

National Peanut Crop Update

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2024 – Grower Concerns

➤ Market

- **Contract availability and price**

➤ Weather

- Drought in West
- Crazy weather in SE

➤ Production

- Irrigation cost
- Increased production cost

➤ Pest issues

- TSWV
- Increasing herbicide resistant weed biotypes
- Disease/Nematodes
- Rootworm/Burrower bug

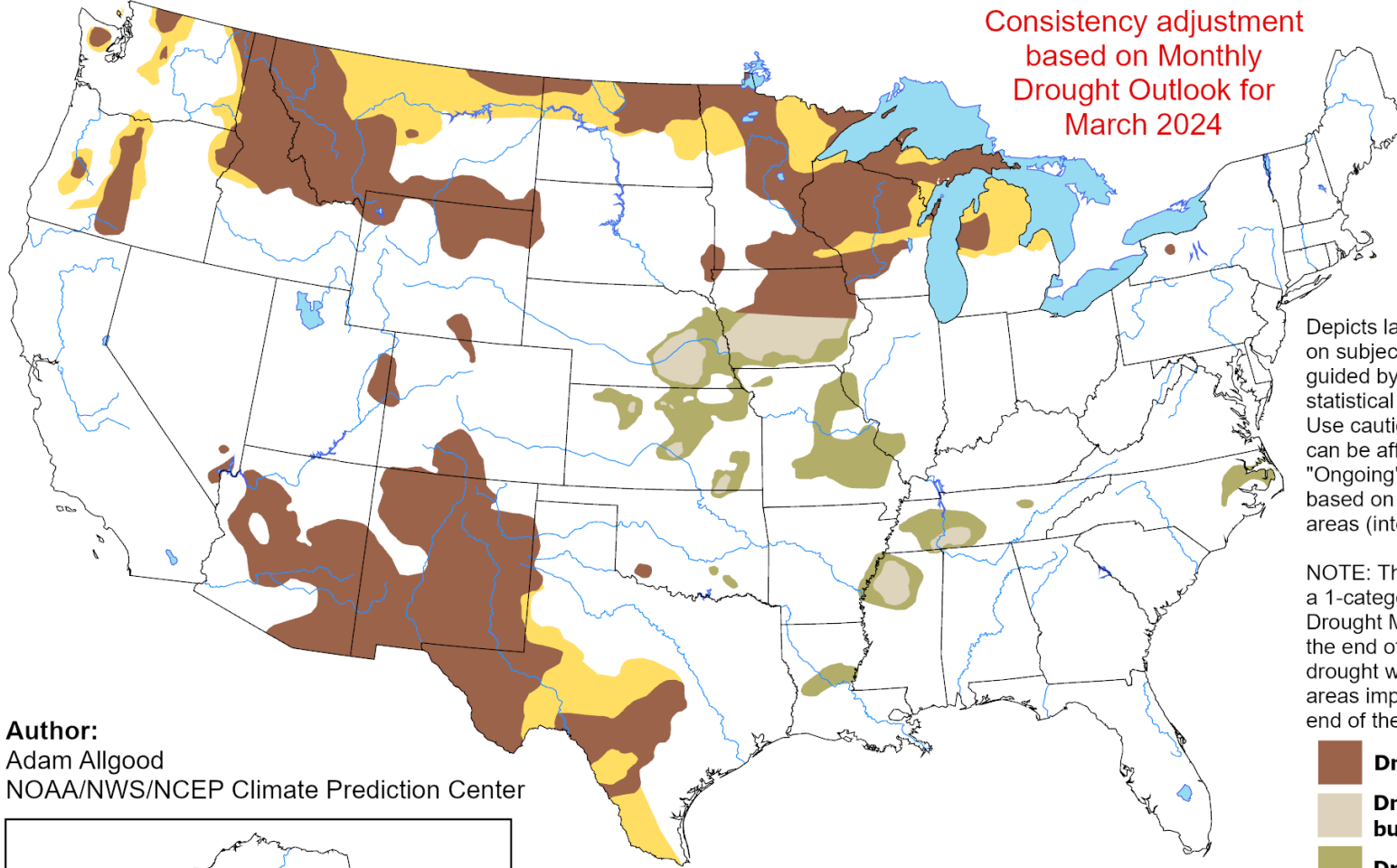


U.S. Seasonal Drought Outlook

Drought Tendency During the Valid Period


Valid for March 1 - May 31, 2024
Released February 29, 2024

Consistency adjustment
based on Monthly
Drought Outlook for
March 2024

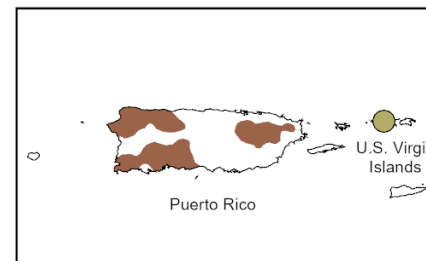
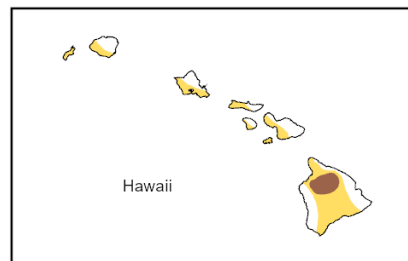


