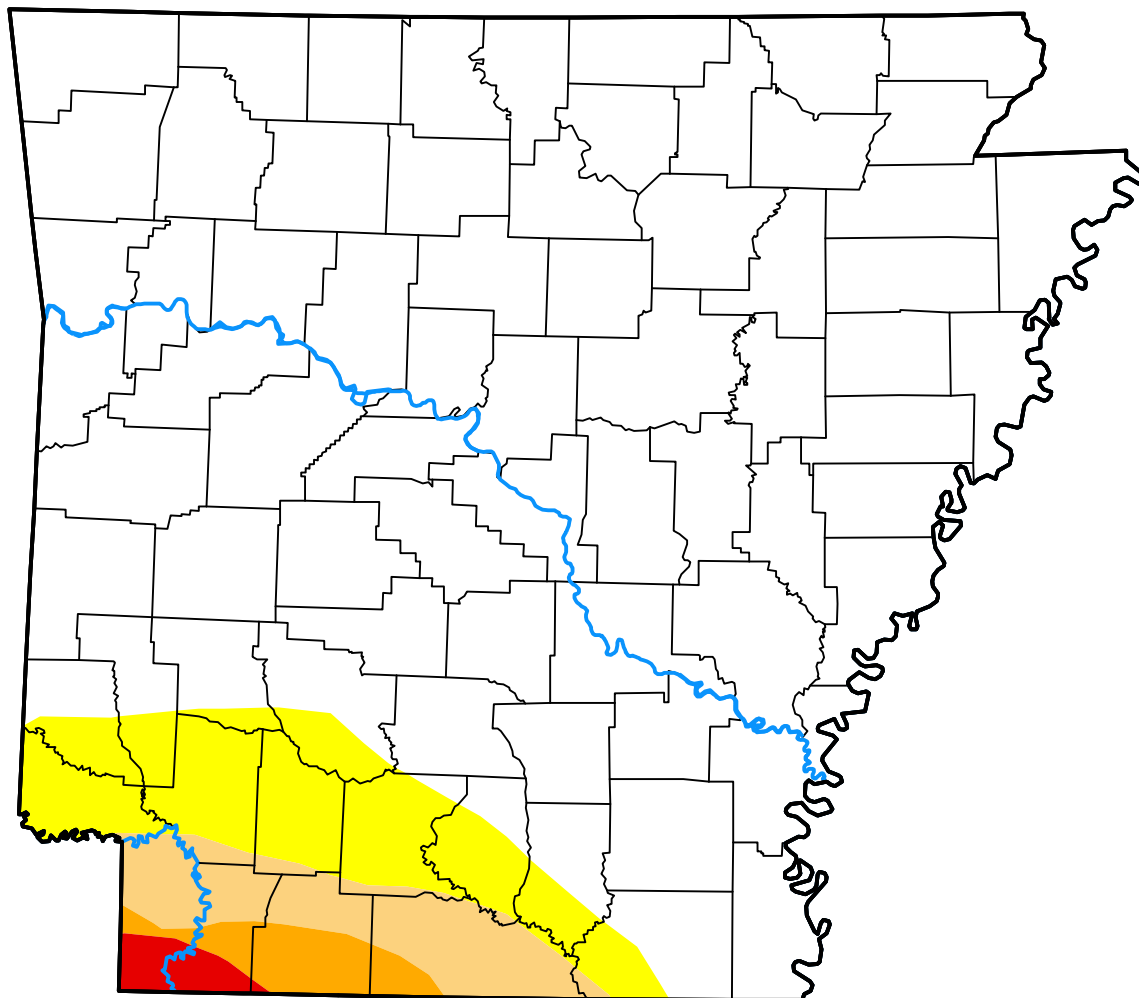


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	86.02	13.98	6.06	2.19	0.69	0.00
Last Week 12-15-2011	85.78	14.22	7.70	2.51	0.79	0.25
3 Months Ago 09-22-2011	2.18	97.82	76.51	32.02	15.82	1.53
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2011	0.00	100.00	81.29	59.48	12.64	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2011	1.21	98.79	75.99	39.48	18.92	1.53
One Year Ago 12-23-2010	1.58	98.42	77.35	55.27	3.03	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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