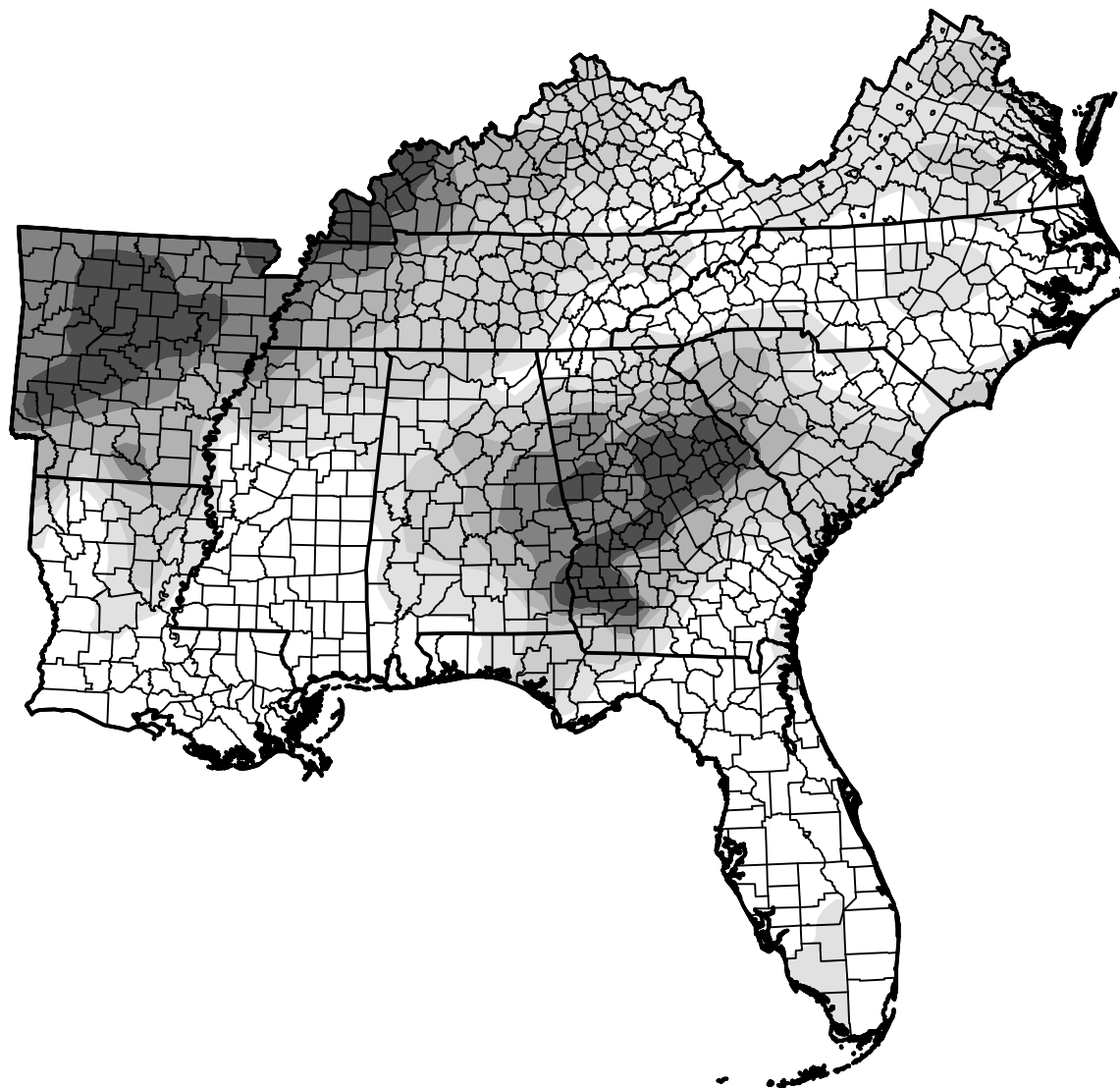


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	35.71	20.06	17.28	10.09	9.42	7.44
Last Week <i>07-17-2012</i>	29.99	23.63	17.23	13.94	10.97	4.24
3 Months Ago <i>04-24-2012</i>	44.00	20.37	12.00	8.43	11.25	3.96
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	51.42	14.02	13.18	8.56	12.45	0.37
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	48.81	15.35	10.88	7.52	15.79	1.64
One Year Ago <i>07-26-2011</i>	29.78	16.95	19.15	12.77	17.31	4.04

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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