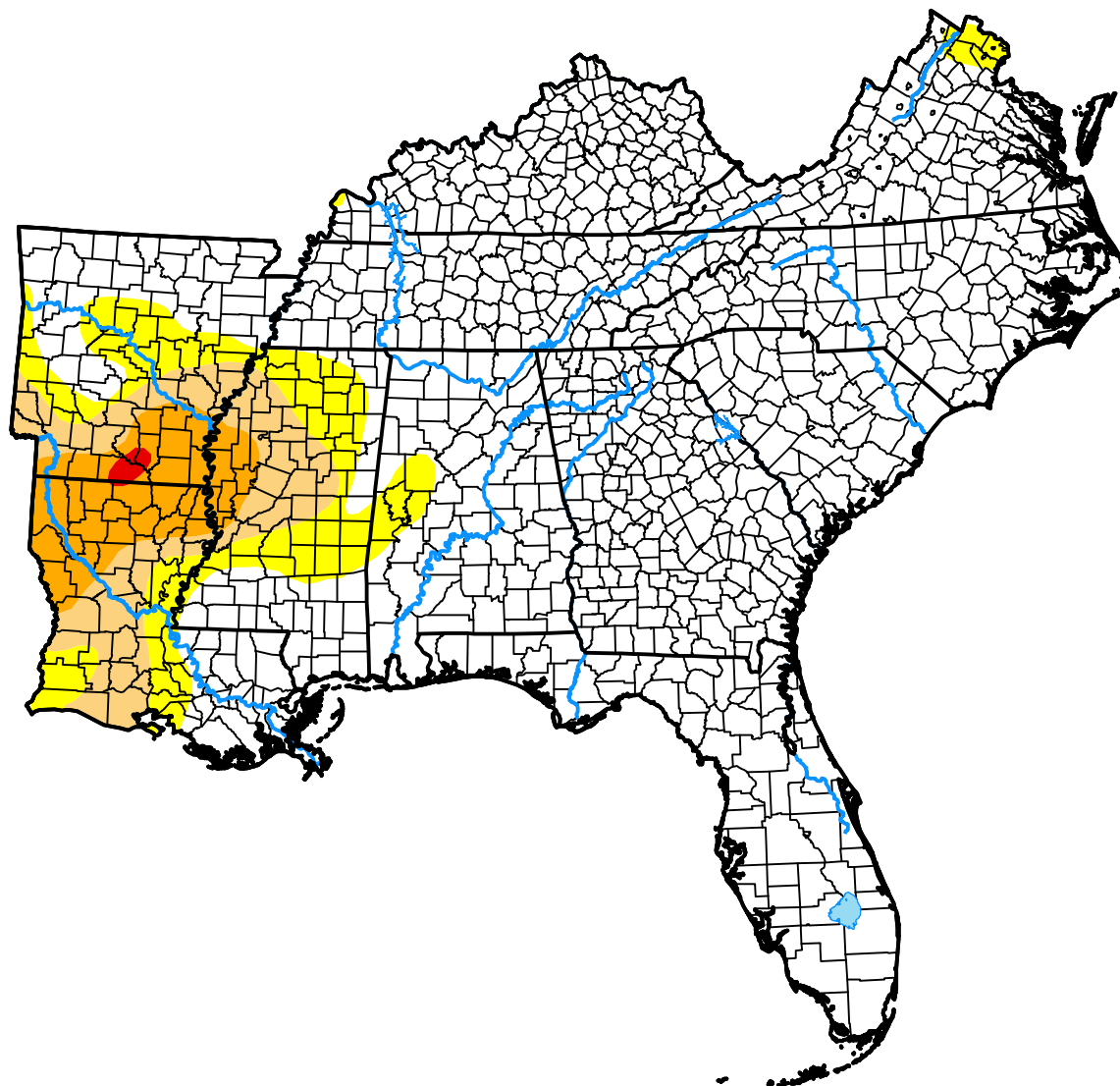


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southeast Climate Hub

**September 24, 2013**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 26, 2013)*  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 80.87 | 19.13 | 11.02 | 4.96  | 0.20  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-17-2013</i>              | 74.47 | 25.53 | 15.43 | 10.60 | 3.56  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-25-2013</i>           | 94.60 | 5.40  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2013</i> | 41.82 | 58.18 | 32.31 | 15.68 | 7.82  | 1.17 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-25-2012</i>    | 59.82 | 40.18 | 25.35 | 16.91 | 9.62  | 2.85 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-25-2012</i>           | 59.82 | 40.18 | 25.35 | 16.91 | 9.62  | 2.85 |

### 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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