

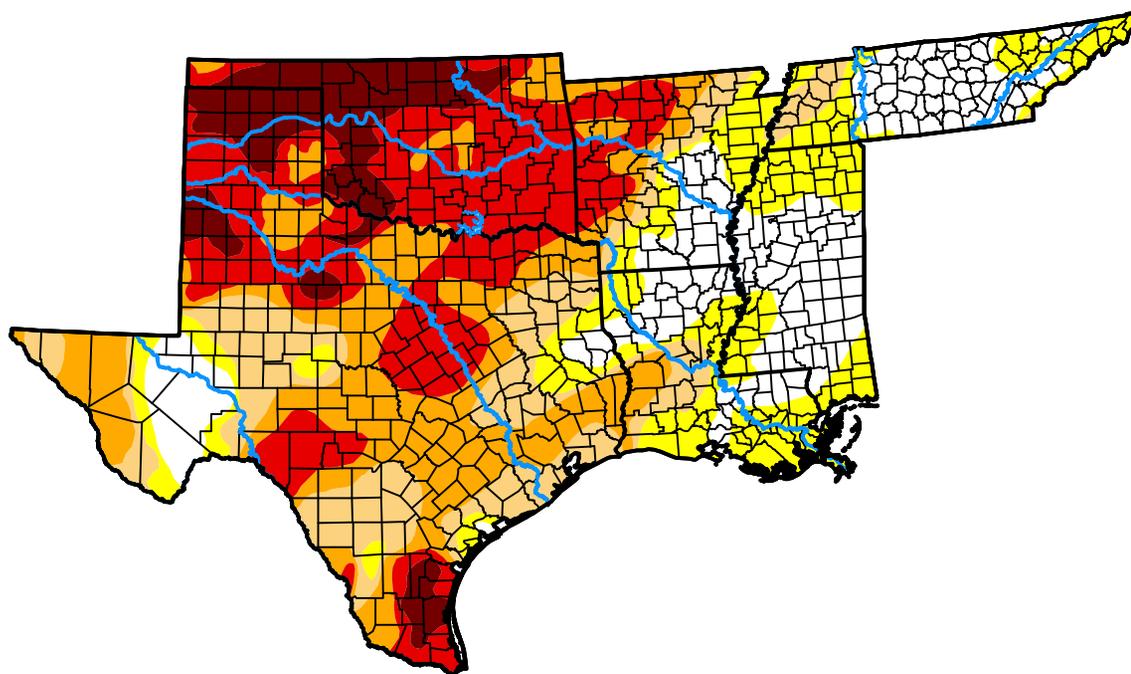
# U.S. Drought Monitor South

**December 11, 2012**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	18.32	15.89	14.76	20.25	21.92	8.87
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-04-2012</i>	15.98	18.61	17.22	19.89	19.44	8.87
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-11-2012</i>	22.95	10.58	17.47	19.70	20.38	8.92
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2012</i>	26.47	4.52	14.03	14.92	22.82	17.24
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	24.13	9.25	15.11	21.65	20.75	9.11
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-13-2011</i>	22.72	5.95	12.95	12.53	23.99	21.86



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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