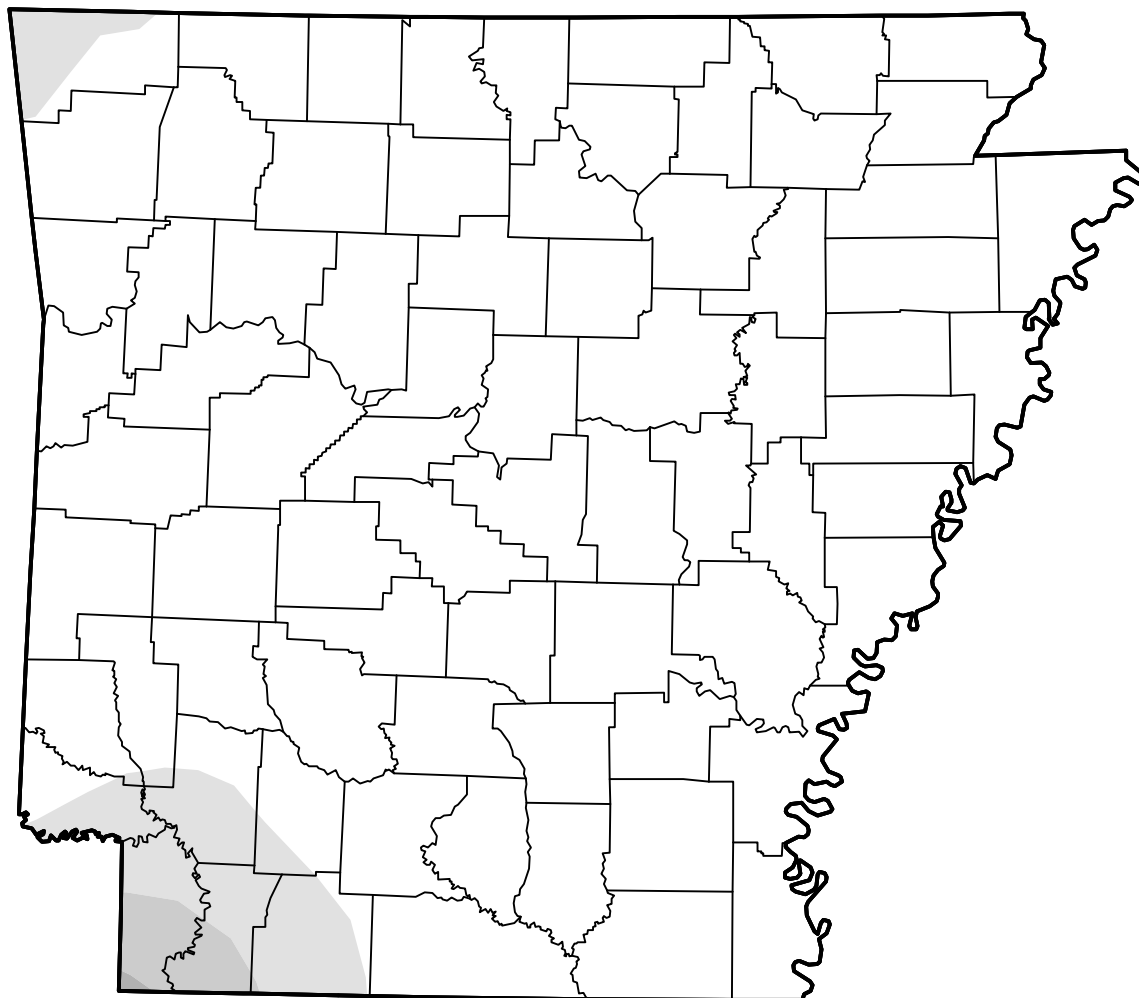


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	94.01	4.83	1.11	0.05	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-16-2012</i>	93.23	5.02	1.08	0.67	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-23-2011</i>	42.44	30.55	15.76	6.24	2.48	2.52
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	86.20	9.85	2.89	0.83	0.23	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	1.21	22.80	36.52	20.56	17.39	1.53
One Year Ago <i>02-24-2011</i>	0.00	2.76	41.07	46.76	9.41	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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