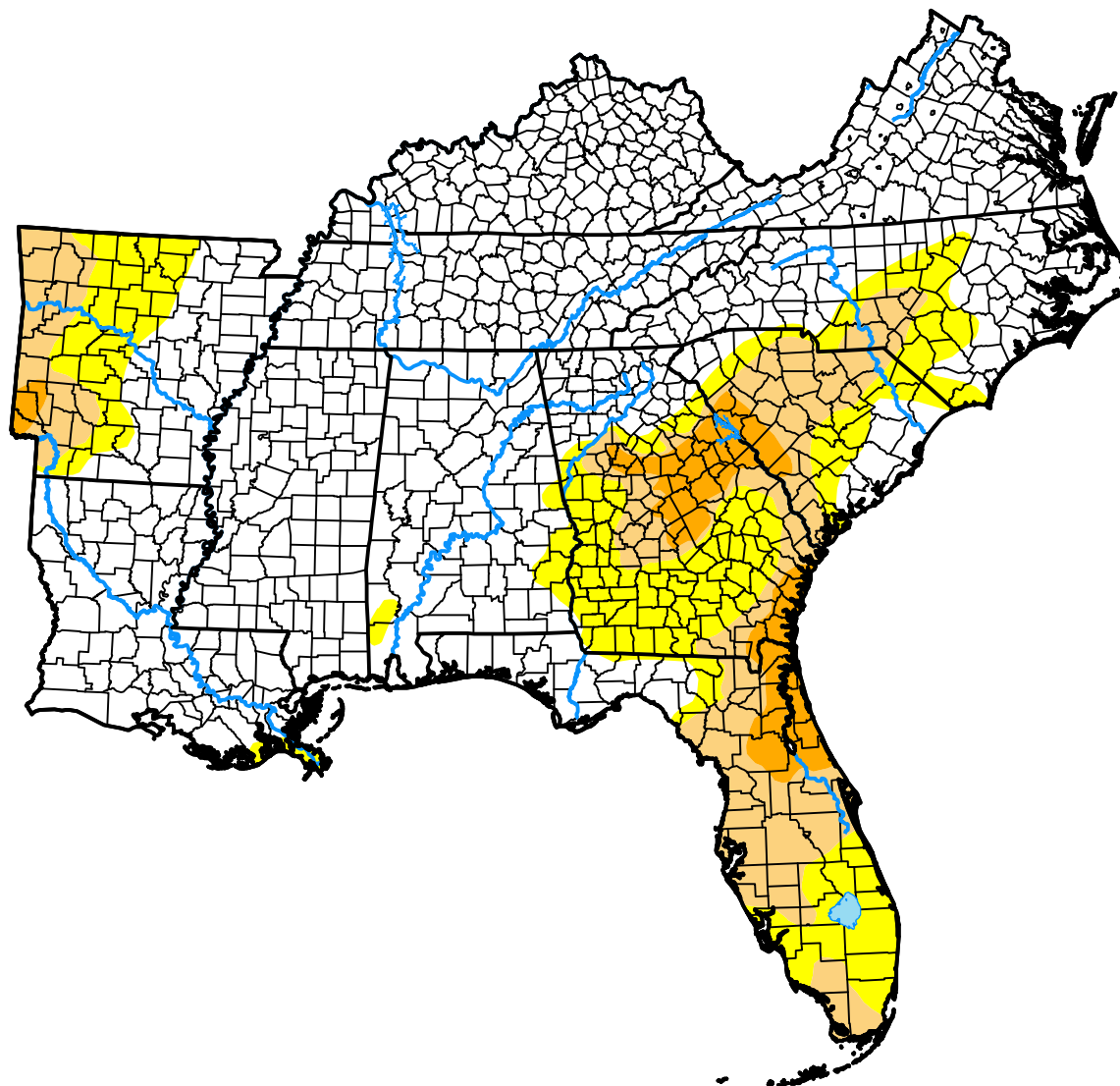


U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	69.27	30.73	15.56	3.94	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-05-2013</i>	68.07	31.93	16.49	5.35	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-11-2012</i>	35.86	64.14	36.05	16.85	7.95	1.90
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	41.82	58.18	32.31	15.68	7.82	1.17
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	59.82	40.18	25.35	16.91	9.62	2.85
One Year Ago <i>03-13-2012</i>	53.53	46.47	36.55	18.57	10.60	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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