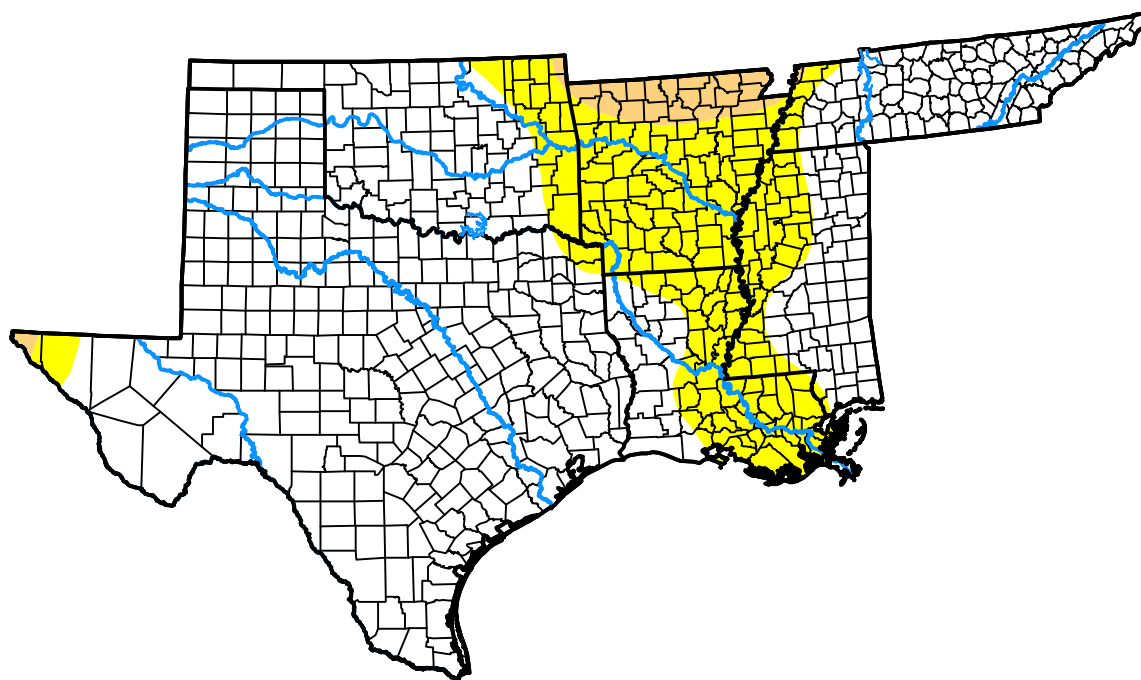


U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	76.54	20.84	2.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-28-2004</i>	85.99	13.88	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-06-2004</i>	85.61	11.47	2.19	0.74	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	62.04	15.20	10.51	8.44	3.81	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	85.99	13.88	0.12	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-07-2003</i>	73.43	15.25	5.58	4.12	1.62	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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