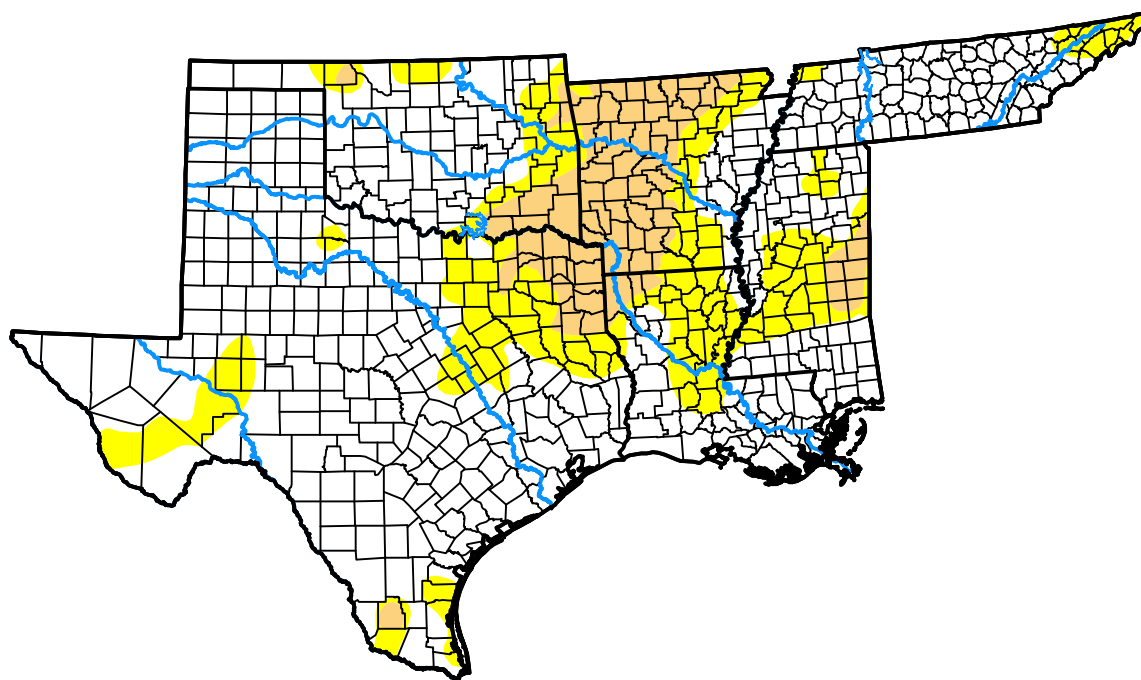


U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	70.38	18.89	10.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-10-2017</i>	76.80	15.92	7.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-18-2017</i>	81.09	13.27	5.26	0.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	53.95	18.36	16.60	9.98	1.11	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2017</i>	72.17	25.45	2.36	0.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-18-2016</i>	45.73	30.00	17.74	5.20	1.20	0.14

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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