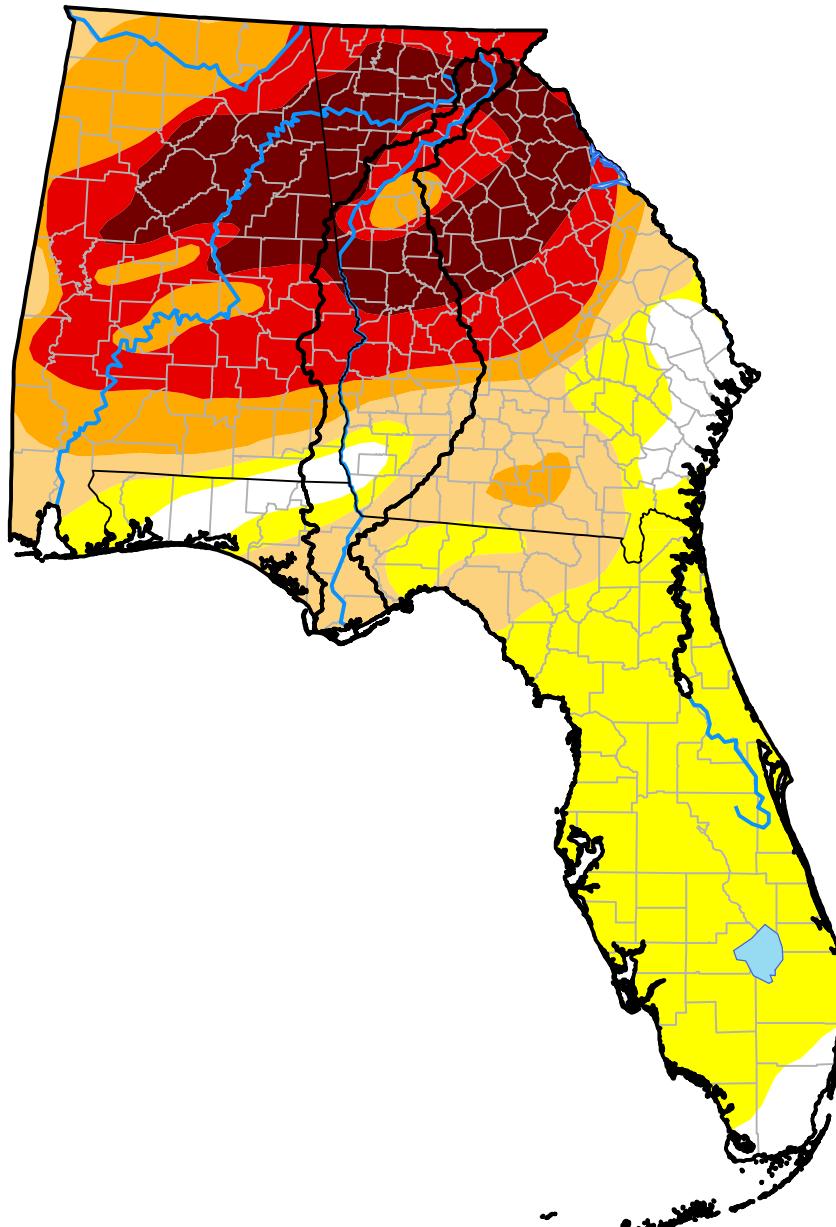


U.S. Drought Monitor

ACF River Basin RDEWS

December 20, 2016
(Released Thursday, Dec. 22, 2016)
Valid 7 a.m. EST



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|---|--------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Current | 6.29 | 93.71 | 86.43 | 61.48 | 50.53 | 20.69 |
| Last Week 12-15-2016 | 0.00 | 100.00 | 99.96 | 66.74 | 52.16 | 23.51 |
| 3 Months Ago 09-22-2016 | 26.01 | 73.99 | 45.73 | 29.66 | 7.22 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015 | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-29-2016 | 20.00 | 80.00 | 50.54 | 35.31 | 10.52 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 12-24-2015 | 100.00 | 0.00 | 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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