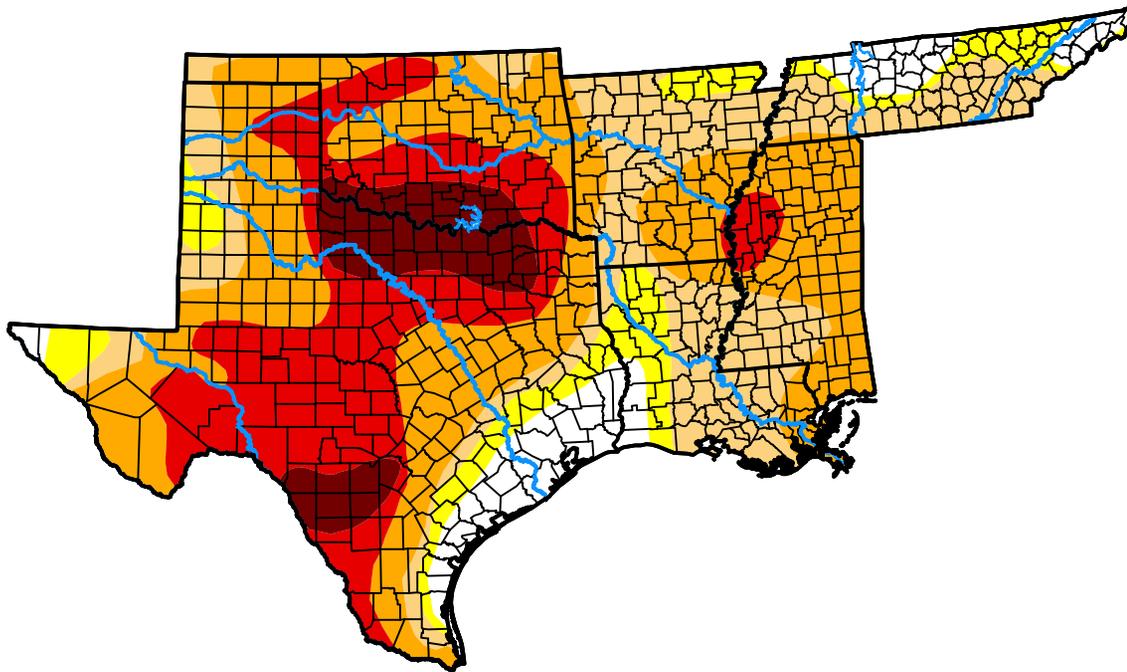


U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.60	8.37	21.37	33.61	21.53	7.52
Last Week <i>08-08-2006</i>	7.26	8.13	23.07	27.98	26.87	6.69
3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2006</i>	23.42	34.33	16.38	12.41	9.49	3.97
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	19.43	23.69	23.33	19.48	10.57	3.50
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	70.25	16.24	10.26	3.25	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-16-2005</i>	58.77	16.76	11.79	11.05	1.63	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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