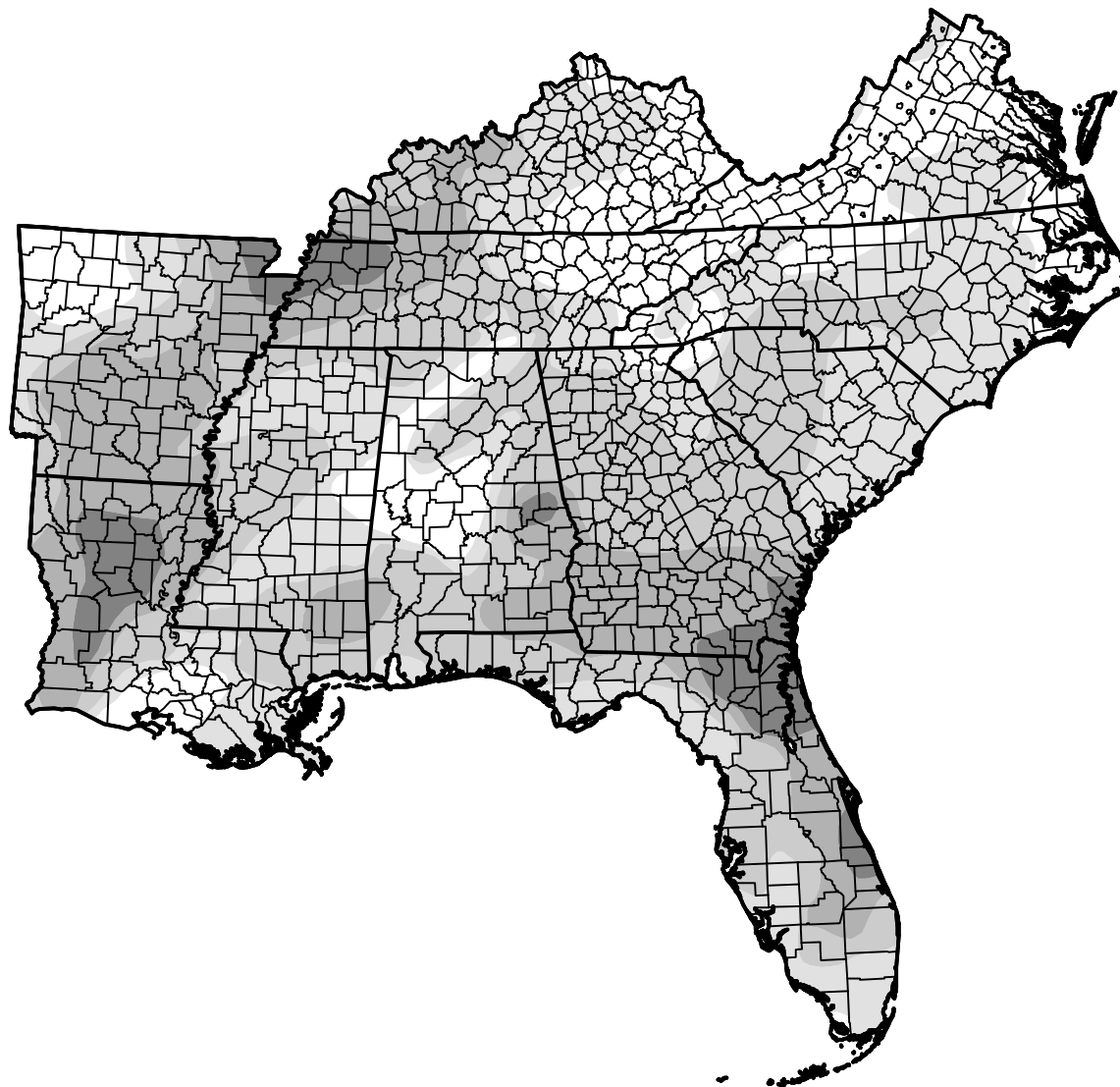


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	19.20	27.59	28.92	19.04	5.24	0.00
Last Week <i>11-30-2010</i>	13.66	29.71	31.57	21.25	3.82	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-07-2010</i>	50.88	27.27	15.83	5.12	0.90	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	99.67	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	19.75	37.61	30.40	10.90	1.34	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-08-2009</i>	98.01	1.67	0.31	0.00	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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