

# U.S. Drought Monitor

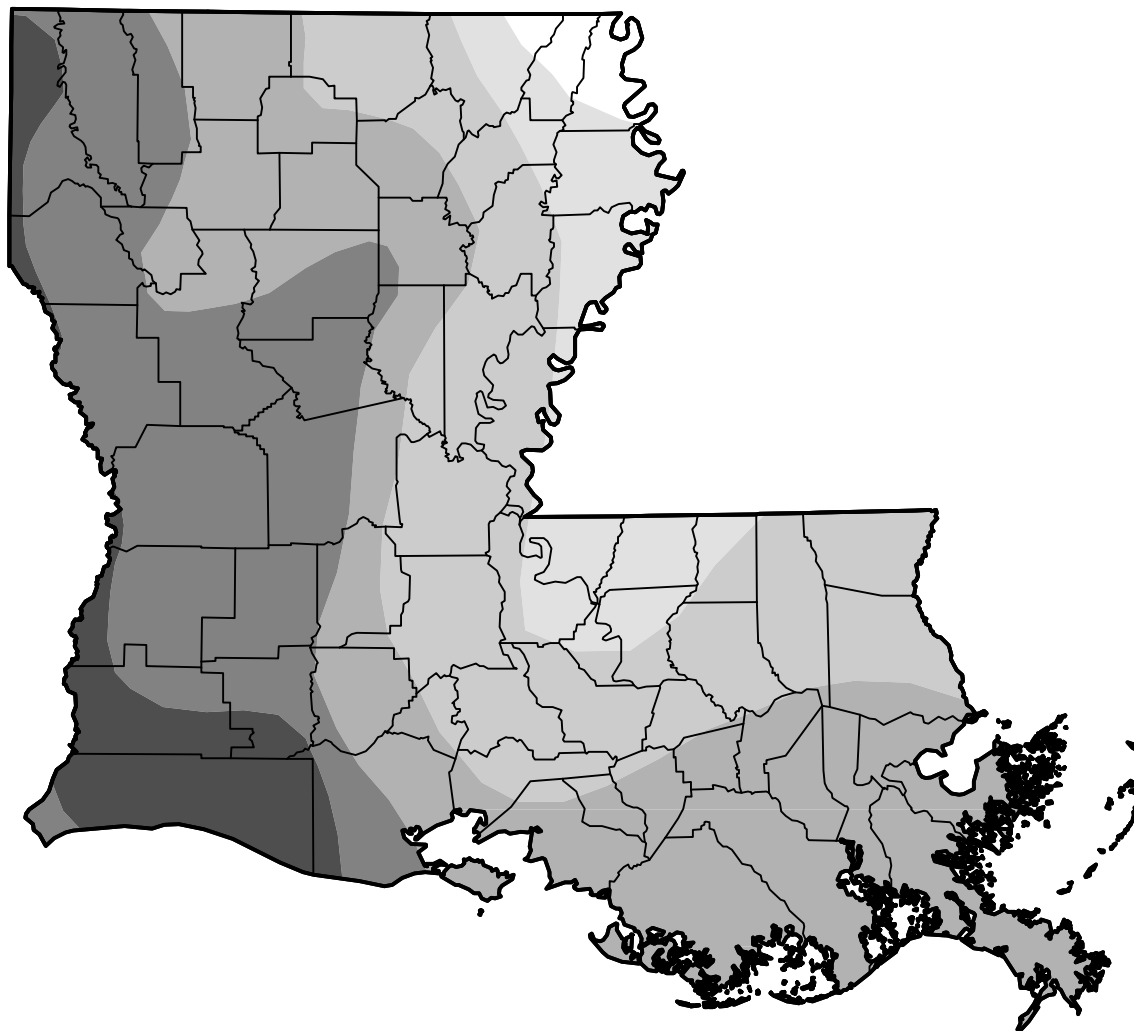
## Louisiana

**December 20, 2011**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	1.43	8.20	25.57	32.24	25.02	7.53
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-15-2011</i>	1.43	8.20	25.57	32.24	24.70	7.86
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-22-2011</i>	45.37	10.21	8.49	8.80	10.77	16.37
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2011</i>	8.59	11.36	23.99	20.49	35.57	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.37	10.21	8.49	8.80	10.77	16.37
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-23-2010</i>	0.00	19.47	21.47	34.47	24.59	0.00



### Intensity:



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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