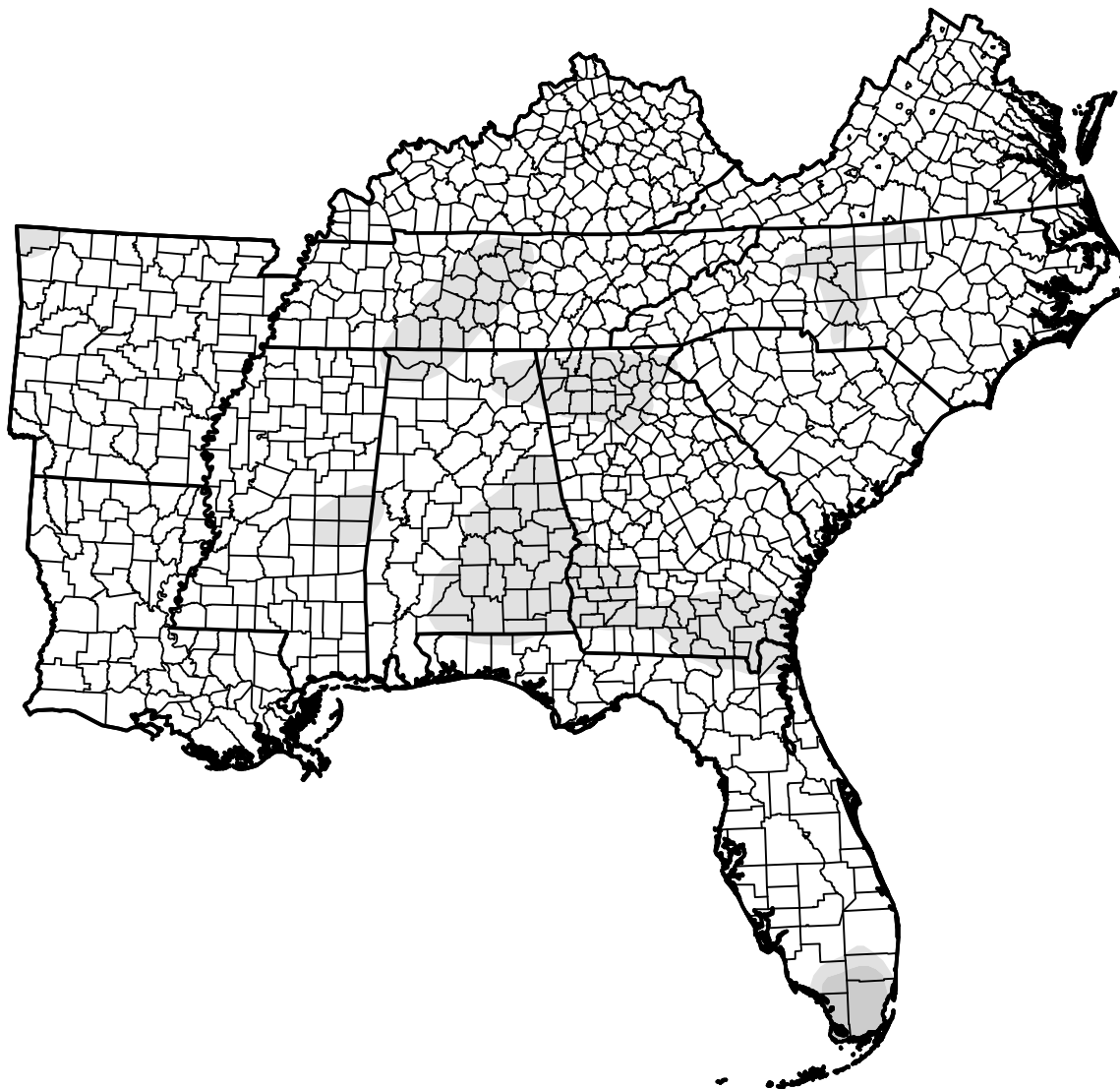


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	87.02	12.29	0.70	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-12-2015</i>	87.92	11.72	0.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-17-2015</i>	49.99	37.86	10.09	2.05	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	74.85	21.57	3.58	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	63.83	29.98	5.53	0.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-20-2014</i>	86.83	11.58	1.33	0.26	0.00	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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