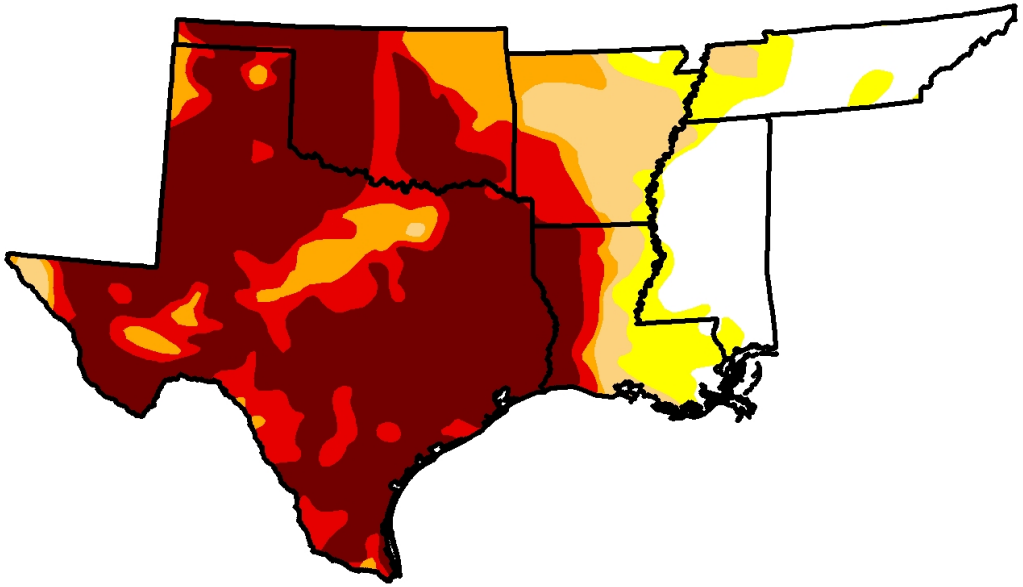
U.S. Drought Monitor

South

October 11, 2011
Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.64	86.36	78.80	70.71	62.22	47.03
Last Week (10/04/2011 map)	18.31	81.69	77.36	70.07	63.80	55.39
3 Months Ago (07/12/2011 map)	10.69	89.31	80.67	72.07	64.19	48.35
Start of Calendar Year (12/28/2010 map)	8.86	91.14	67.65	35.21	10.17	0.00
Start of Water Year (09/27/2011 map)	18.34	81.66	76.26	70.61	63.67	53.77
One Year Ago (10/05/2010 map)	54.56	45.44	20.04	7.70	1.40	0.00



Intensity:

- *D0 Abnormally Dry*
- *D1 Drought - Moderate*
- *D2 Drought - Severe*
- *D3 Drought - Extreme*
- *D4 Drought - Exceptional*

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

Released Thursday, October 13, 2011

http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu