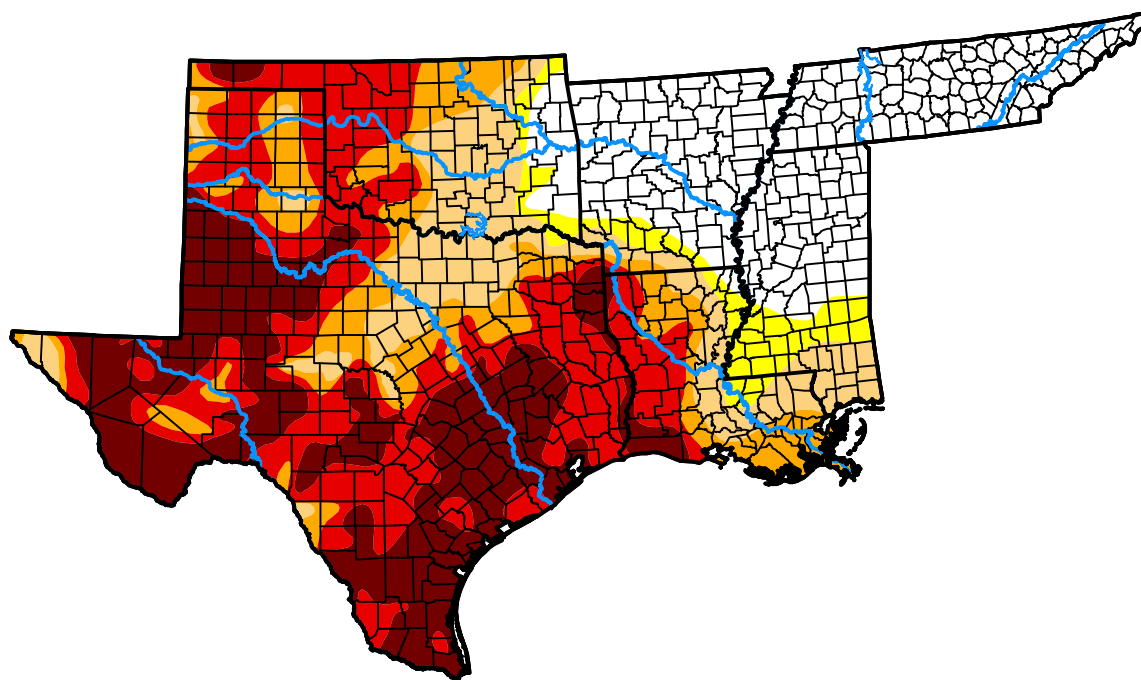


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	24.24	75.76	71.33	58.44	45.92	22.87
Last Week <i>11-29-2011</i>	22.63	77.37	72.37	60.69	51.13	29.43
3 Months Ago <i>09-06-2011</i>	18.36	81.64	76.27	70.39	63.73	51.88
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	12.28	87.72	58.95	31.71	11.37	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	18.34	81.66	76.26	70.61	63.67	53.77
One Year Ago <i>12-07-2010</i>	15.28	84.72	50.09	26.03	4.65	0.00

Intensity:

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