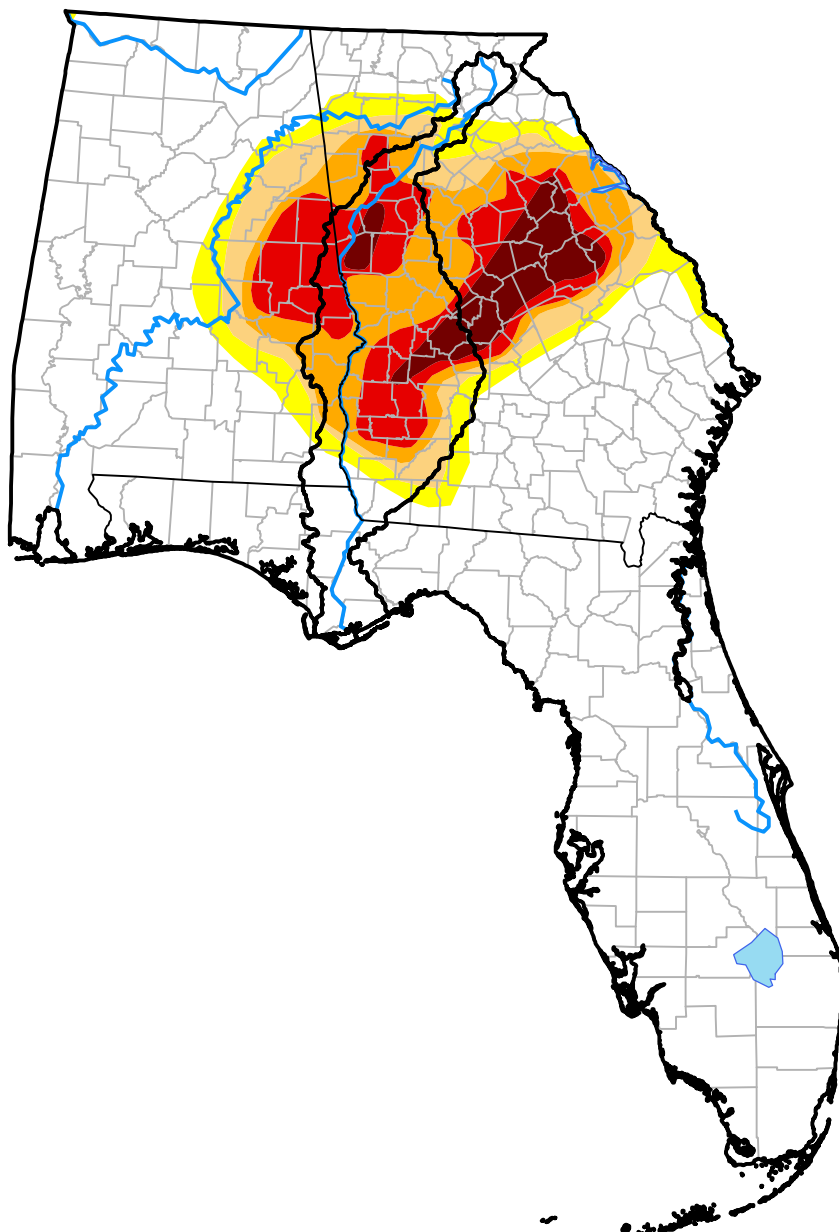


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 73.21 | 5.41 | 4.70 | 6.90 | 6.61 | 3.18 |
| Last Week 10-04-2012 | 72.15 | 5.70 | 4.91 | 7.46 | 6.61 | 3.18 |
| 3 Months Ago 07-12-2012 | 35.64 | 19.44 | 14.32 | 12.21 | 10.40 | 7.99 |
| Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012 | 19.42 | 25.85 | 13.17 | 13.66 | 27.89 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-27-2012 | 69.10 | 6.40 | 4.71 | 5.11 | 8.63 | 6.06 |
| One Year Ago 10-13-2011 | 35.41 | 11.89 | 7.14 | 12.15 | 33.42 | 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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