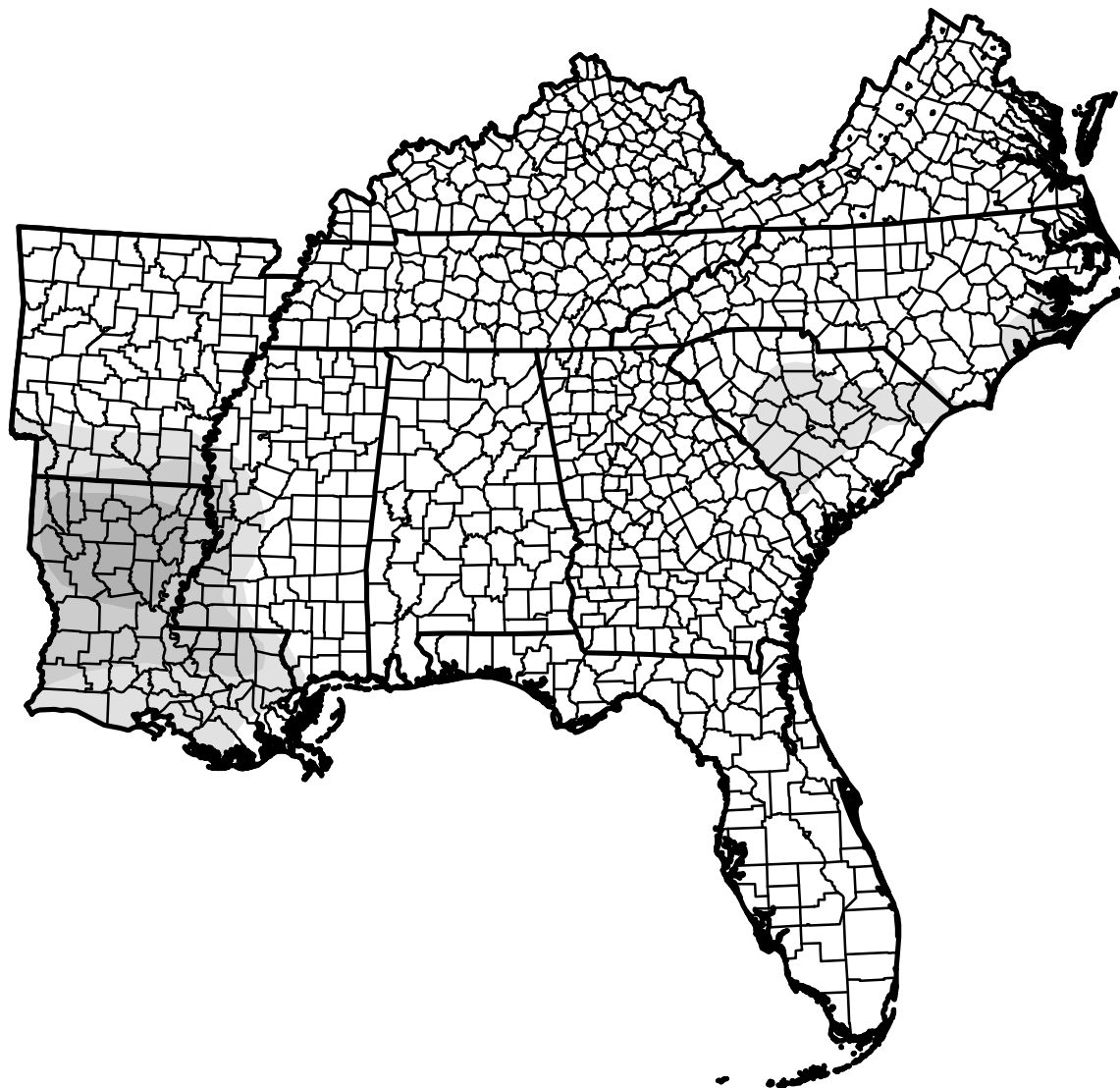


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	84.72	15.28	7.24	2.50	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-25-2010</i>	85.26	14.74	5.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>03-02-2010</i>	99.45	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	99.66	0.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	86.64	13.36	4.08	0.80	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>06-02-2009</i>	97.32	2.68	0.38	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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