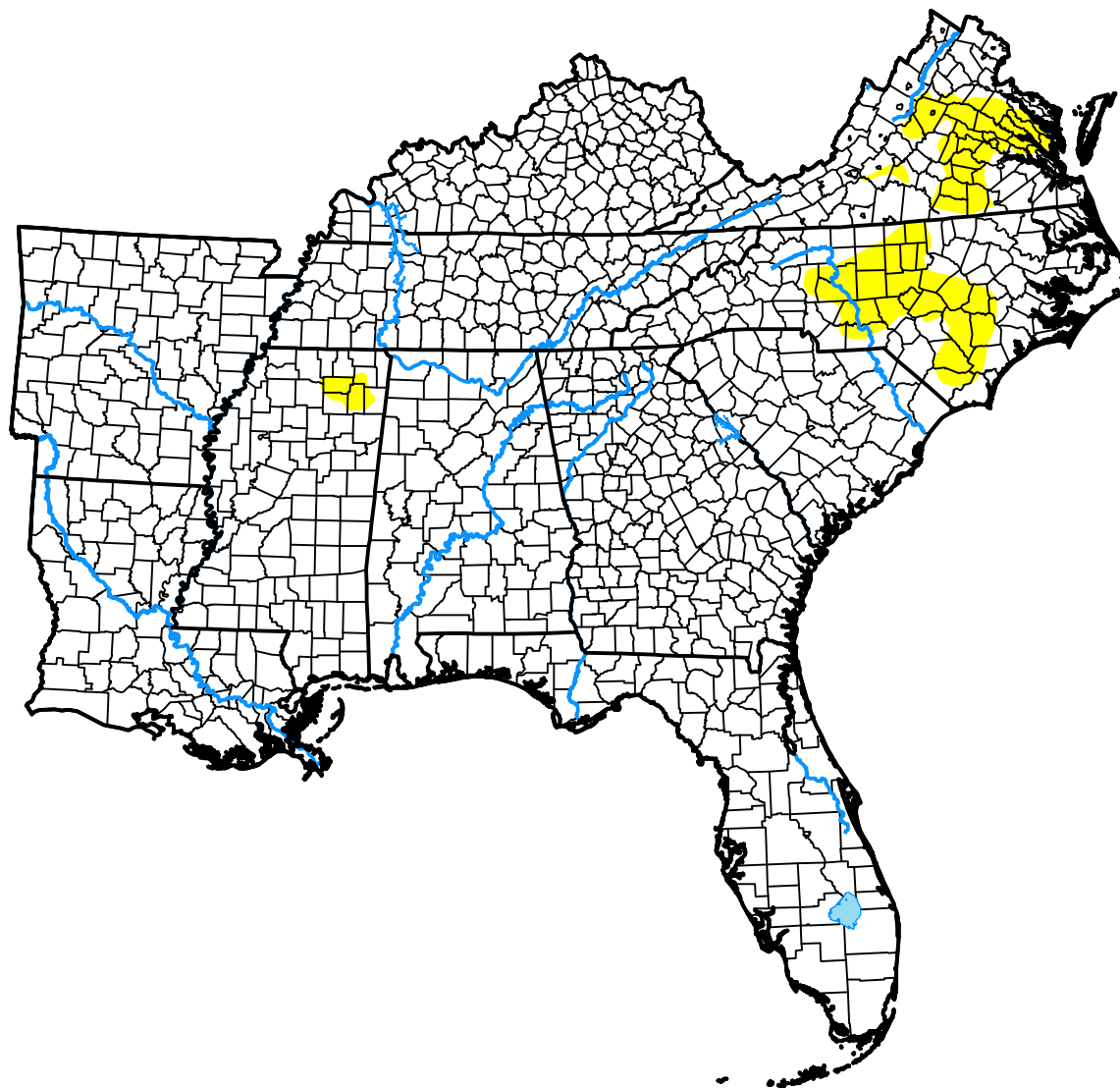


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	95.37	4.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-08-2017</i>	93.76	6.24	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2017</i>	67.51	32.49	18.17	7.03	2.50	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	33.99	66.01	35.01	14.40	5.27	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	54.59	45.41	16.44	7.39	2.59	0.29
One Year Ago <i>08-16-2016</i>	72.22	27.78	14.38	7.42	1.56	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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