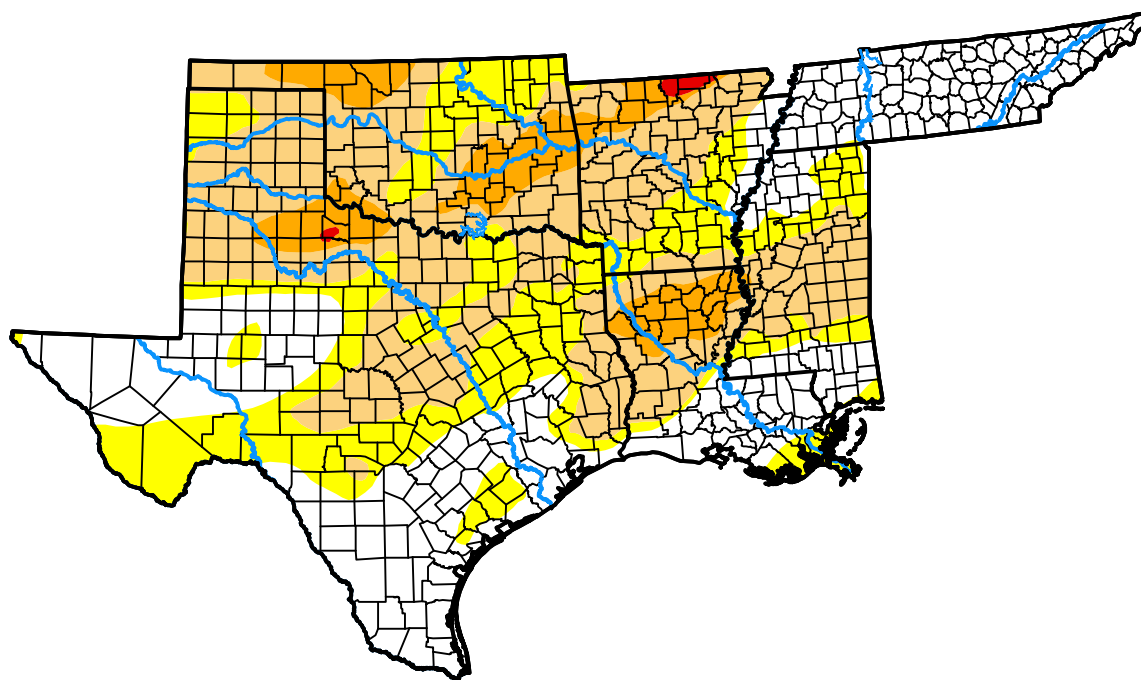


U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	34.14	65.86	41.30	8.42	0.30	0.00
Last Week <i>12-19-2017</i>	29.16	70.84	47.62	20.94	2.85	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-26-2017</i>	72.17	27.83	2.38	0.02	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	53.95	46.05	27.69	11.09	1.11	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	72.17	27.83	2.38	0.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-27-2016</i>	42.70	57.30	31.21	10.68	0.84	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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