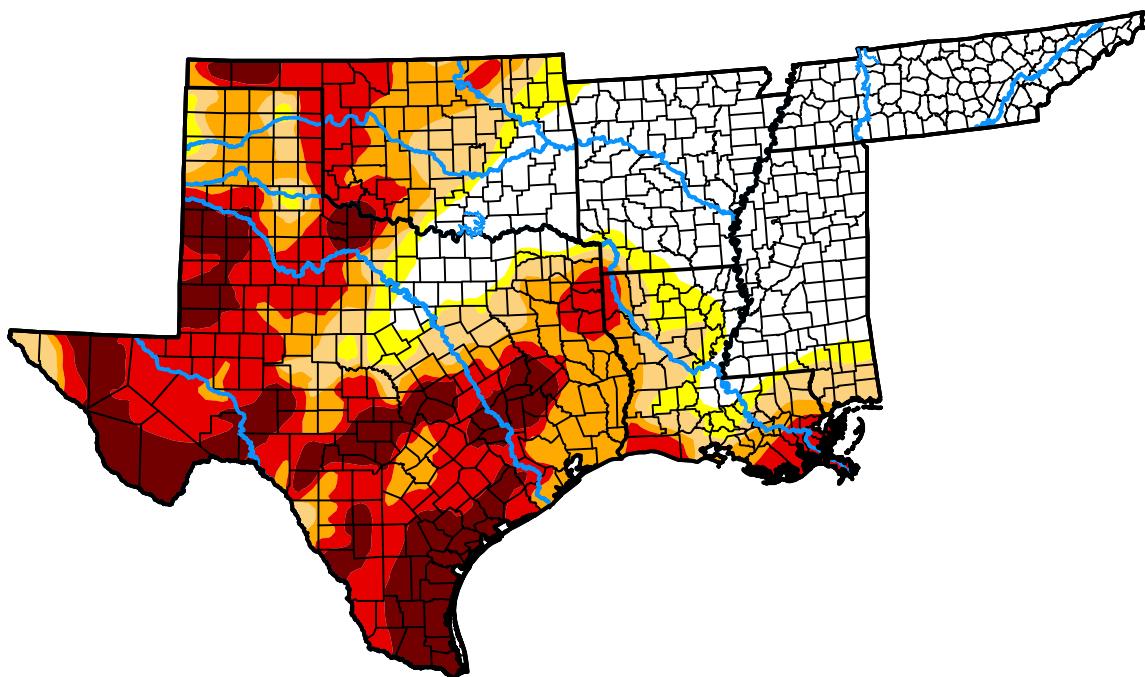


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## South

January 31, 2012  
(Released Thursday, Feb. 2, 2012)  
Valid 7 a.m. EST



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	32.32	67.68	61.19	50.60	35.37	14.32
Last Week 01-24-2012	28.47	71.53	64.61	52.75	37.37	13.27
3 Months Ago 11-01-2011	11.84	88.16	79.95	69.80	62.33	41.90
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2012	26.47	73.53	69.01	54.98	40.06	17.24
Start of Water Year 09-27-2011	18.34	81.66	76.26	70.61	63.67	53.77
One Year Ago 02-01-2011	14.66	85.34	58.97	31.56	6.59	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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