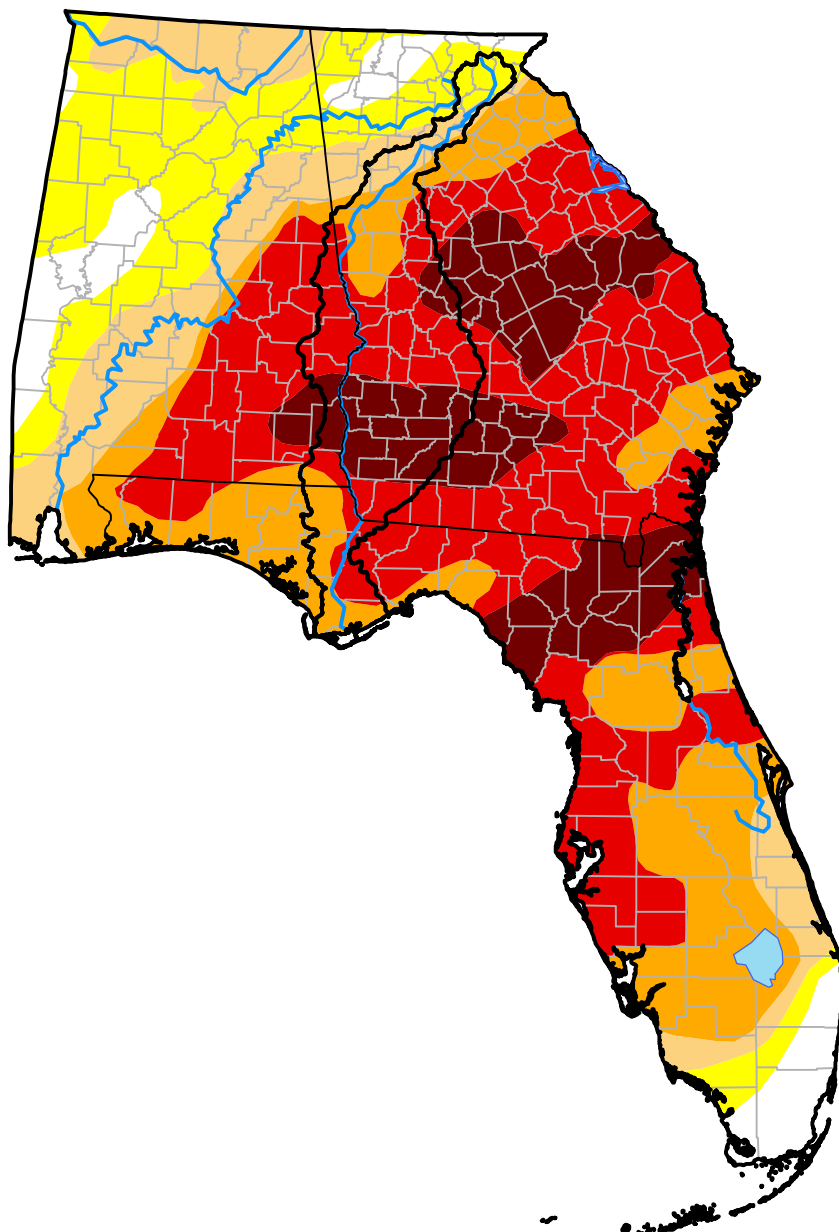


Upper Basin RDEWS and Surrounding Areas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	6.20	13.86	12.48	20.81	32.62	14.03
Last Week 04-26-2012	15.15	12.00	12.70	19.50	28.62	12.02
3 Months Ago 02-02-2012	22.30	6.99	21.46	19.91	22.95	6.39
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	19.42	25.85	13.17	13.66	27.89	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	32.82	13.17	9.14	10.00	34.87	0.00
One Year Ago 05-05-2011	27.41	10.44	36.33	20.11	5.71	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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