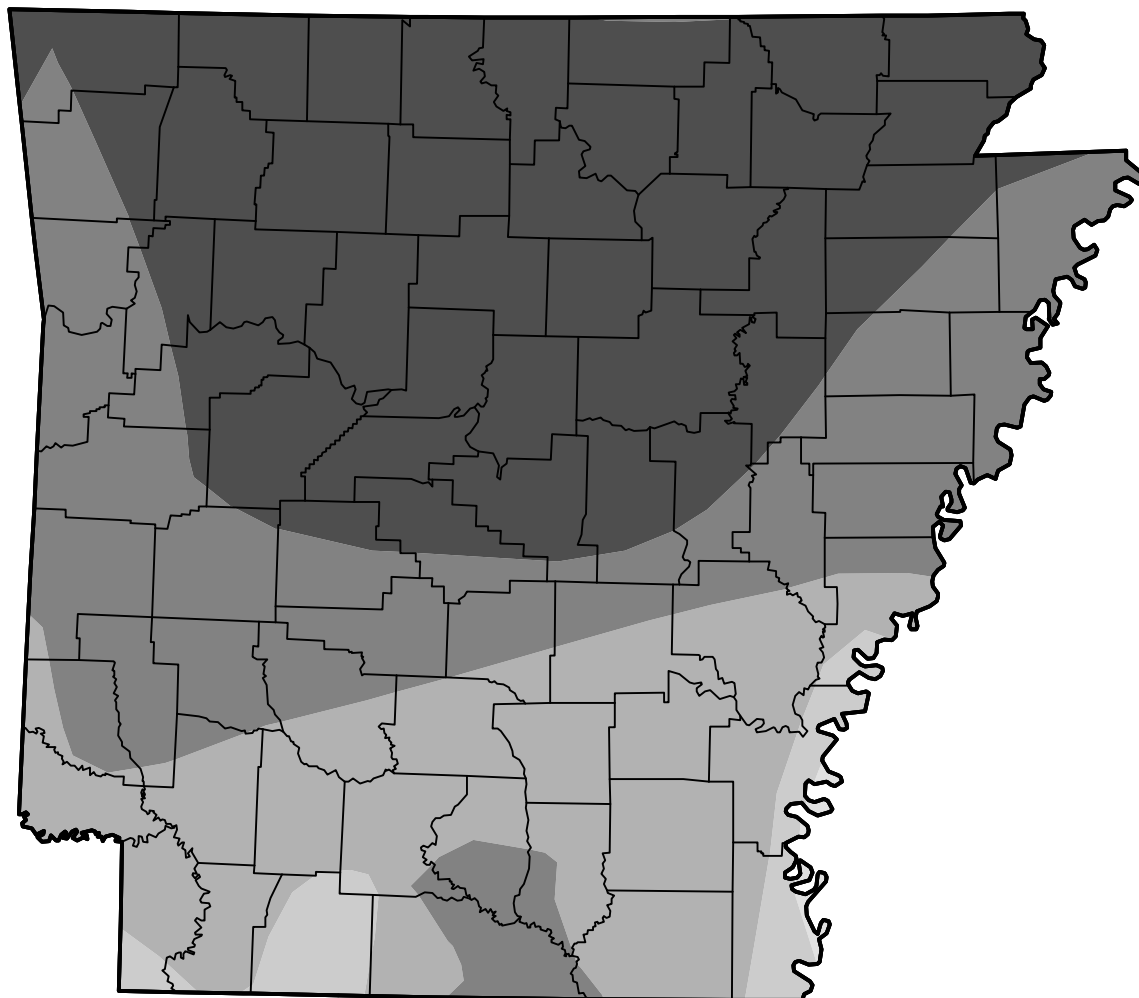


U.S. Drought Monitor Arkansas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	0.21	3.23	22.17	29.08	45.30
Last Week <i>08-16-2012</i>	0.00	0.21	3.00	15.86	27.33	53.60
3 Months Ago <i>05-24-2012</i>	5.59	82.77	11.61	0.02	0.00	0.00
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>08-25-2011</i>	4.49	18.63	43.40	17.70	13.61	2.17

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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