

# U.S. Drought Monitor

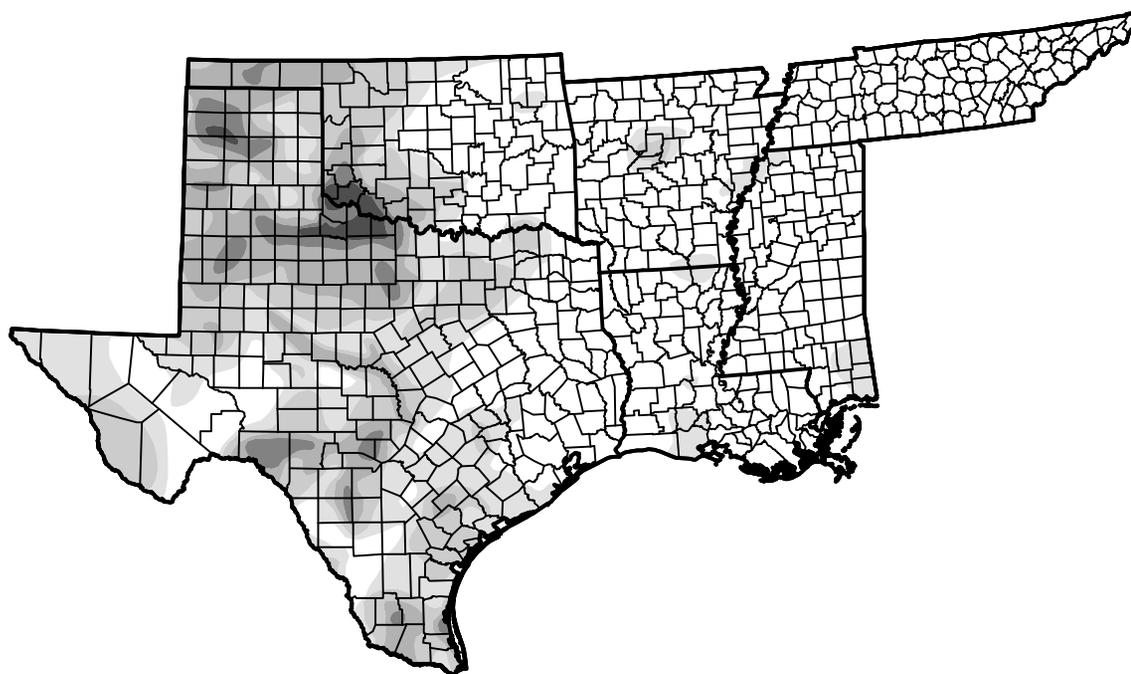
## South

**December 17, 2013**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.23	17.78	14.97	9.97	3.13	0.91
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-10-2013</i>	53.77	18.25	15.33	9.11	2.73	0.80
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-17-2013</i>	15.86	18.81	19.72	28.82	15.76	1.03
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	21.18	15.13	13.19	17.70	21.82	10.98
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	26.20	23.69	32.21	14.74	2.91	0.25
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-18-2012</i>	19.12	15.30	15.68	17.86	22.44	9.60



### 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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