Depicts large-scale trends based on subjectively derived probabilities guided by short- and long-range statistical and dynamical forecasts. Use caution for applications that can be affected by short lived events. "Ongoing" drought areas are based on the U.S. Drought Monitor areas (intensities of D1 to D4).

NOTE: The tan areas imply at least a 1-category improvement in the Drought Monitor intensity levels by the end of the period, although drought will remain. The green areas imply drought removal by the end of the period (D0 or none).

-  **Drought persists**
-  **Drought remains, but improves**
-  **Drought removal likely**
-  **Drought development likely**
-  **No drought**

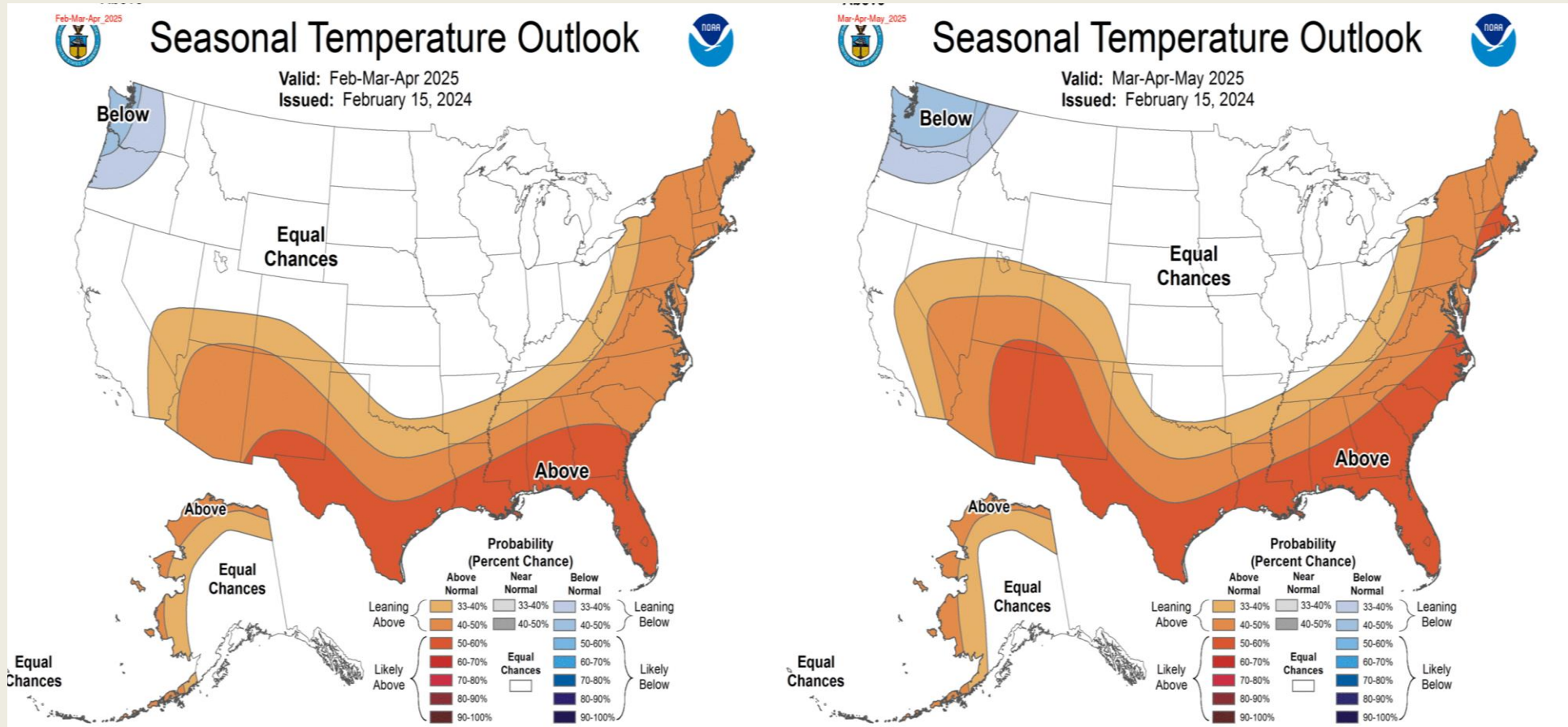
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Temperature Outlook



