

# U.S. Drought Monitor

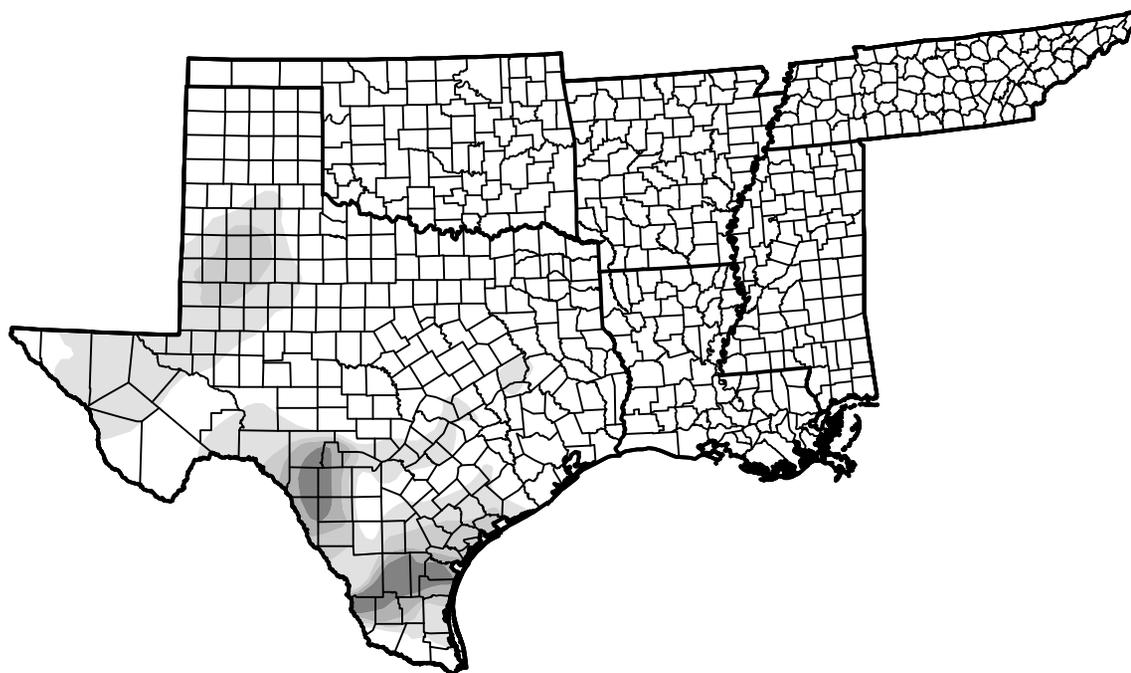
## South

**December 1, 2009**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	82.85	17.15	6.11	2.97	1.48	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-24-2009</i>	82.81	17.19	6.71	3.33	1.86	0.33
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-01-2009</i>	65.25	34.75	19.87	14.56	13.36	8.76
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	58.91	41.09	17.08	8.01	4.58	2.10
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2009</i>	78.61	21.39	14.04	11.08	6.22	1.58
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-02-2008</i>	57.20	42.80	18.57	11.03	6.13	0.66



### 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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