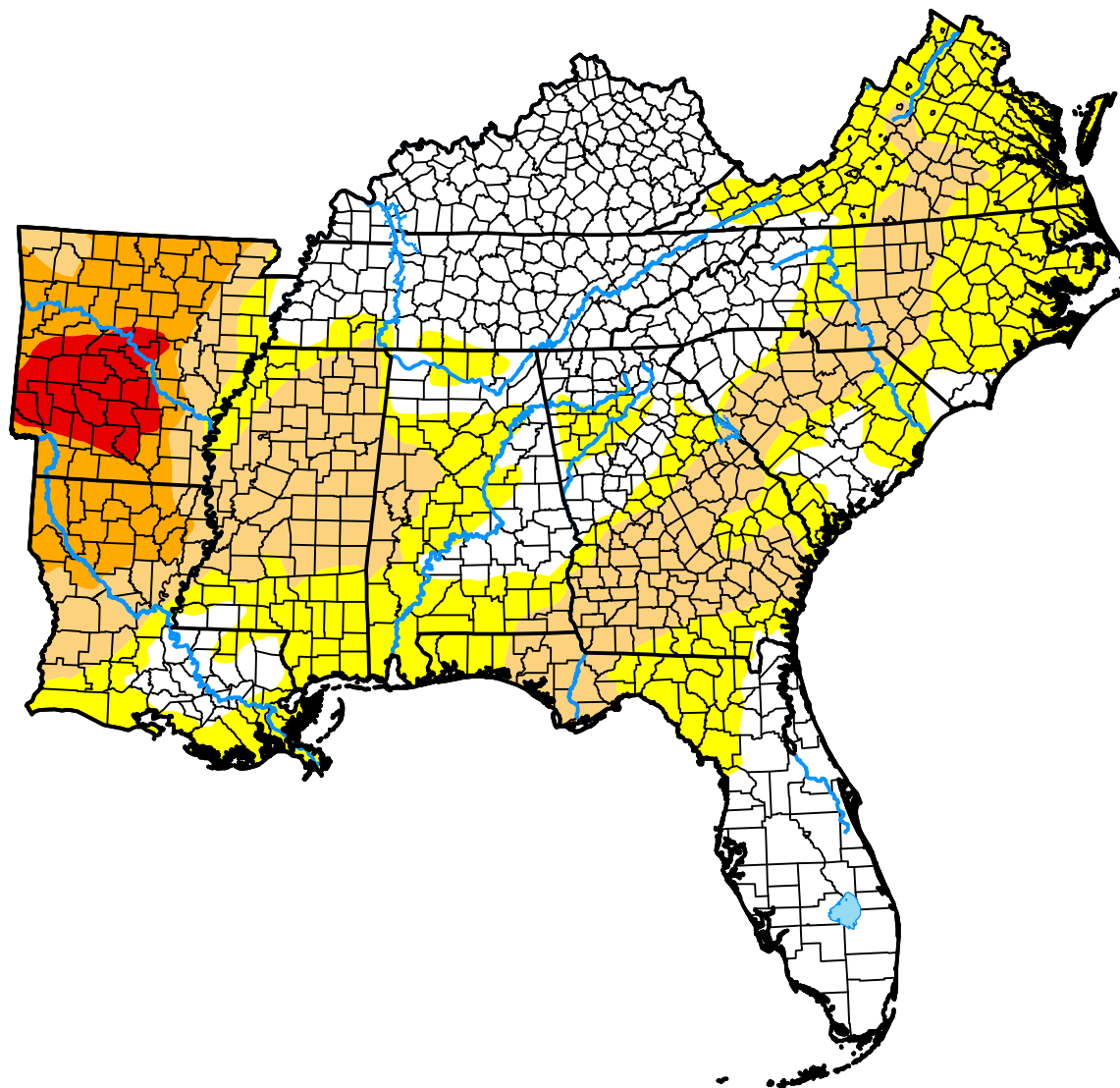


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southeast Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	36.19	63.81	32.68	9.83	2.69	0.00
Last Week <i>11-28-2017</i>	40.60	59.40	26.91	8.01	1.51	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-05-2017</i>	95.26	4.74	0.00	0.00	0.00	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>09-26-2017</i>	88.72	11.28	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-06-2016</i>	14.89	85.11	71.55	44.79	15.96	5.15

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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