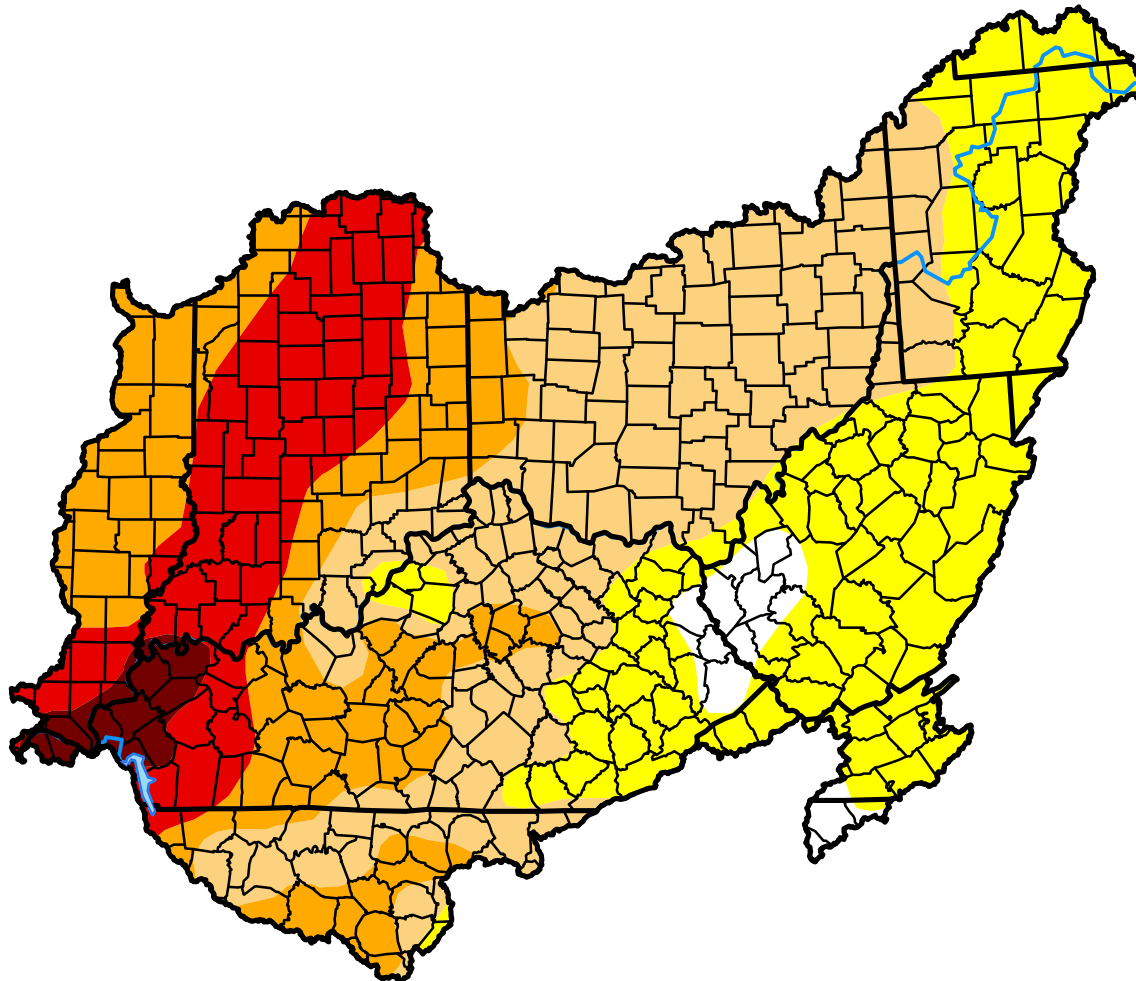


# U.S. Drought Monitor Ohio Watershed

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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	2.88	27.63	32.69	20.48	14.08	2.25
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-10-2012</i>	0.50	32.30	29.52	26.35	10.49	0.84
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-17-2012</i>	82.33	15.63	2.04	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2012</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2011</i>	83.23	13.63	3.14	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-19-2011</i>	89.73	10.27	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



### Intensity:

- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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