

U.S. Drought Monitor

Arkansas-White-Red Watershed

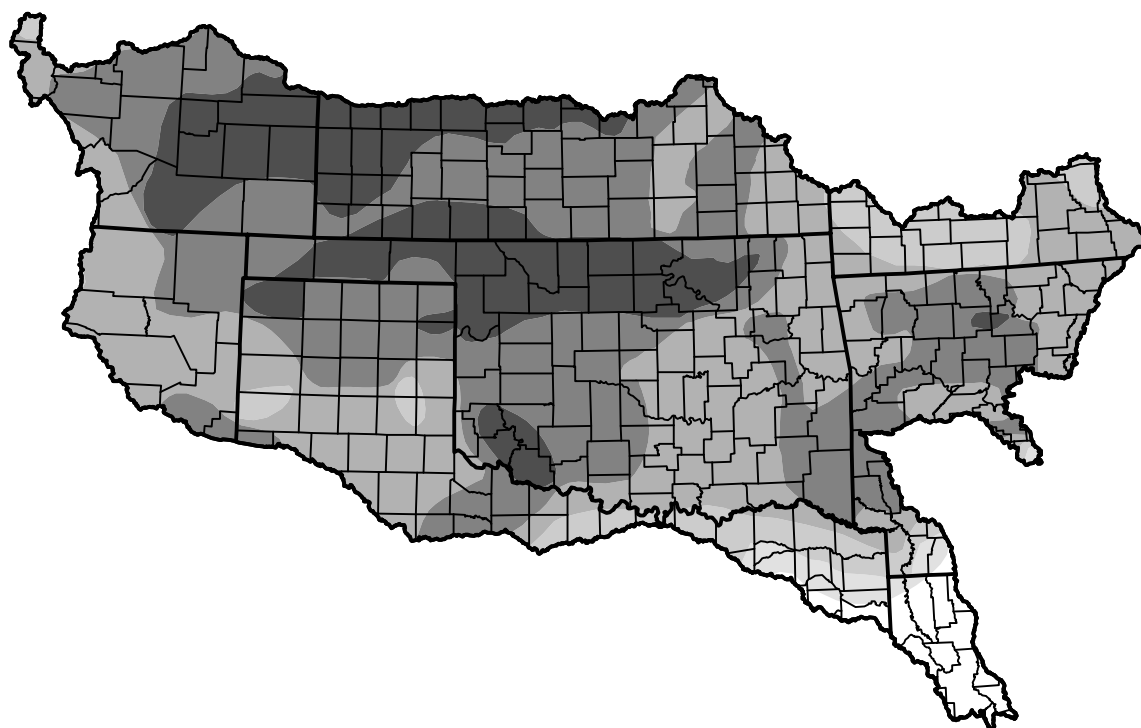
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	2.95	97.05	95.54	88.81	56.34	18.60
Last Week 10-11-2012	2.49	97.51	95.85	90.64	65.64	22.06
3 Months Ago 07-19-2012	1.62	98.38	95.40	76.37	34.46	4.27
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2012	19.64	80.36	71.75	45.11	16.43	2.75
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	1.37	98.63	97.75	92.40	71.23	28.23
One Year Ago 10-20-2011	4.24	95.76	91.57	83.63	62.21	38.28



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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