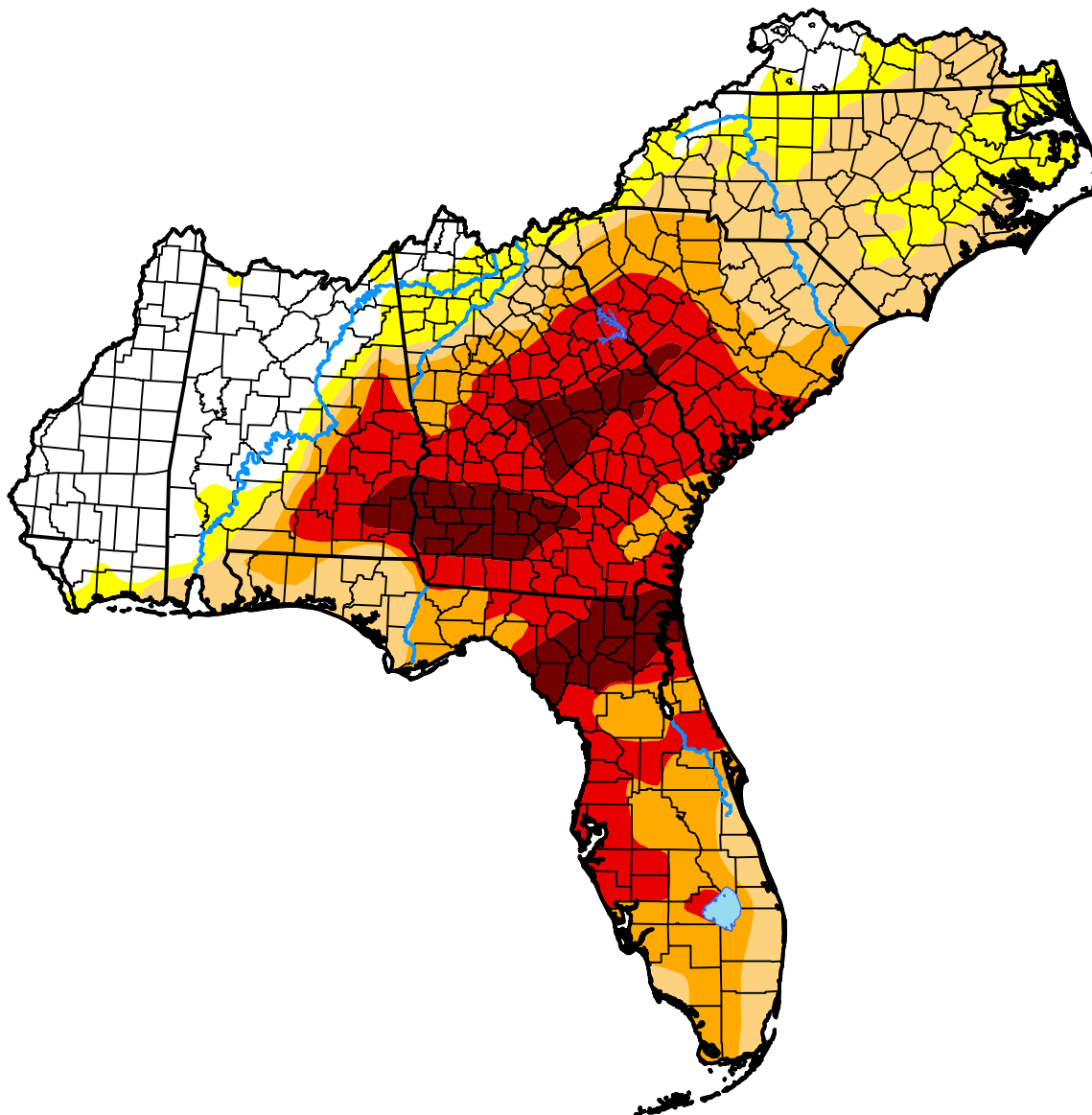


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	20.20	12.07	21.17	16.99	21.94	7.63
Last Week <i>04-12-2012</i>	20.37	12.07	24.83	15.61	21.46	5.66
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2012</i>	21.45	19.23	23.04	10.96	23.71	1.61
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	25.80	22.59	20.84	10.74	20.04	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	38.40	16.87	10.73	8.88	25.13	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-21-2011</i>	26.67	26.88	29.46	13.71	3.28	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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