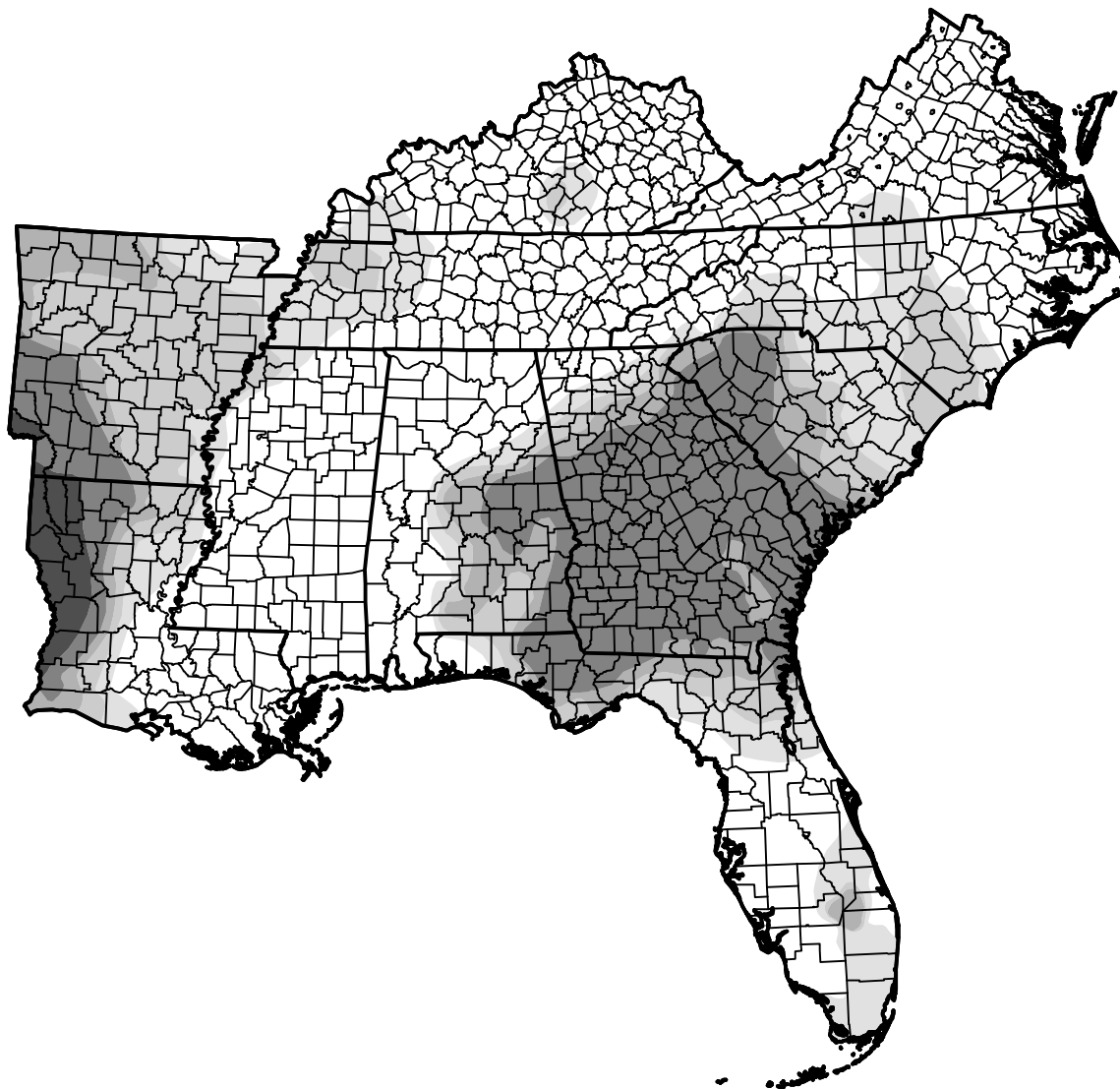


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



October 4, 2011
(Released Thursday, Oct. 6, 2011)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	48.98	14.01	12.05	7.27	16.01	1.67
Last Week <i>09-27-2011</i>	48.81	15.35	10.88	7.52	15.79	1.64
3 Months Ago <i>07-05-2011</i>	26.38	18.52	16.92	10.38	13.76	14.05
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>09-27-2011</i>	48.81	15.35	10.88	7.52	15.79	1.64
One Year Ago <i>10-05-2010</i>	30.73	31.37	26.73	9.32	1.85	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:

Richard Tinker
 CPC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP



droughtmonitor.unl.edu