

U.S. Drought Monitor

Arkansas-White-Red Watershed

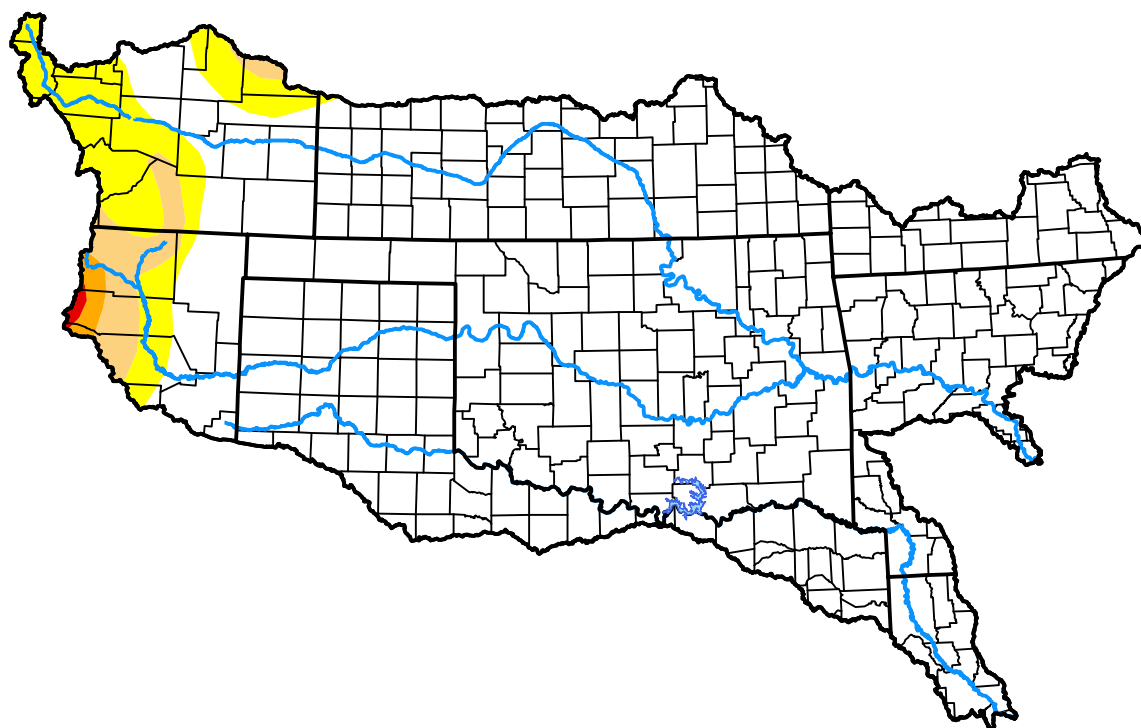
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	90.10	9.90	2.99	0.56	0.12	0.00
Last Week <i>12-09-2004</i>	90.10	9.90	3.03	0.57	0.12	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-16-2004</i>	78.86	21.14	4.59	0.90	0.13	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	33.58	66.42	52.15	31.06	4.64	0.87
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	73.60	26.40	4.03	0.90	0.12	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-18-2003</i>	29.95	70.05	51.88	23.20	2.79	0.89



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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