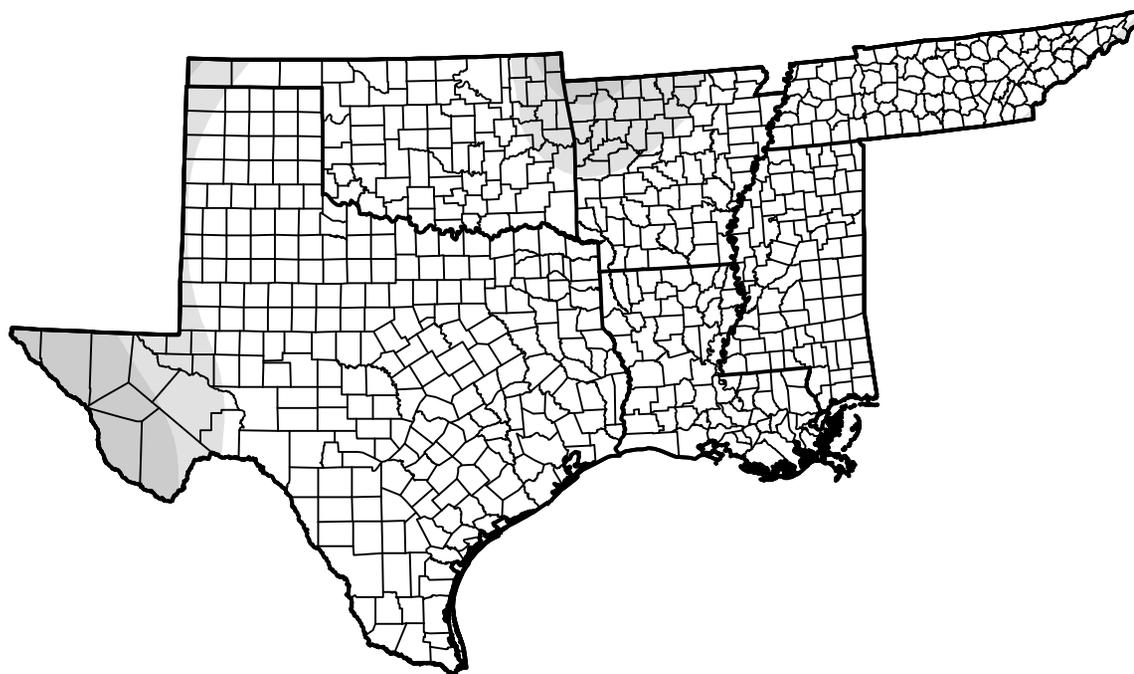


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South

**December 3, 2002**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	87.43	8.01	4.56	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-26-2002</i>	87.52	7.76	4.71	0.01	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-03-2002</i>	62.87	24.26	10.22	1.84	0.82	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	65.47	8.50	14.35	6.05	5.64	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	51.12	34.27	11.20	3.41	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-04-2001</i>	61.60	8.19	20.27	4.24	5.69	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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