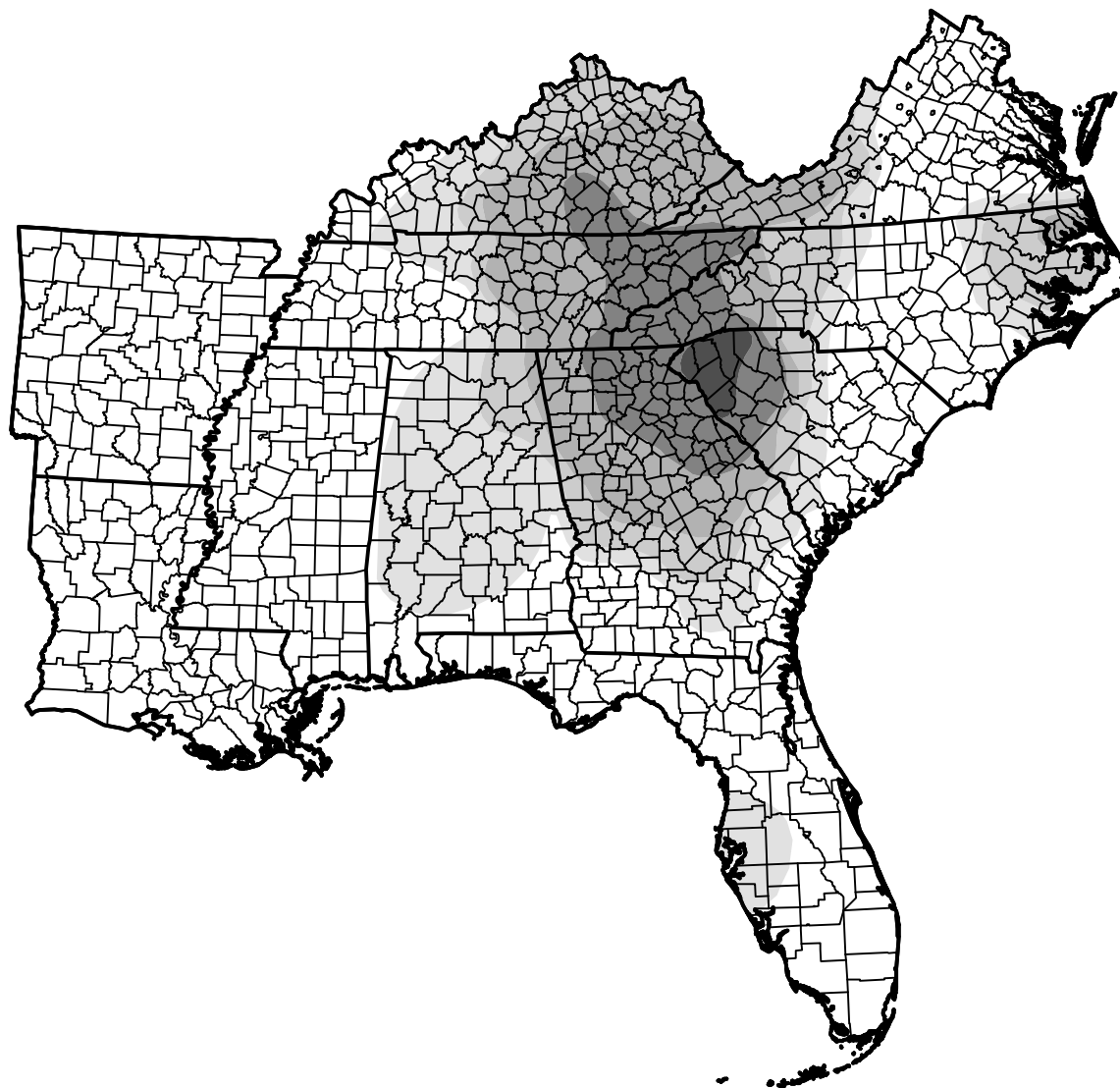


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	59.60	13.77	8.28	11.03	6.62	0.71
Last Week <i>10-21-2008</i>	50.00	18.32	11.38	12.51	7.06	0.71
3 Months Ago <i>07-29-2008</i>	33.64	23.40	20.57	15.25	3.66	3.49
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>09-30-2008</i>	48.20	15.79	17.63	12.07	5.28	1.04
One Year Ago <i>10-30-2007</i>	37.17	16.78	12.77	10.61	9.85	12.82

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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