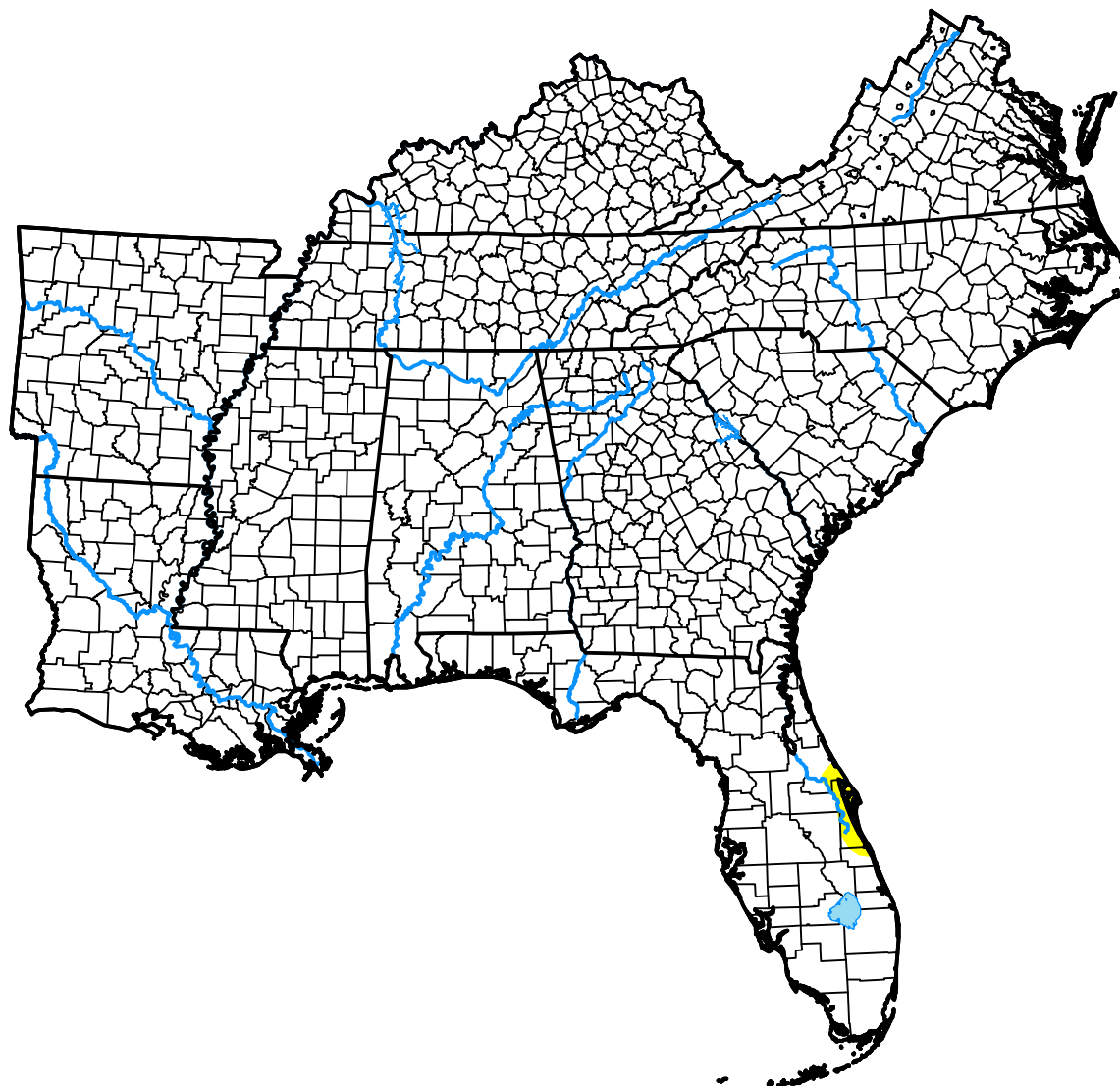


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southeast Climate Hub

**January 19, 2010**  
*(Released Thursday, Jan. 21, 2010)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 99.71 | 0.29  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>01-12-2010</i>              | 99.71 | 0.29  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-20-2009</i>           | 88.97 | 11.03 | 3.40  | 0.27  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-29-2009</i> | 99.67 | 0.33  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2009</i>    | 86.64 | 13.36 | 4.08  | 0.80  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-20-2009</i>           | 65.87 | 34.13 | 8.44  | 2.33  | 0.94  | 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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