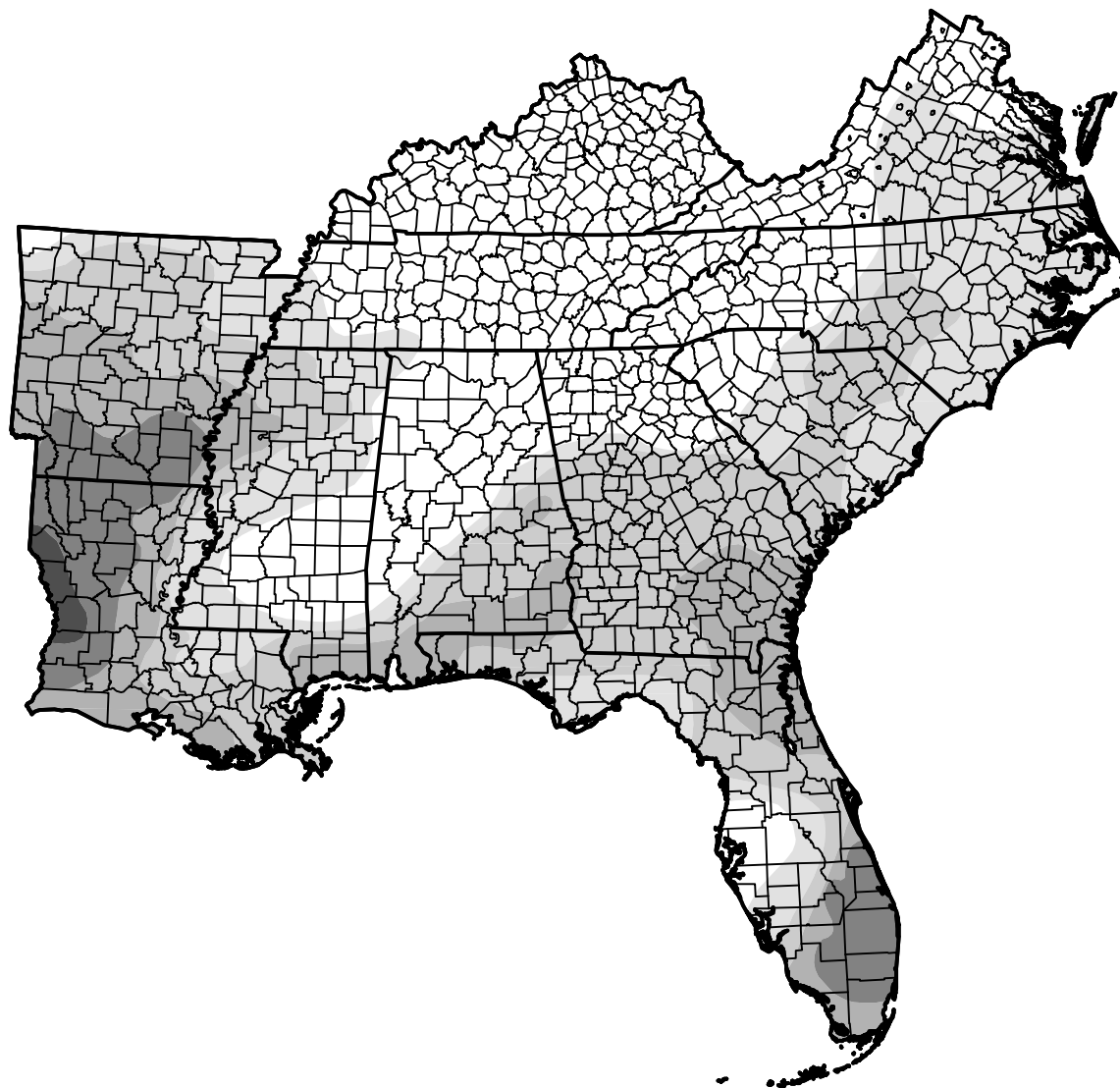


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



April 19, 2011

(Released Thursday, Apr. 21, 2011)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	35.75	21.83	22.26	13.41	6.16	0.59
Last Week <i>04-12-2011</i>	35.17	18.52	26.58	12.14	7.30	0.29
3 Months Ago <i>01-18-2011</i>	11.34	27.79	31.69	20.54	8.63	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	21.15	23.83	27.72	19.17	8.12	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>04-20-2010</i>	74.96	22.85	2.19	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>

Author:

Michael Brewer
NCEI/NOAA



droughtmonitor.unl.edu