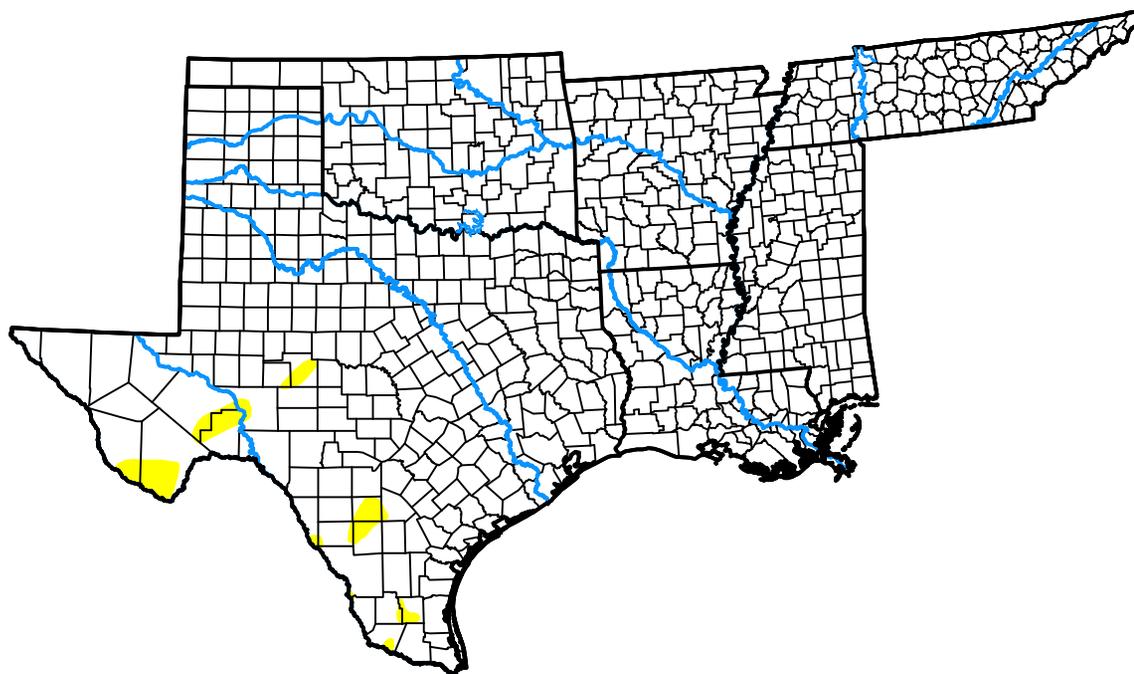


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South

**December 15, 2015**  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	98.39	1.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-08-2015</i>	98.57	1.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-15-2015</i>	46.05	53.95	29.98	12.57	3.61	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	41.57	58.43	33.88	18.43	8.80	2.36
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	36.88	63.12	37.43	18.31	5.72	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-16-2014</i>	37.83	62.17	36.89	18.96	7.96	2.06

### 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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