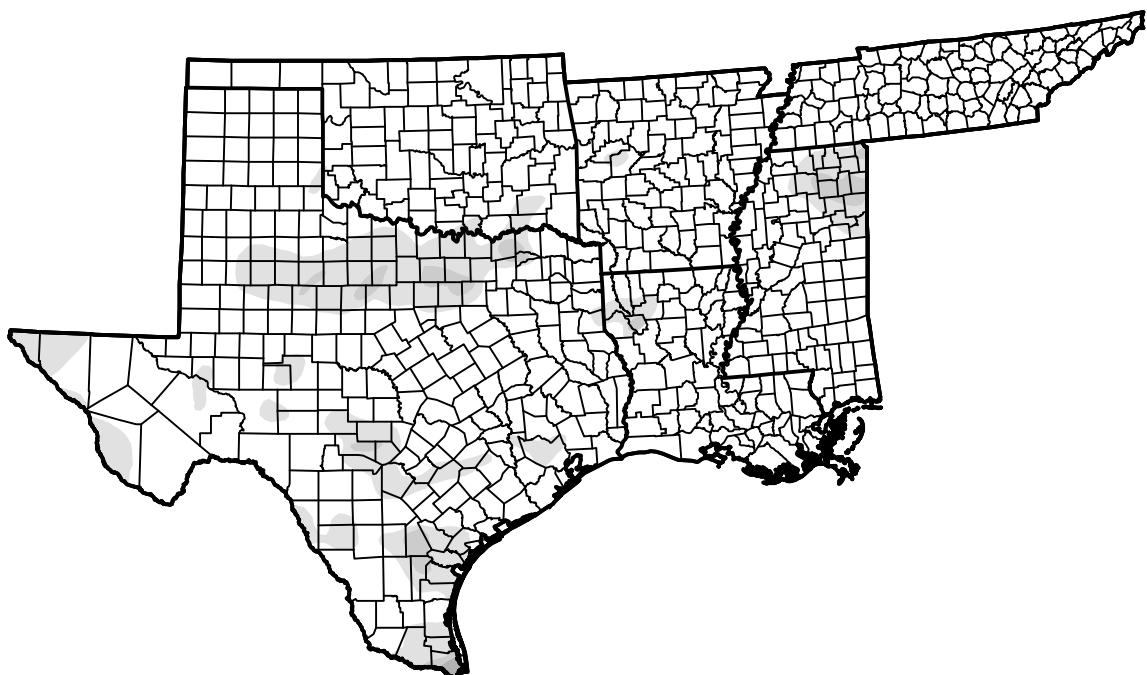


U.S. Drought Monitor

South



May 23, 2017

(Released Thursday, May. 25, 2017)

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 86.34 | 11.95 | 1.62 | 0.09 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 05-16-2017 | 76.91 | 17.98 | 4.50 | 0.61 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 02-21-2017 | 65.18 | 17.88 | 10.37 | 6.33 | 0.24 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017 | 53.95 | 18.36 | 16.60 | 9.98 | 1.11 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-27-2016 | 76.89 | 16.37 | 4.85 | 1.60 | 0.17 | 0.11 |
| One Year Ago 05-24-2016 | 85.30 | 12.23 | 2.47 | 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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