

# U.S. Drought Monitor

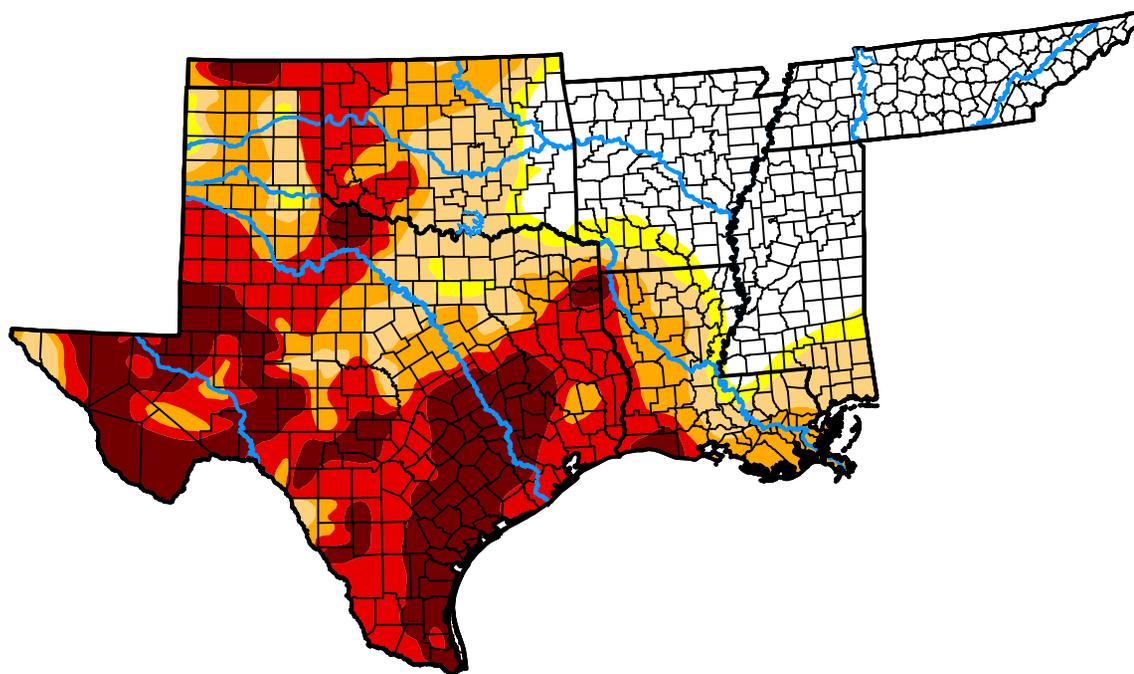
## South

**December 27, 2011**  
*(Released Thursday, Dec. 29, 2011)*

Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	26.47	4.52	14.20	15.70	21.96	17.16
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-20-2011</i>	23.06	6.97	14.39	13.91	20.93	20.73
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	18.34	5.40	5.65	6.94	9.90	53.77
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	12.28	28.77	27.24	20.34	11.37	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	18.34	5.40	5.65	6.94	9.90	53.77
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-28-2010</i>	8.86	23.49	32.44	25.04	10.17	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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