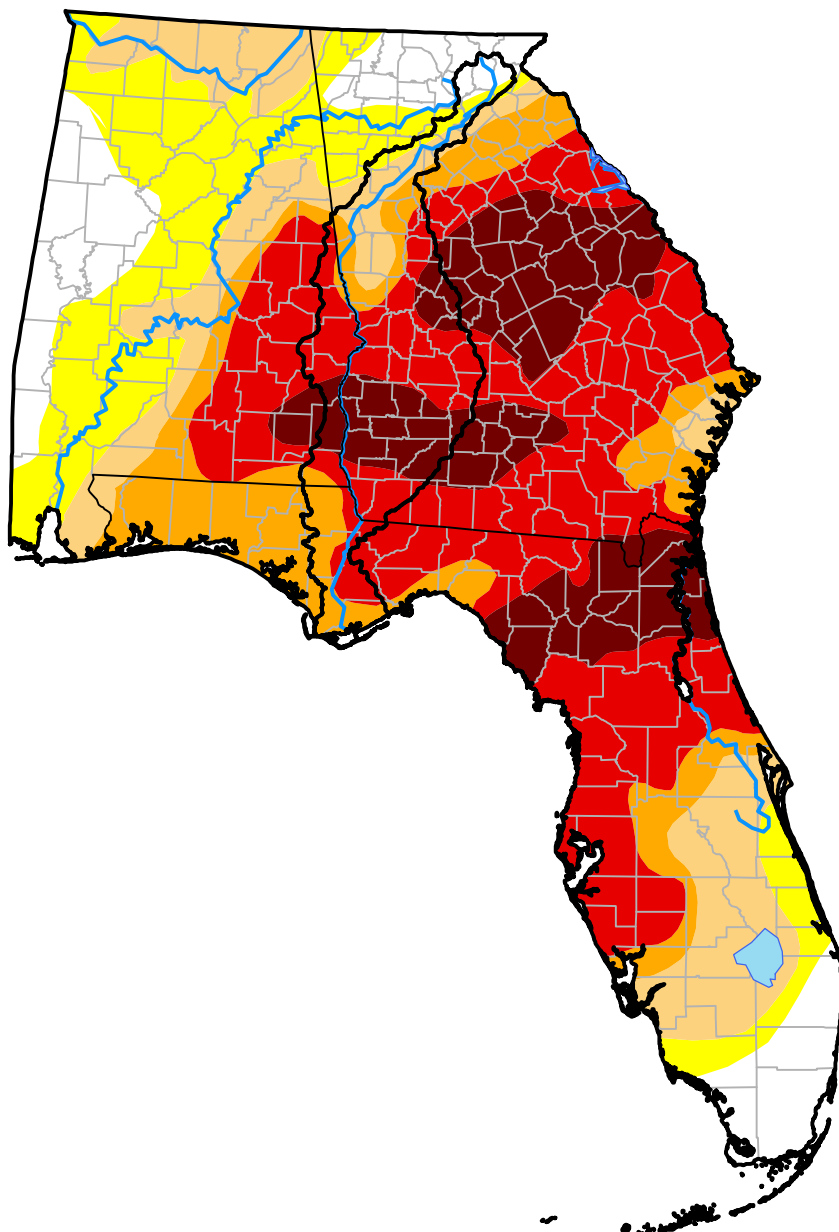


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## ACF River Basin RDEWS

**May 22, 2012**  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	3.11	96.89	93.76	83.38	64.96	24.07
<b>Last Week</b> 05-17-2012	3.11	96.89	93.76	83.38	64.96	26.12
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 02-23-2012	4.32	95.68	90.40	80.81	62.09	25.41
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-05-2012	3.27	96.73	87.06	82.58	69.20	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-29-2011	0.00	100.00	98.28	87.50	80.41	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 05-26-2011	2.18	97.82	89.08	83.47	22.21	0.00

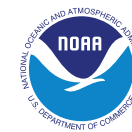
### Intensity:

 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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