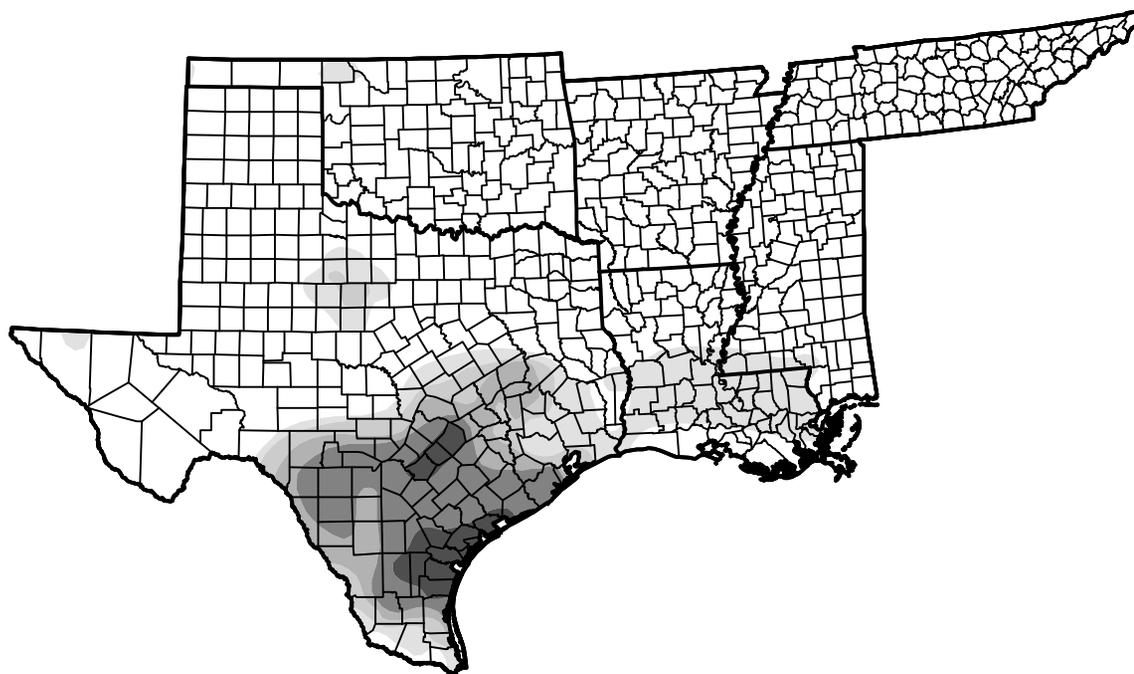


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South

**September 22, 2009**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 24, 2009)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	76.31	9.32	2.83	3.71	5.92	1.91
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-15-2009</i>	74.52	10.01	2.73	4.74	6.29	1.70
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-23-2009</i>	49.95	23.94	13.94	4.35	3.67	4.15
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	58.91	24.01	9.07	3.43	2.48	2.10
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	73.05	9.74	7.22	7.07	2.93	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-23-2008</i>	75.59	7.33	8.13	6.51	2.44	0.00

***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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