

U.S. Drought Monitor

Arkansas-White-Red Watershed

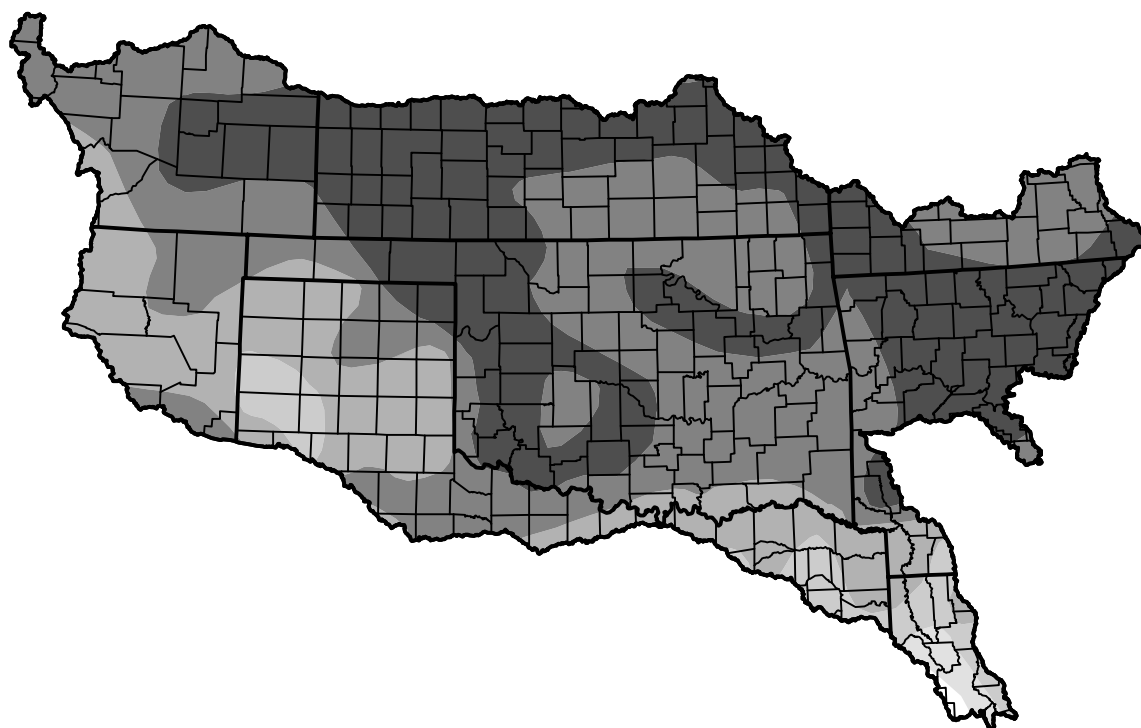
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.19	0.87	3.89	17.83	39.51	37.71
Last Week <i>08-09-2012</i>	0.20	1.28	6.09	14.81	53.71	23.91
3 Months Ago <i>05-17-2012</i>	51.01	15.36	17.77	12.10	3.55	0.21
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	19.64	8.60	26.65	28.68	13.68	2.75
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	3.15	3.45	9.11	24.87	17.66	41.76
One Year Ago <i>08-18-2011</i>	2.21	3.50	12.31	16.27	25.52	40.18



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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