

U.S. Drought Monitor

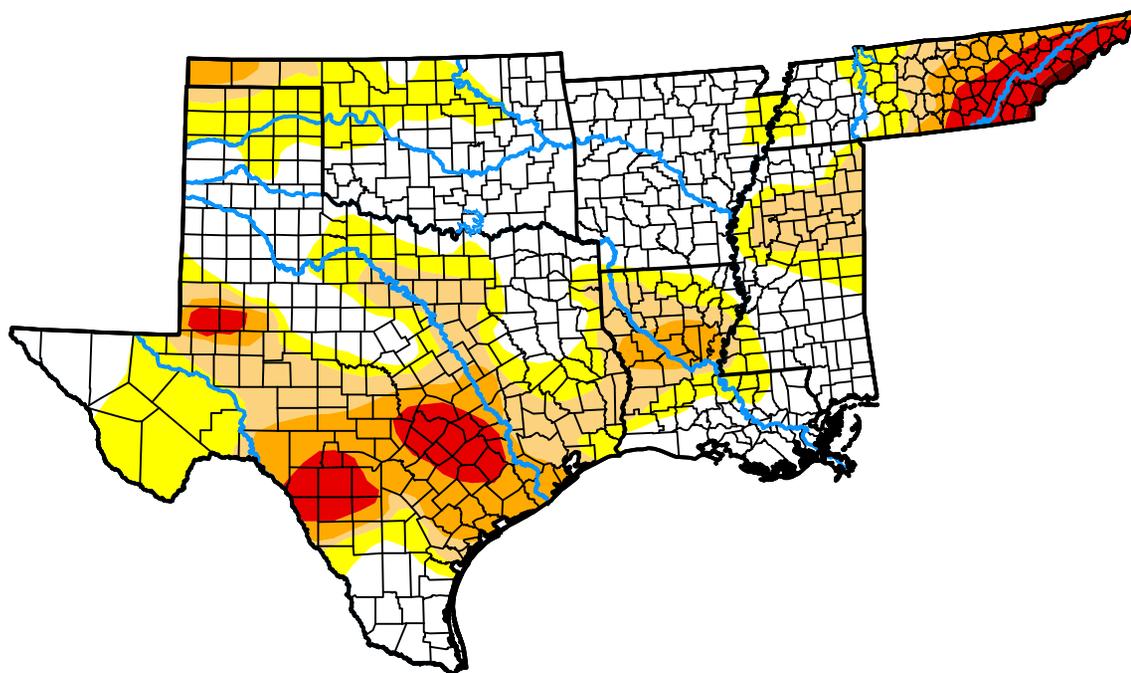
South

August 19, 2008
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	45.05	23.08	15.35	10.33	5.90	0.29
Last Week <i>08-12-2008</i>	33.88	26.01	17.31	11.71	9.05	2.04
3 Months Ago <i>05-20-2008</i>	64.71	9.96	13.15	10.74	1.43	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	57.46	29.65	8.57	0.56	2.16	1.60
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	78.97	7.83	3.05	2.75	3.41	4.00
One Year Ago <i>08-21-2007</i>	69.49	11.23	5.84	3.69	6.26	3.50



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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