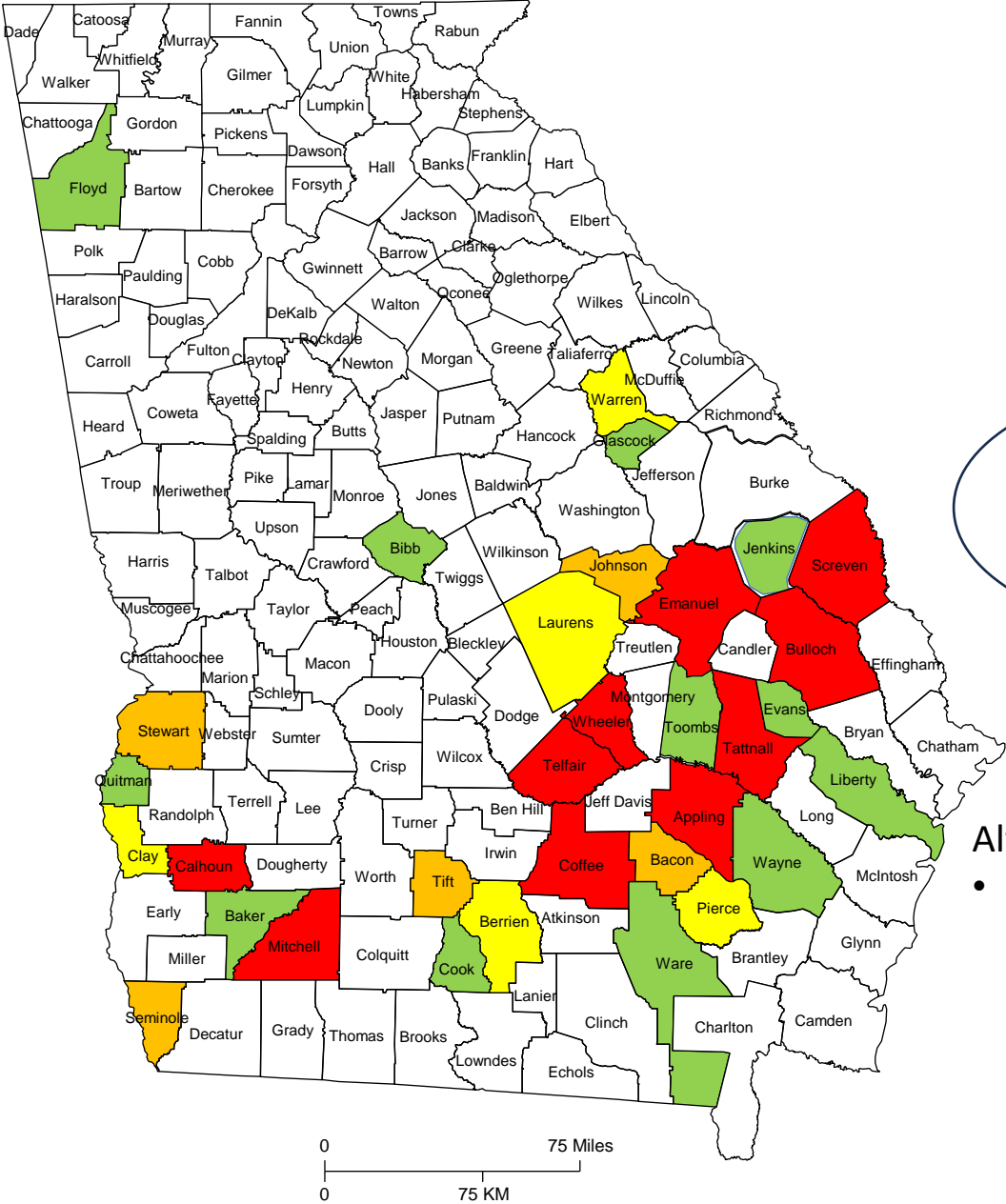
2024 US Peanut Acreage Estimates

State	2023 Planted Acres	2024 ESTIMATED Acres	Diff	Change
AL	173	185	12	+6.9%
AR	34	40	6	+17.6%
GA	770	790 - 820	20-50	2.6, +6.5%
FL	155	160 -165	5 -10	+3.2, 6.5%
LA	2	2	0	0
MO	21	21	0	0
MS	18	20	2	+11%
NM	11	11	0	0
OK	14	19	5	+36%
TX	220	220	0	0
NC	122	124	2	+1.6%
SC	74	80	6	8%
VA	29	30	1	+3%
	1,643	1,702 (1,737)	+59 (+94)	+ 3.6% (5.7%)

Acres Will likely increase if:

