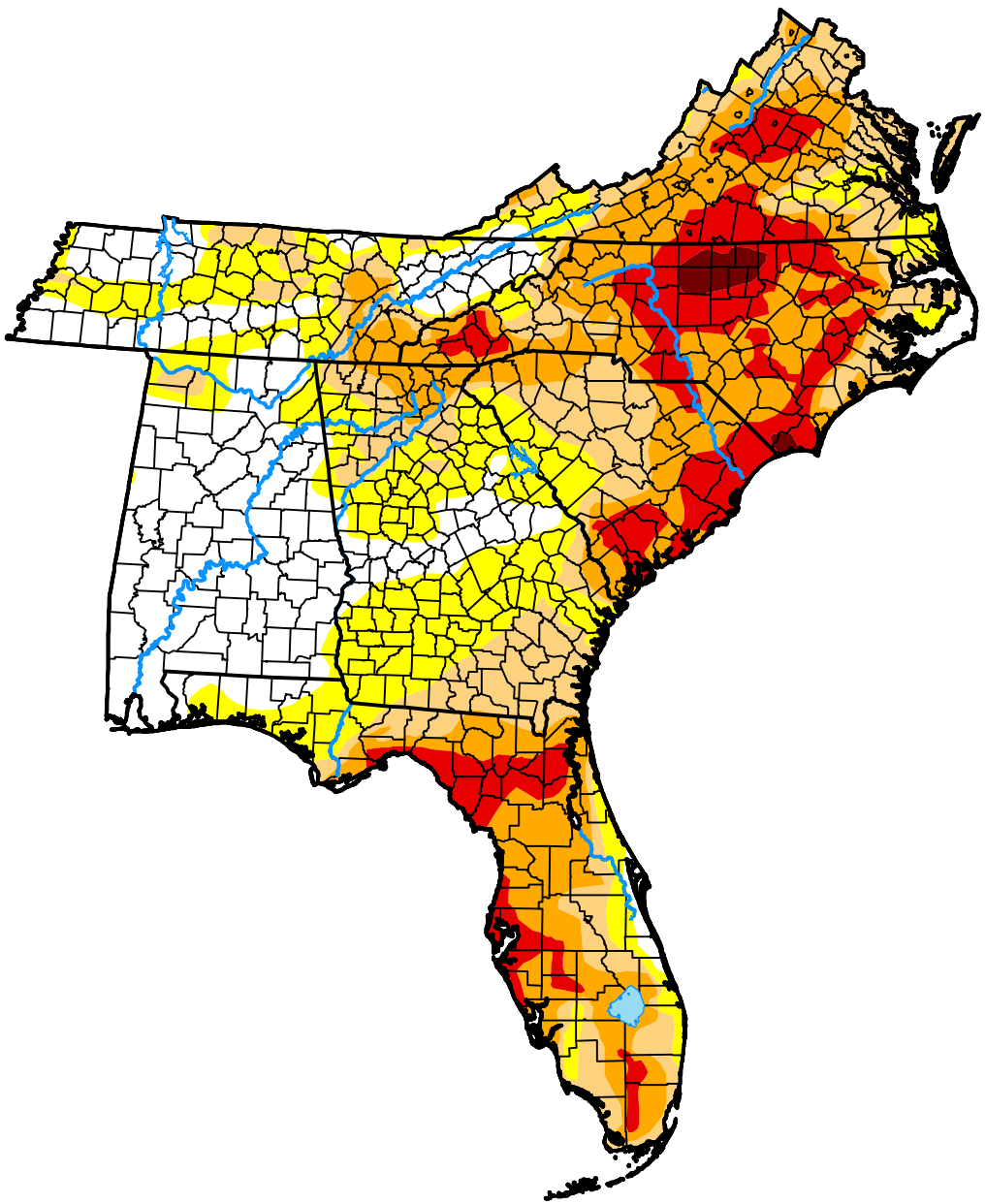
U.S. Drought Monitor

Southeast DEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	23.85	76.15	54.65	34.72	12.91	0.80
Last Week *07-07-2026*	20.18	79.82	59.43	37.88	15.80	0.93
3 Months Ago *04-14-2026*	0.00	100.00	96.83	81.75	36.21	7.48
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	0.31	99.69	83.75	28.92	1.21	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-30-2025*	21.99	78.01	37.11	7.99	0.20	0.00
One Year Ago *07-15-2025*	89.48	10.52	2.53	1.55	0.14	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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