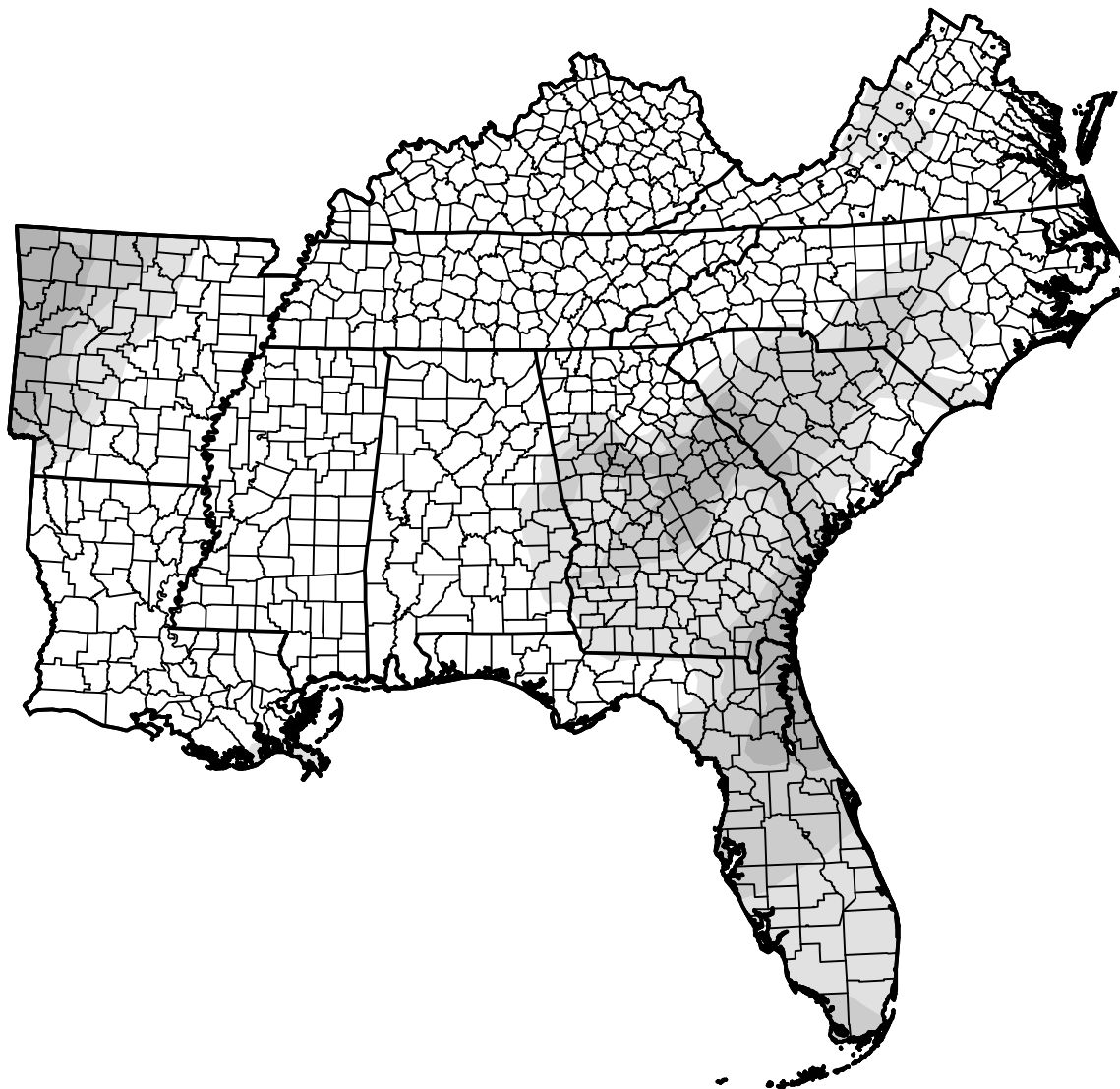


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	68.07	15.44	11.14	5.35	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-26-2013</i>	67.71	13.93	12.23	6.13	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-04-2012</i>	29.01	31.88	21.89	9.34	5.97	1.90
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	41.82	25.87	16.63	7.85	6.66	1.17
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	59.82	14.83	8.43	7.29	6.77	2.85
One Year Ago <i>03-06-2012</i>	53.35	10.55	17.54	7.96	9.70	0.90

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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