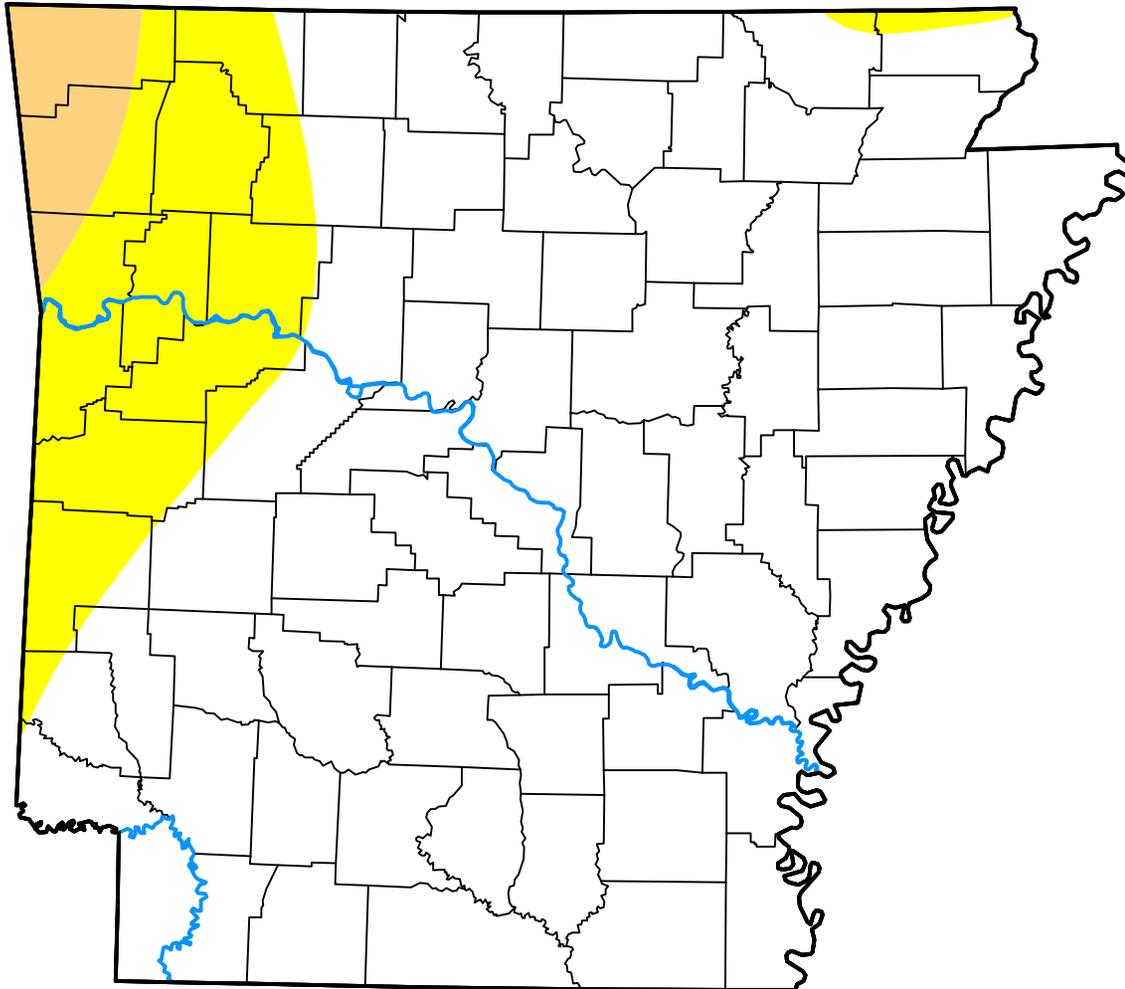


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	83.55	16.45	2.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-14-2003</i>	87.77	12.23	1.59	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2003</i>	83.13	16.87	0.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	84.34	15.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	51.36	48.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-22-2002</i>	97.72	2.28	0.00	0.00	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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