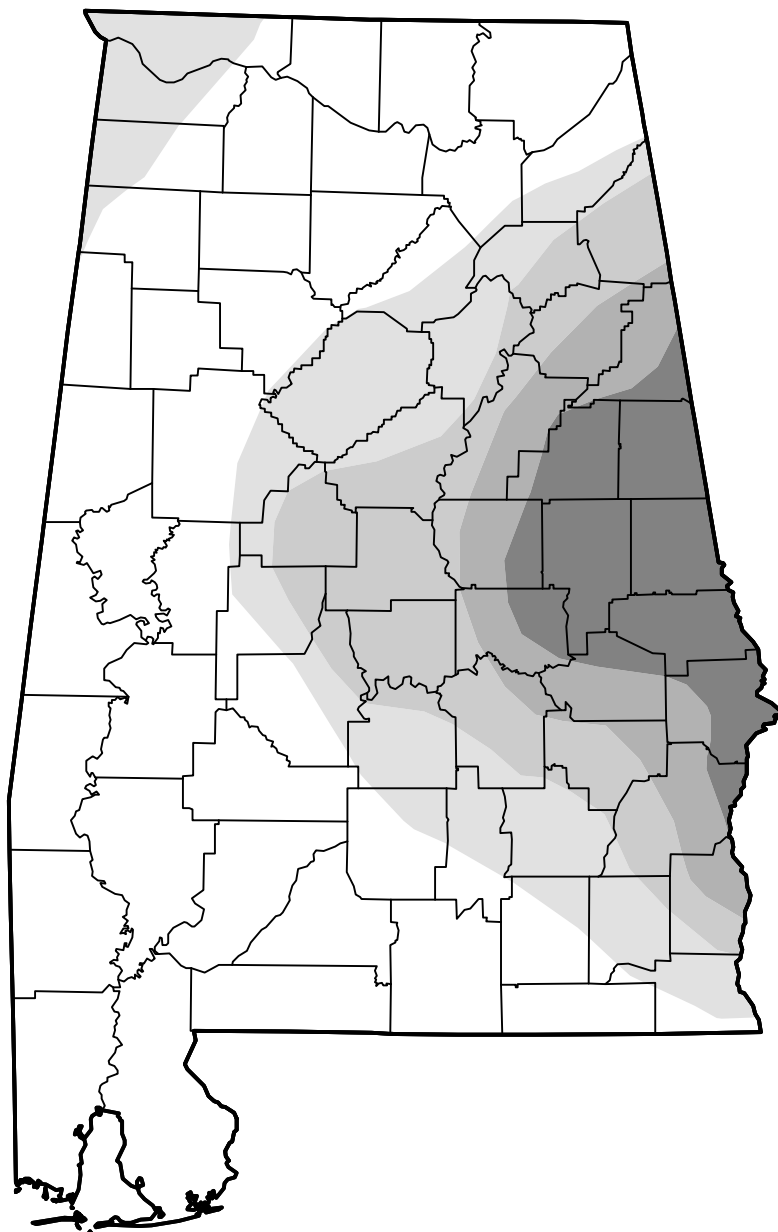


U.S. Drought Monitor

Alabama



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.04	16.72	11.86	6.70	8.66	0.00
Last Week 08-16-2012	46.47	26.29	10.98	7.59	8.66	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-24-2012	15.46	36.28	21.21	6.36	17.82	2.85
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	39.32	11.03	21.67	13.50	14.47	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	52.53	7.76	10.57	14.73	14.38	0.00
One Year Ago 08-25-2011	30.55	13.48	19.45	32.00	4.50	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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