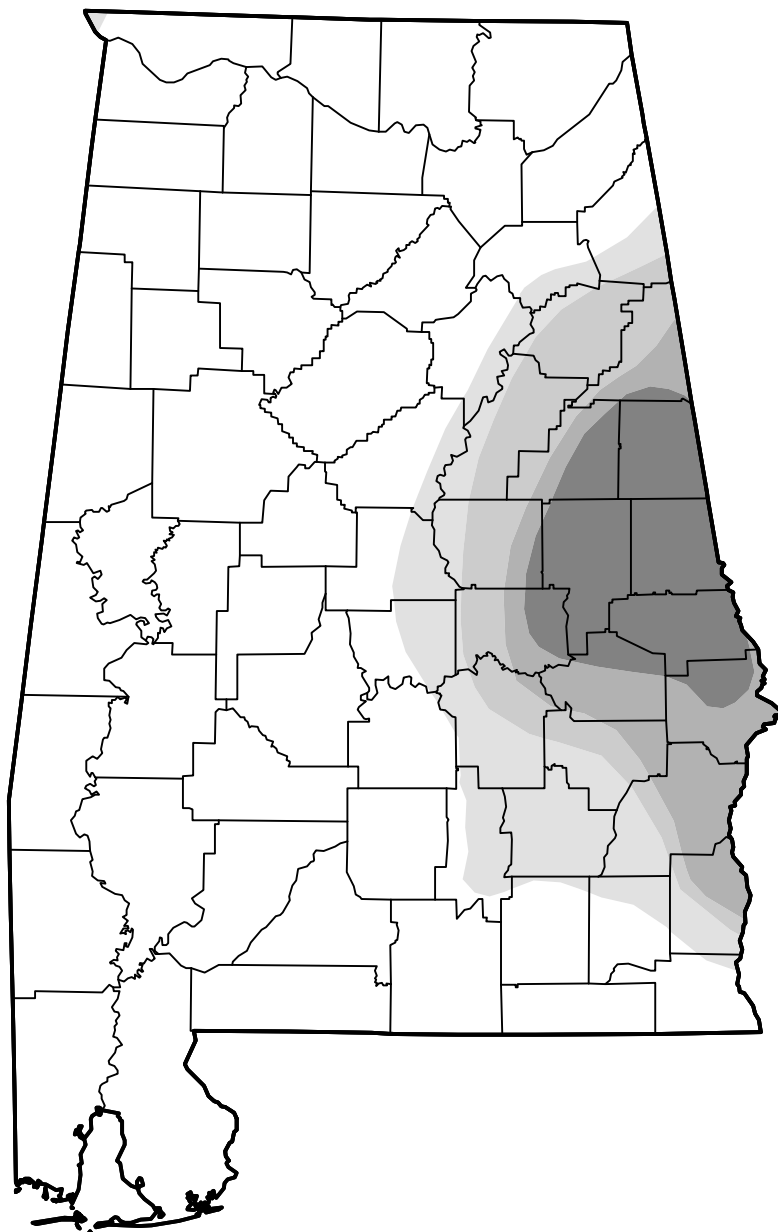


U.S. Drought Monitor

Alabama



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	74.34	25.64	17.17	11.69	6.82	0.00
Last Week <i>10-11-2012</i>	76.40	23.58	17.17	11.69	6.82	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-19-2012</i>	10.14	89.85	58.56	29.35	15.65	1.08
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	39.32	60.67	49.64	27.97	14.47	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	71.56	28.42	19.42	15.36	8.69	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-20-2011</i>	39.82	60.16	41.46	31.73	18.18	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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