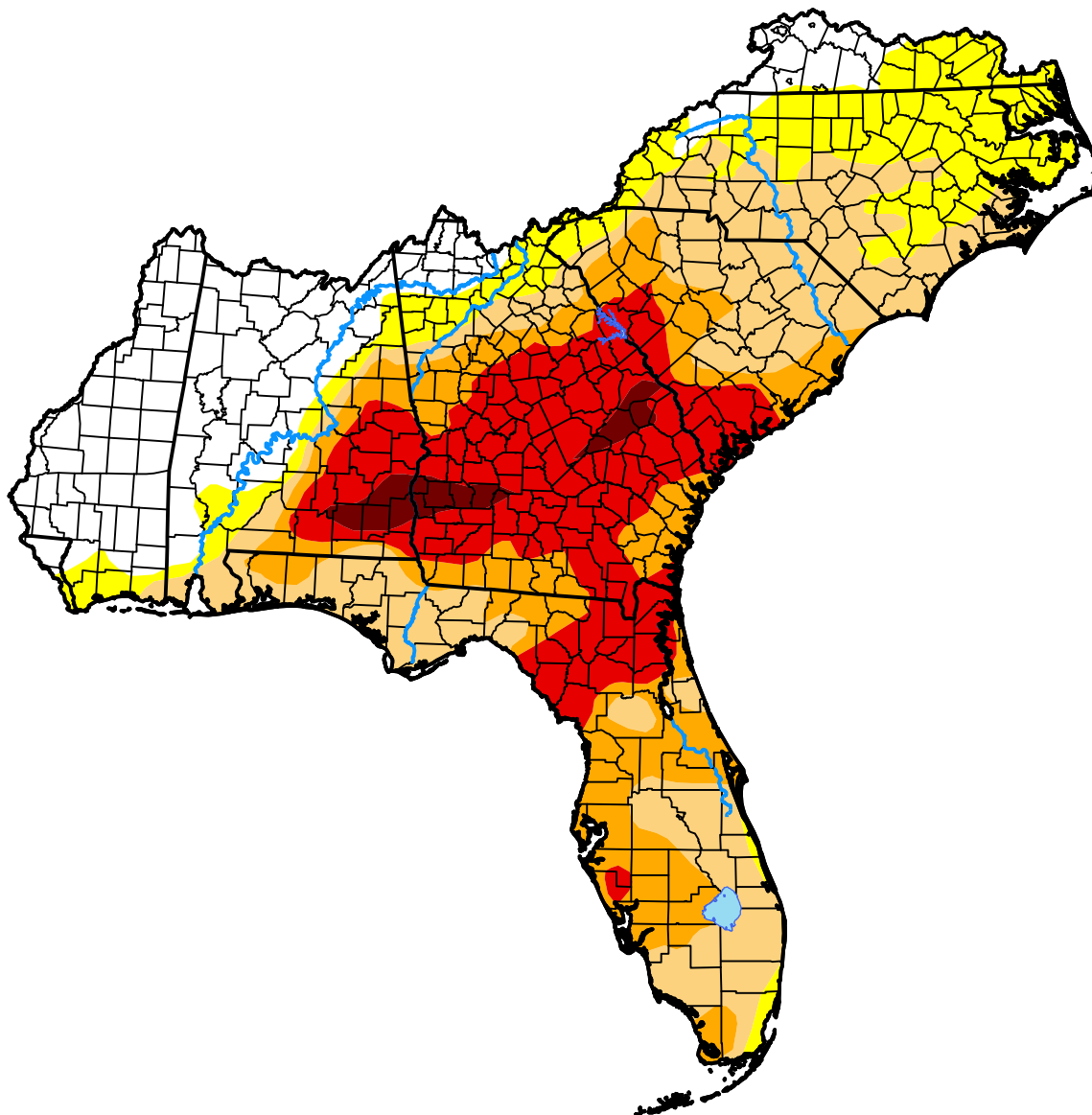


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	21.24	78.76	62.98	38.42	21.30	1.99
Last Week <i>03-22-2012</i>	17.63	82.37	69.22	38.46	21.35	1.99
3 Months Ago <i>12-29-2011</i>	32.46	67.54	48.86	30.65	20.03	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	25.80	74.20	51.61	30.77	20.04	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	38.40	61.60	44.74	34.00	25.13	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-31-2011</i>	16.20	83.80	56.73	23.94	6.66	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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