- Cotton \$ remains low
- Corn \$ remains low
- Soybean \$ remains low

2023 Planted Peanut Acres compared to 2020



Increase in Acres

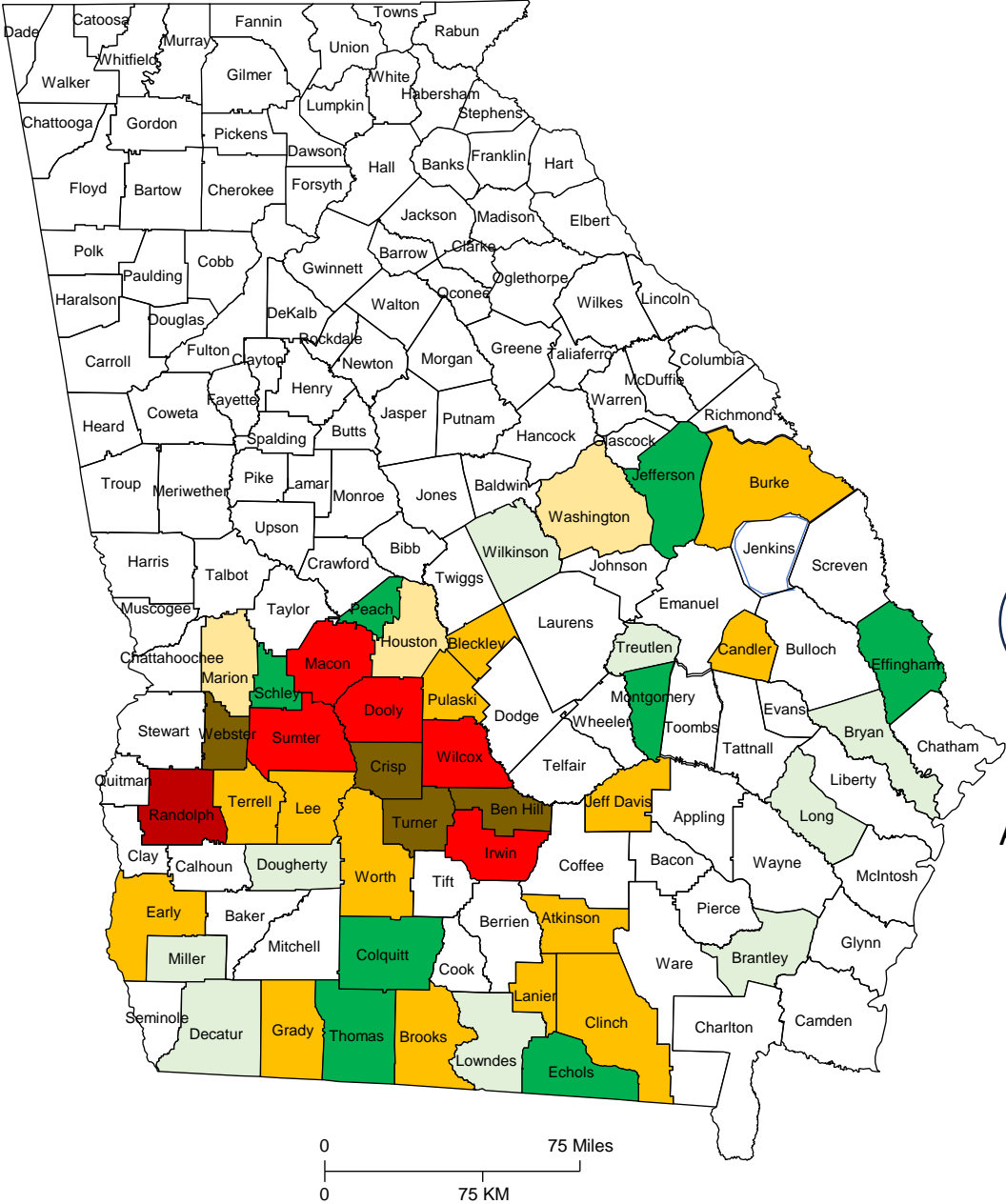
- 1 to 250 Acres
- 251 to 500 Acres
- 501 to 1000 Acres
- 1001 to 2,000 Acres
- 2,001 + Acres

2021 --- 804,000
 2023 --- 770,000
 Diff --- 34,000

Although we lost acres in 2023

- 33 counties increased acres
 - 24,208 acres

2023 Planted Peanut Acres compared to 2020



Decrease in Acres

- 1 to 250 Acres
- 251 to 500 Acres
- 501 to 1000 Acres
- 1001 to 2,000 Acres
- 2,001 + 3000 Acres
- 3,001 + 4000 Acres
- 4,001 + 5000 Acres

2021 --- 804,305
2023 --- 769,396
Diff --- 34,909

Although we lost acres in 2023

- 45 counties decreased acres
 - 59,116 acres
- How much will these counties increase?
 - Low prices
 - Chlorpyrifos (2024)

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