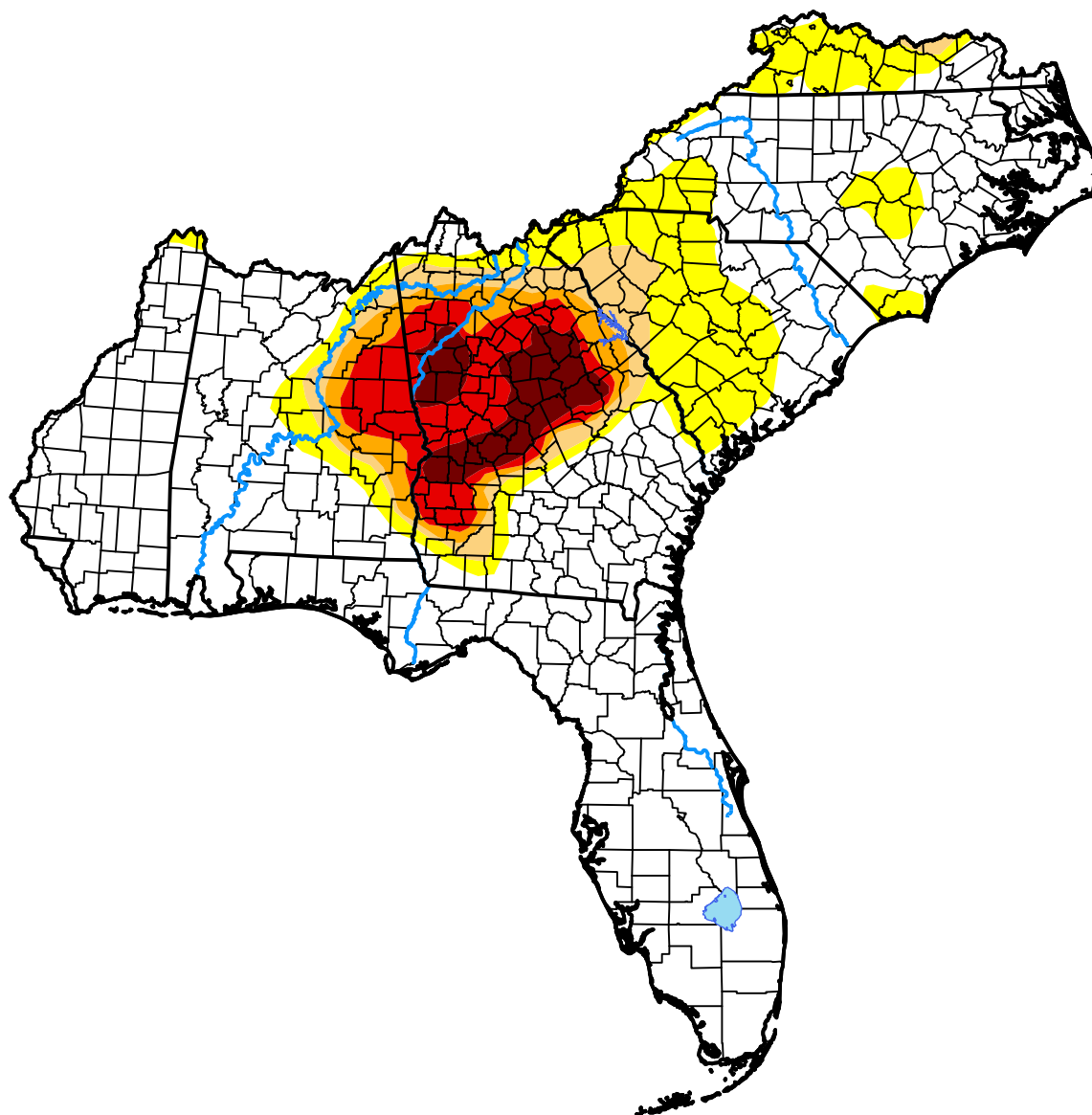


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	68.32	31.68	16.71	12.31	9.06	3.54
Last Week <i>09-13-2012</i>	68.22	31.78	16.71	12.31	9.06	3.70
3 Months Ago <i>06-21-2012</i>	39.84	60.16	37.50	22.39	9.24	3.23
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	25.80	74.20	51.61	30.77	20.04	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	38.40	61.60	44.74	34.00	25.13	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-22-2011</i>	35.55	64.45	51.27	34.81	25.86	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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