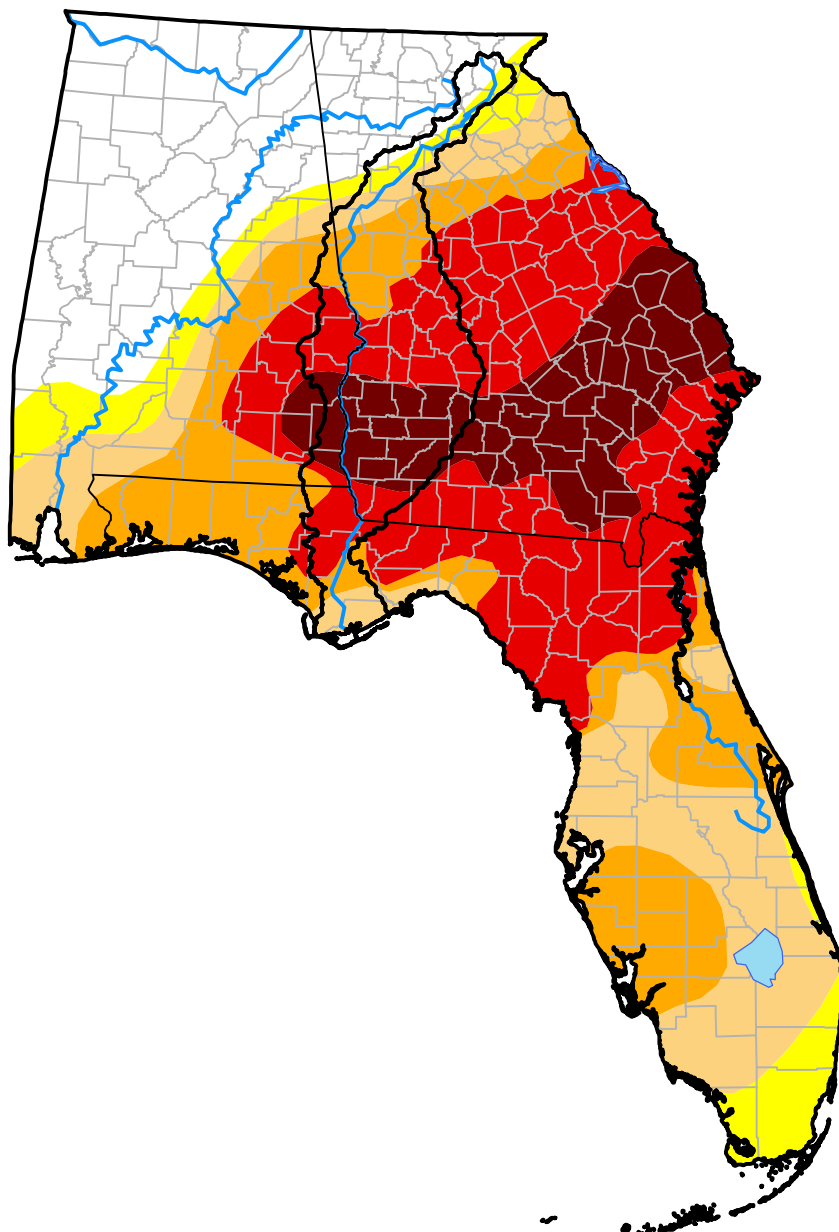


U.S. Drought Monitor

ACF River Basin RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.32	5.29	9.58	18.72	36.68	25.41
Last Week <i>02-16-2012</i>	6.02	3.58	4.87	19.60	30.33	35.60
3 Months Ago <i>11-23-2011</i>	0.00	4.49	6.88	8.80	79.83	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	3.27	9.68	4.48	13.38	69.20	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	0.00	1.72	10.78	7.09	80.41	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-24-2011</i>	0.00	12.61	65.68	21.71	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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