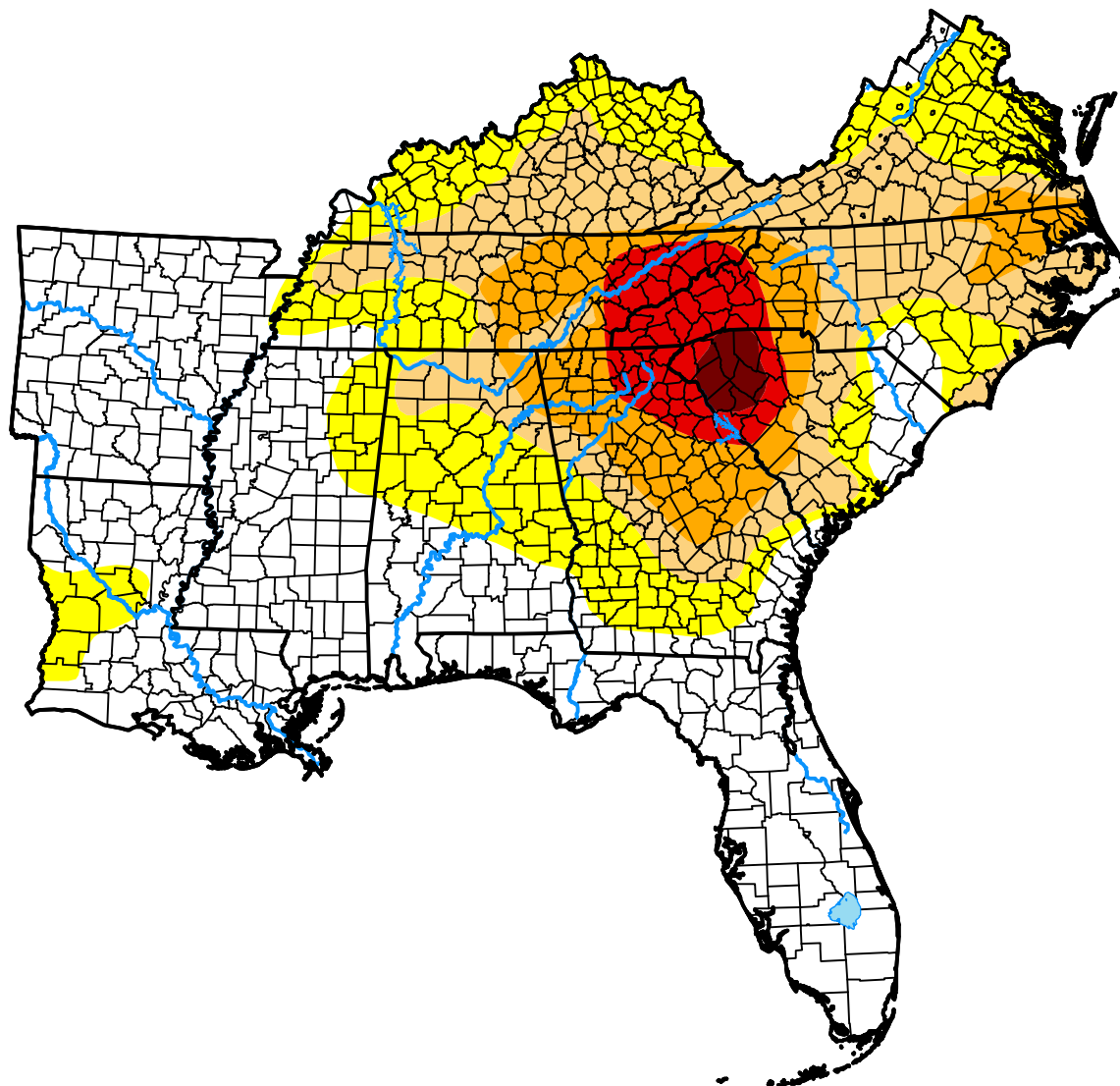


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	45.57	21.41	18.42	9.17	4.60	0.83
Last Week <i>08-26-2008</i>	43.57	21.26	15.69	12.01	6.64	0.83
3 Months Ago <i>06-03-2008</i>	49.45	23.26	14.29	10.13	2.87	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	31.39	19.94	11.07	10.66	13.09	13.84
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	22.58	13.63	12.96	13.76	23.83	13.24
One Year Ago <i>09-04-2007</i>	11.49	19.58	17.84	15.79	21.36	13.94

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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