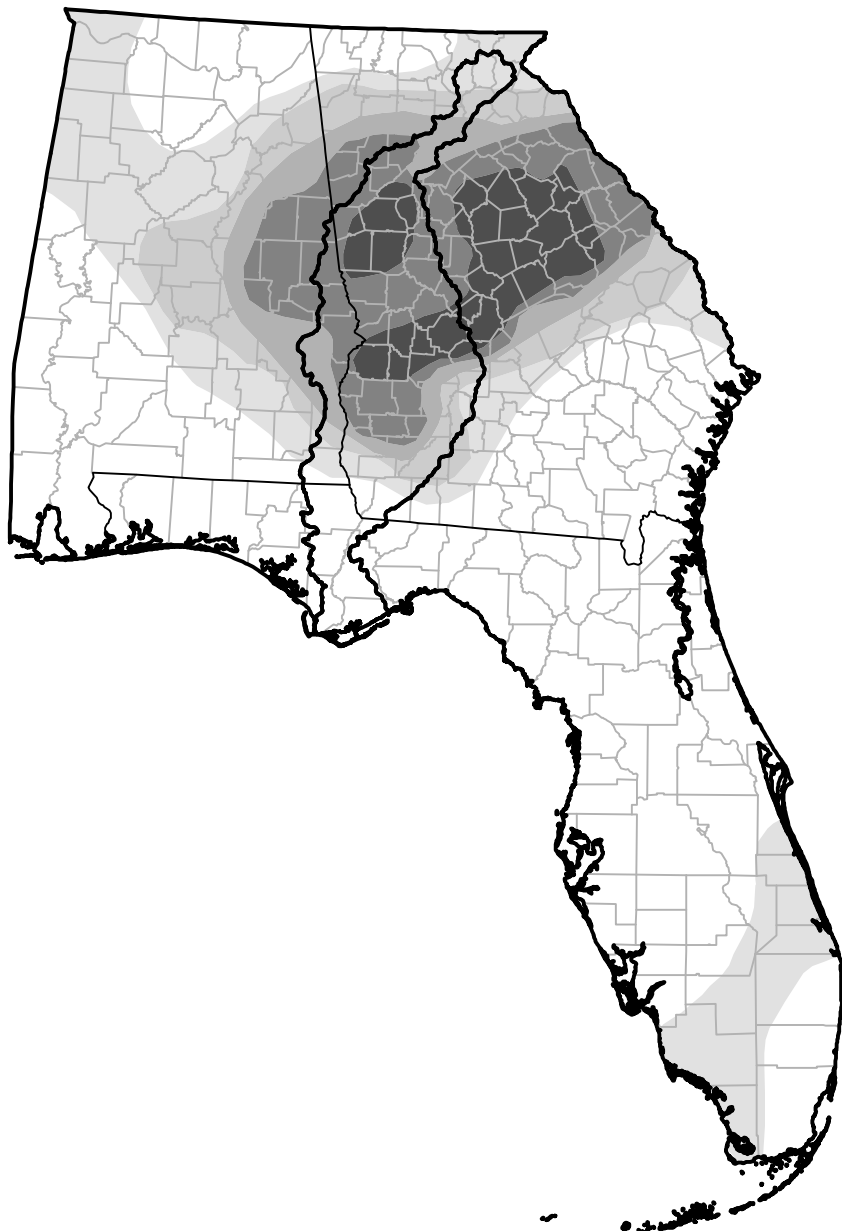


U.S. Drought Monitor ACF River Basin RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	18.12	8.54	8.64	11.89	34.15	18.67
Last Week 08-09-2012	14.64	7.31	4.51	9.76	29.14	34.64
3 Months Ago 05-17-2012	3.11	3.13	10.38	18.43	38.84	26.12
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	3.27	9.68	4.48	13.38	69.20	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	0.00	1.72	10.78	7.09	80.41	0.00
One Year Ago 08-18-2011	0.00	6.43	5.90	30.42	57.24	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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