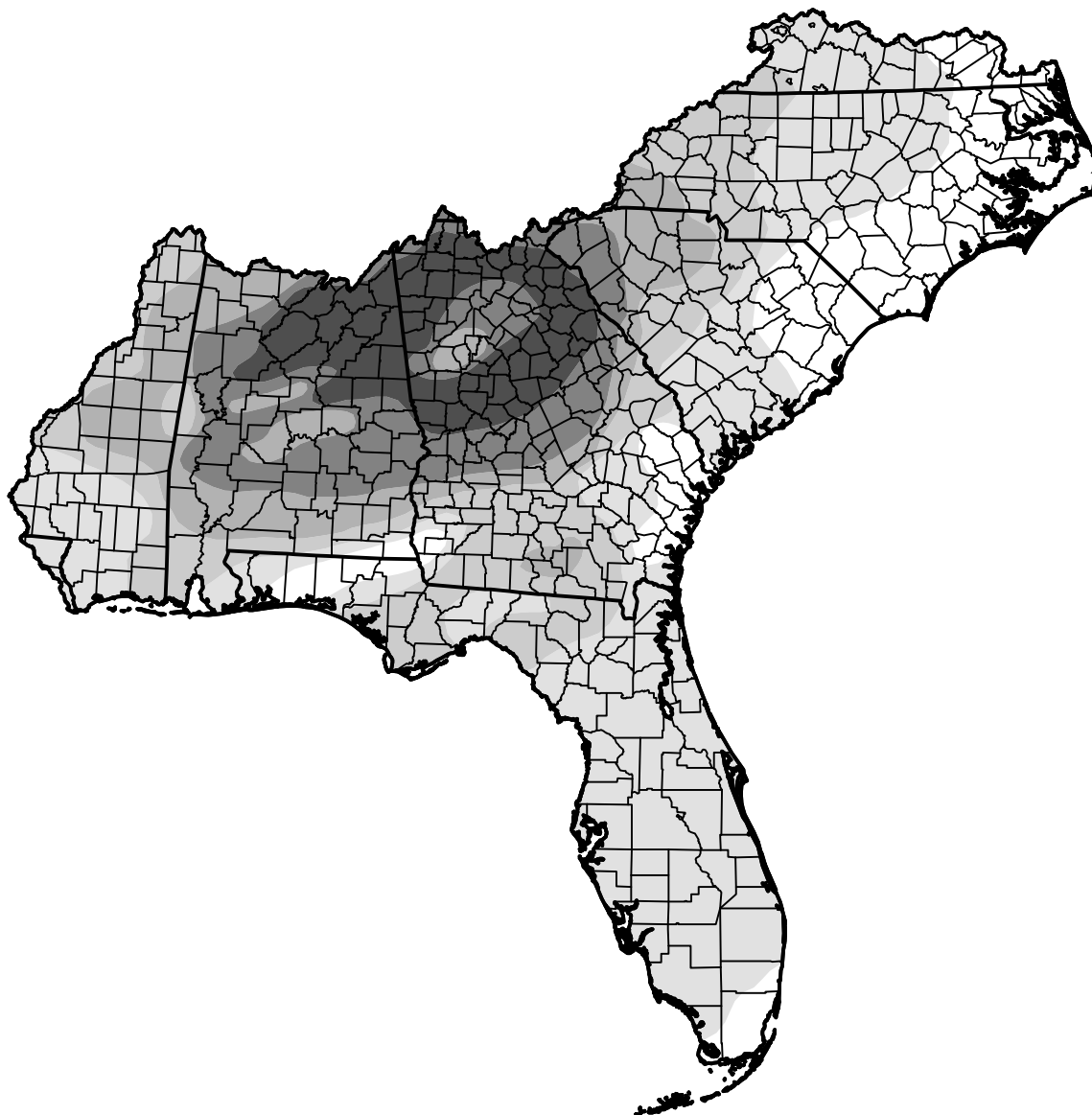


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Atlantic-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	15.00	34.09	17.68	12.26	11.54	9.45
Last Week <i>12-15-2016</i>	27.87	17.85	17.04	13.98	13.41	9.86
3 Months Ago <i>09-22-2016</i>	56.38	26.31	7.99	7.12	2.20	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	94.67	5.33	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	56.58	21.62	10.85	7.19	3.61	0.15
One Year Ago <i>12-24-2015</i>	94.22	5.78	0.00	0.00	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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