

U.S. Drought Monitor

Arkansas-White-Red Watershed

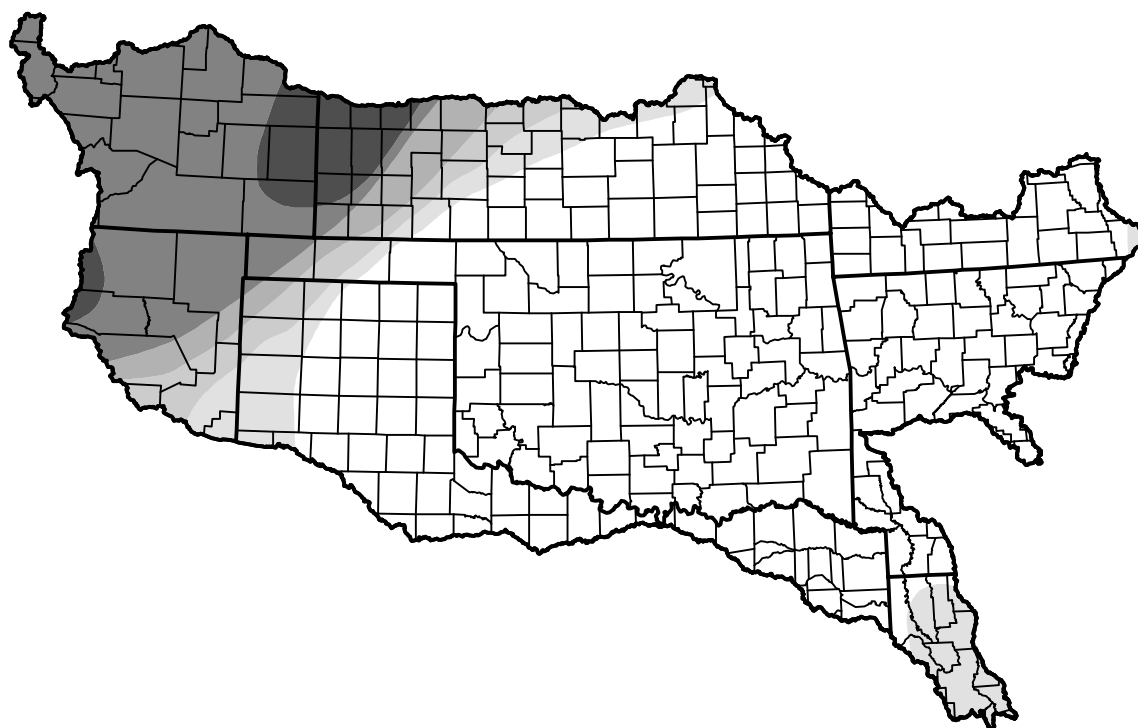
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	67.26	32.74	25.77	22.23	18.80	3.78
Last Week <i>08-15-2002</i>	62.73	37.27	28.70	22.79	20.08	4.05
3 Months Ago <i>05-23-2002</i>	49.31	50.69	39.23	31.07	22.05	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	35.76	64.24	50.48	6.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	56.27	43.73	7.74	0.12	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-23-2001</i>	49.86	50.14	24.36	3.56	0.00	0.00



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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