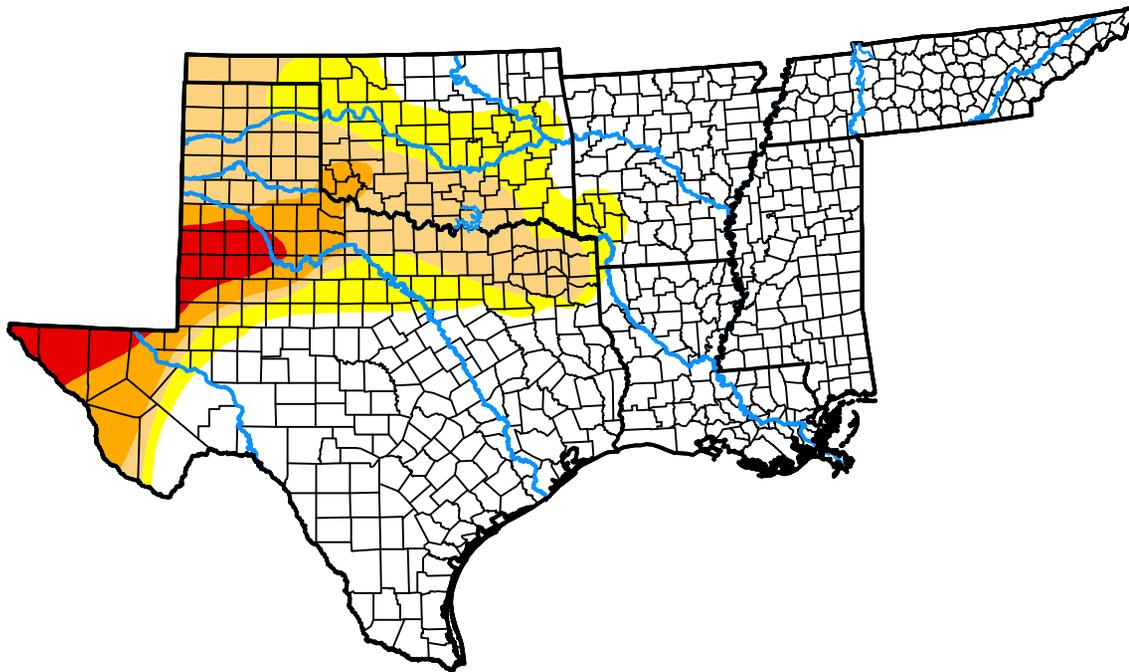


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South

**December 2, 2003**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	66.79	33.21	21.39	8.55	3.23	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-25-2003</i>	62.78	37.22	21.85	8.27	3.52	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-02-2003</i>	55.07	44.93	26.87	7.11	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	90.71	9.29	3.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	68.73	31.27	12.15	5.76	1.55	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-03-2002</i>	87.43	12.57	4.57	0.00	0.00	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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