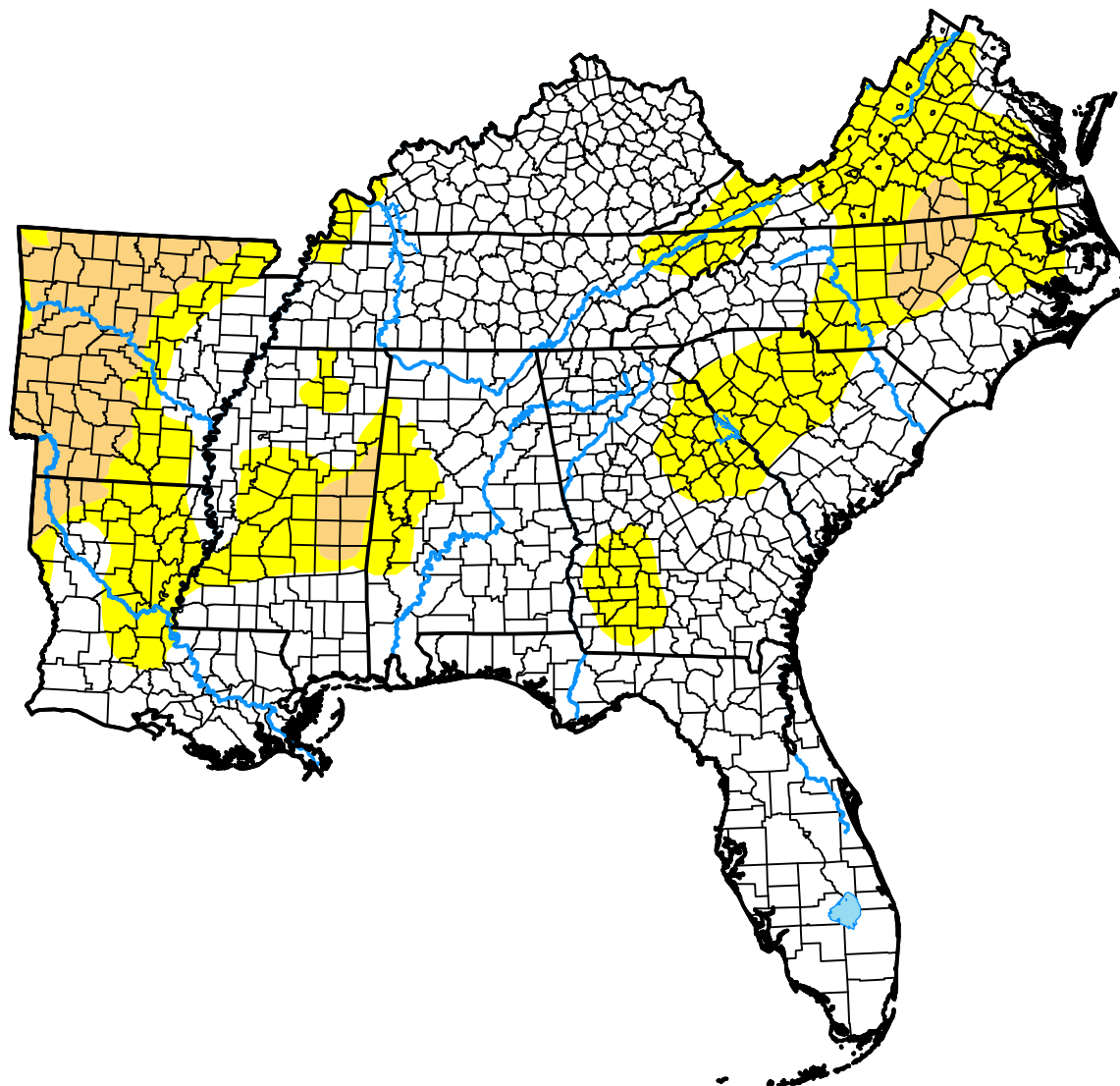


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.81	24.74	8.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-10-2017</i>	75.46	19.07	5.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-18-2017</i>	99.22	0.78	0.00	0.00	0.00	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>09-26-2017</i>	88.72	11.11	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-18-2016</i>	35.37	23.06	22.01	12.17	6.23	1.16

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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