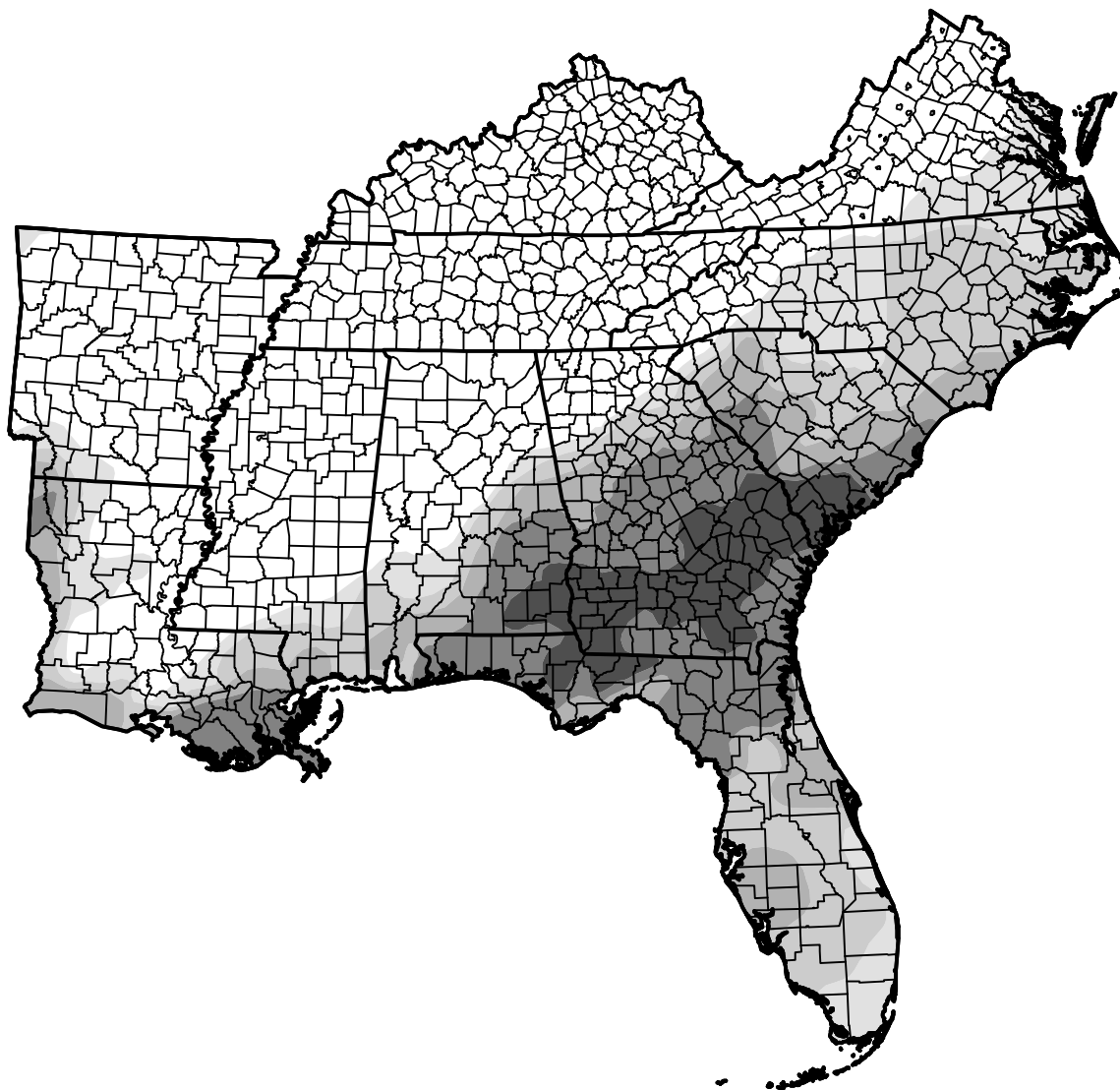


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	51.24	10.49	12.72	8.60	11.17	5.78
Last Week <i>02-07-2012</i>	51.75	10.97	13.13	9.47	10.71	3.97
3 Months Ago <i>11-15-2011</i>	40.00	16.41	16.08	8.00	15.57	3.95
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	51.42	14.02	13.18	8.56	12.45	0.37
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>02-15-2011</i>	10.21	26.55	38.44	20.45	4.35	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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