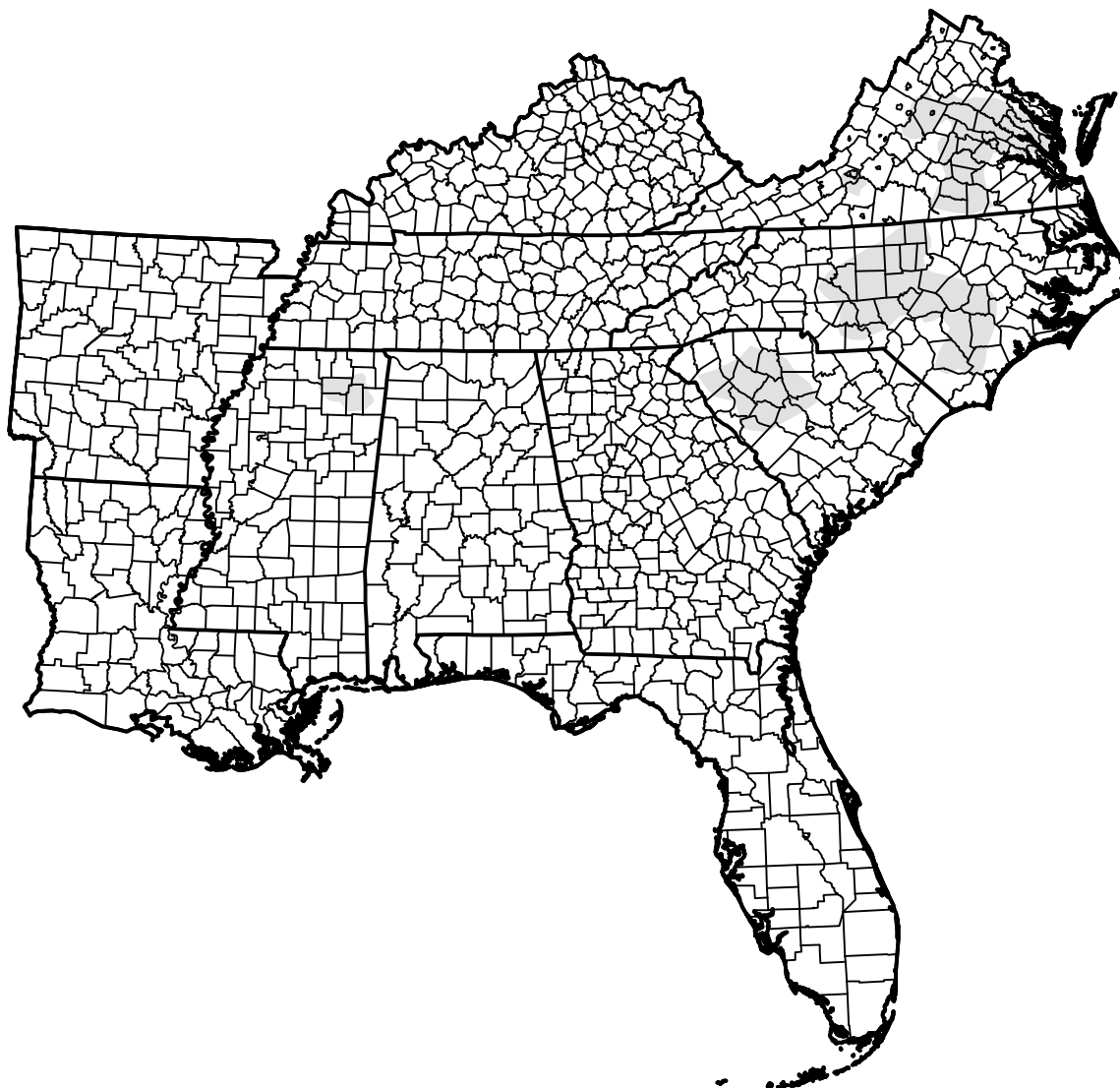


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	94.51	5.49	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-15-2017</i>	95.37	4.63	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-23-2017</i>	75.90	11.15	6.35	4.19	2.41	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	33.99	31.00	20.61	9.13	5.27	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	54.59	28.97	9.05	4.80	2.30	0.29
One Year Ago <i>08-23-2016</i>	74.21	13.37	6.52	5.04	0.86	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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