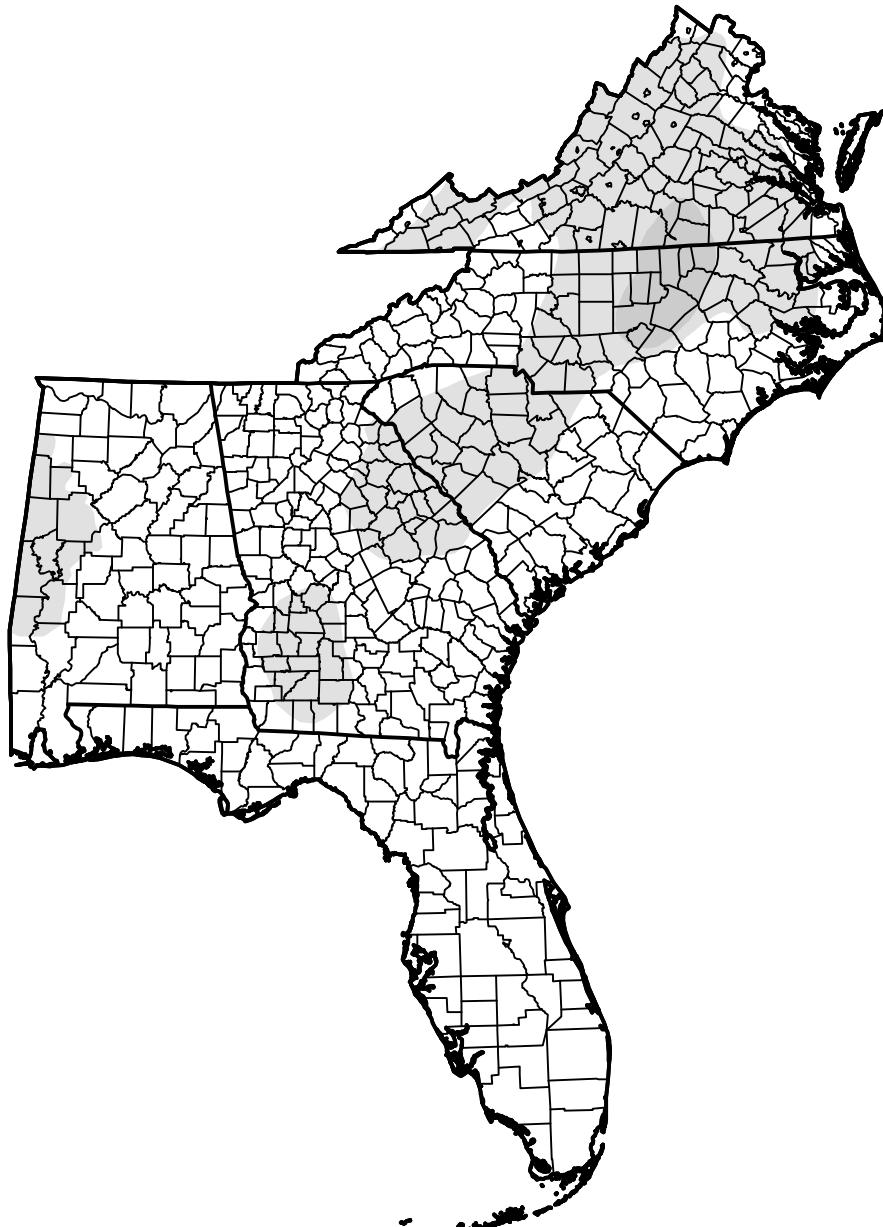


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southeast



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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	69.99	27.59	2.42	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 10-10-2017	79.39	18.18	2.42	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 07-18-2017	98.74	1.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-03-2017	26.09	35.38	17.46	12.21	8.86	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-26-2017	94.78	5.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 10-18-2016	56.65	5.90	13.36	13.21	9.04	1.84

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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