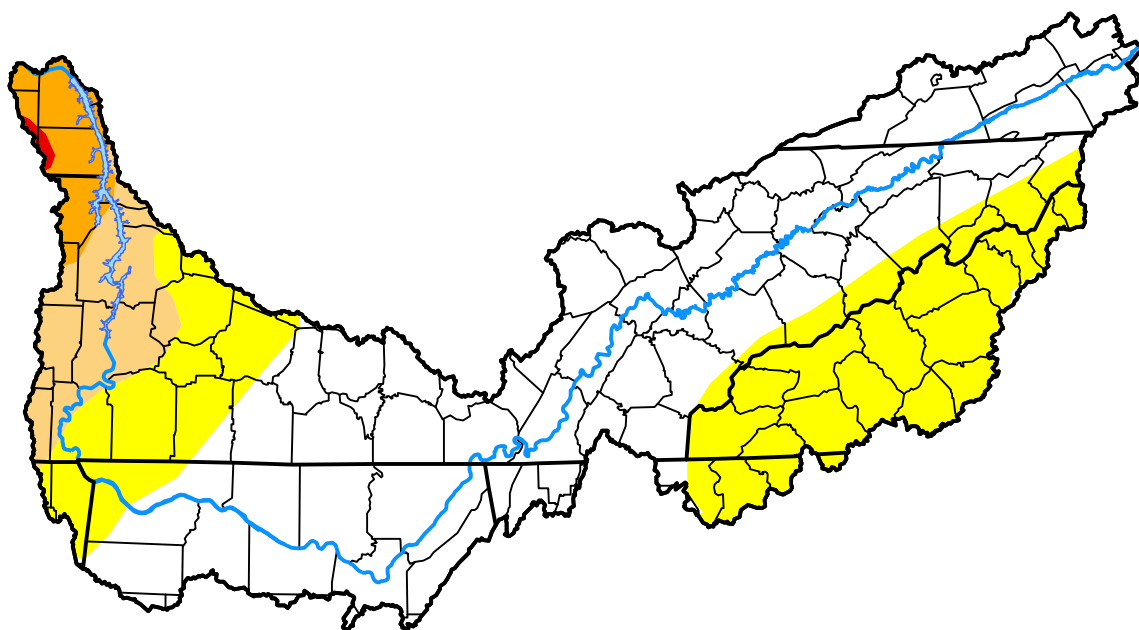


# U.S. Drought Monitor Tennessee Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None   | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 59.89  | 29.38 | 7.03  | 3.50 | 0.21 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-13-2012</i>              | 56.98  | 32.20 | 7.10  | 3.51 | 0.21 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-21-2012</i>           | 33.85  | 51.60 | 11.28 | 1.03 | 2.24 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2012</i> | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2011</i>    | 88.97  | 10.57 | 0.46  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-22-2011</i>           | 87.06  | 11.27 | 1.66  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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