

# U.S. Drought Monitor

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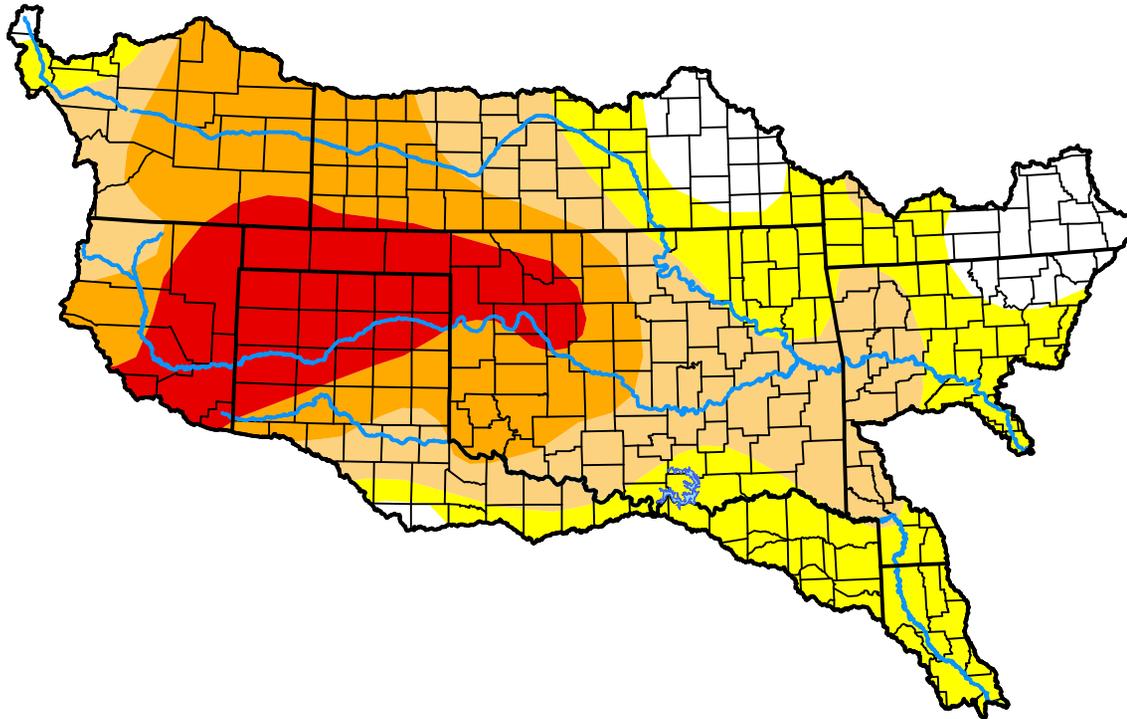
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# Arkansas-White-Red Watershed

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	8.93	91.07	65.88	39.84	16.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-11-2006</i>	8.03	91.97	69.65	41.44	16.47	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-16-2006</i>	4.51	95.49	73.92	50.95	25.72	3.82
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2006</i>	21.06	78.94	57.10	28.24	8.84	5.17
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	74.74	25.26	5.28	1.39	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-19-2005</i>	49.20	50.80	20.25	3.67	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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