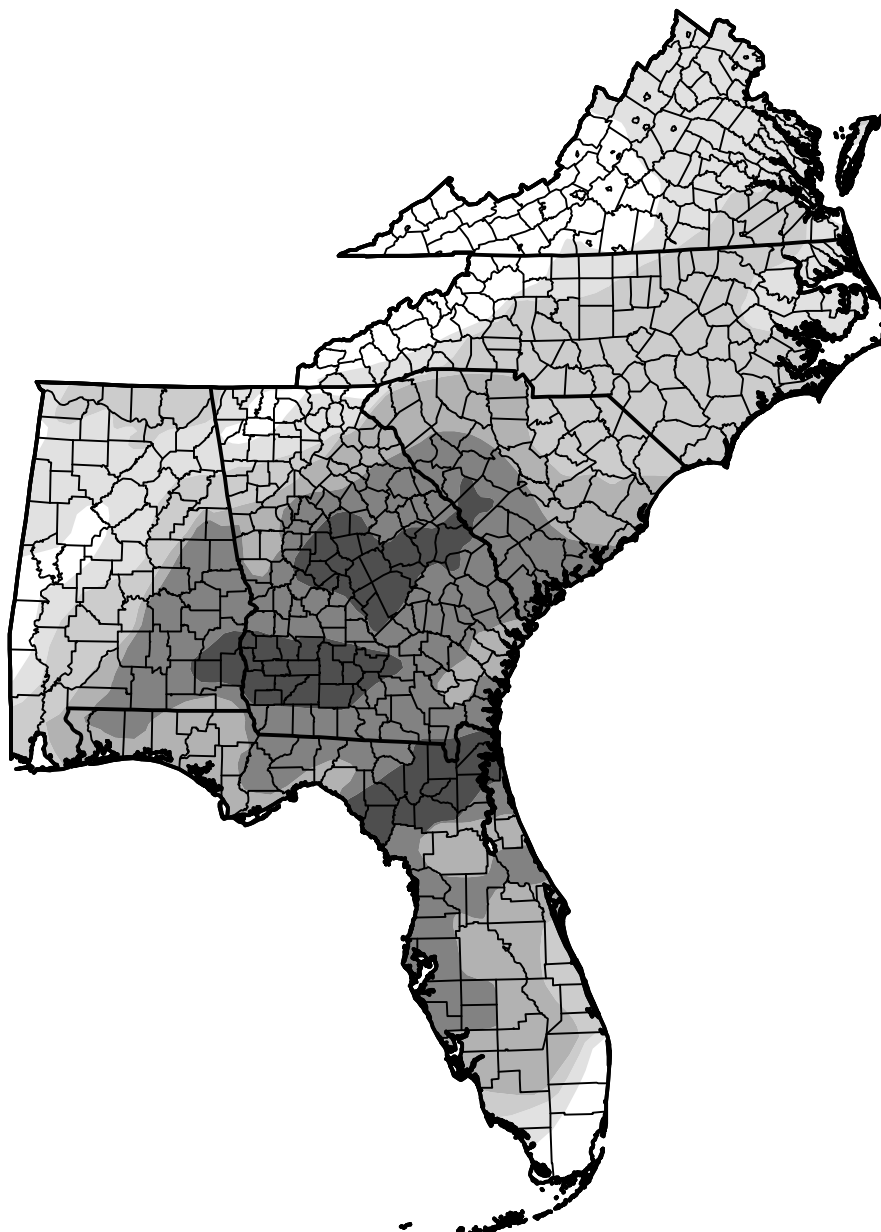


U.S. Drought Monitor Southeast



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.70	19.06	21.93	16.40	22.49	8.42
Last Week <i>04-24-2012</i>	16.48	20.74	20.17	15.19	20.28	7.14
3 Months Ago <i>01-31-2012</i>	27.30	16.89	20.03	15.44	16.63	3.71
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	33.82	20.55	17.00	9.91	18.72	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	42.24	15.92	10.05	8.30	23.49	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-03-2011</i>	32.87	22.03	30.09	11.69	3.32	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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