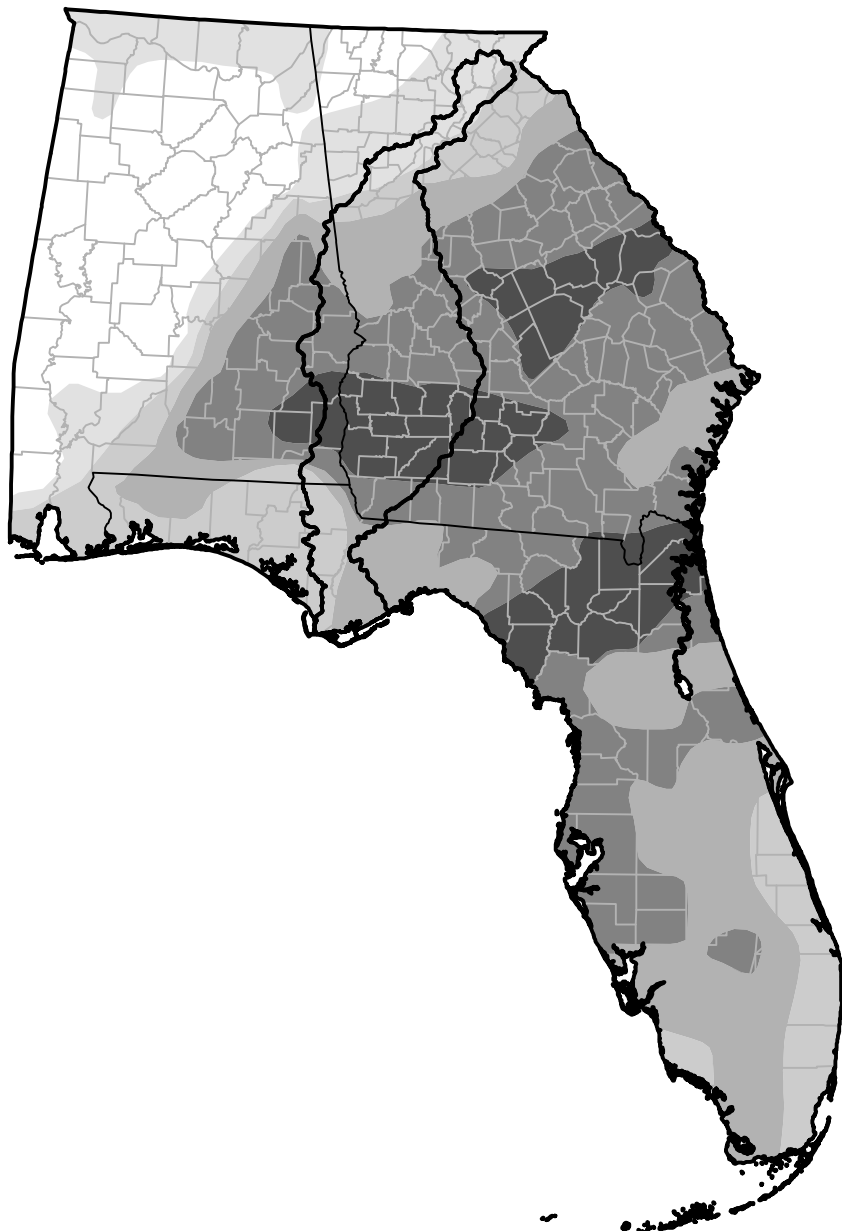


U.S. Drought Monitor

ACF River Basin RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	8.65	12.94	22.07	32.83	23.51
Last Week <i>04-12-2012</i>	0.00	9.59	12.00	22.07	43.82	12.52
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2012</i>	3.27	4.24	8.31	6.87	60.74	16.56
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>04-21-2011</i>	9.17	10.91	71.73	8.19	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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