

U.S. Drought Monitor

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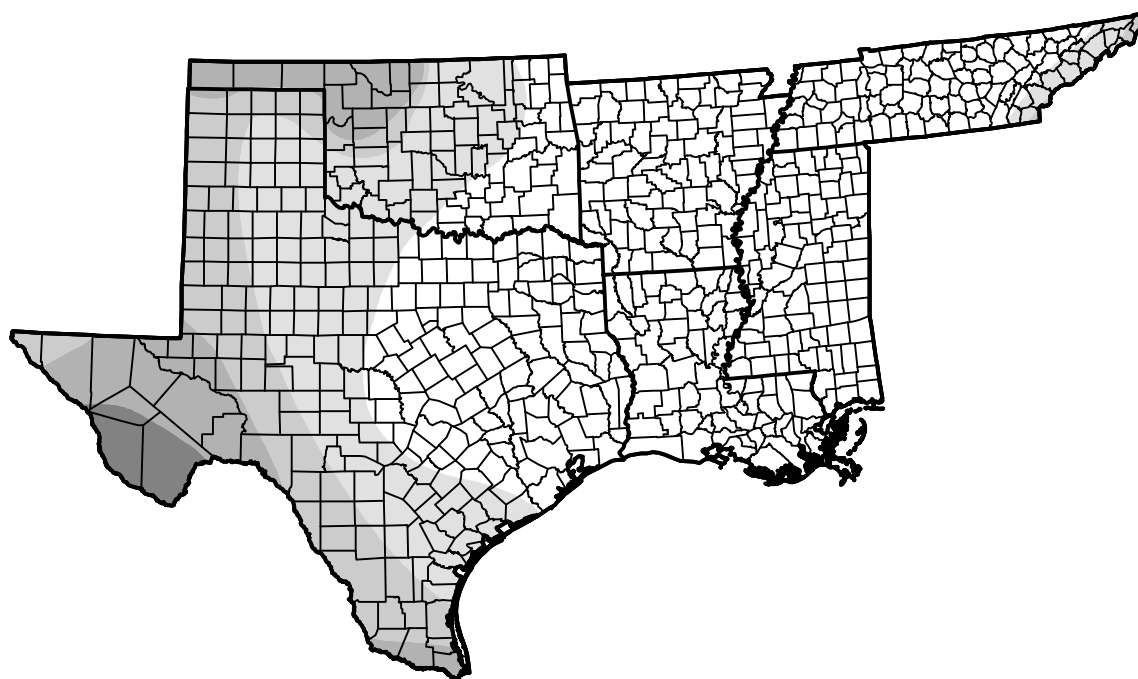
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	56.27	43.73	22.82	10.43	1.96	0.00
Last Week <i>03-12-2002</i>	51.69	48.31	24.51	10.49	1.95	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-18-2001</i>	66.64	33.36	26.54	9.70	5.54	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	65.47	34.53	26.04	11.69	5.64	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	61.69	38.31	20.33	8.14	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-20-2001</i>	80.80	19.20	7.95	1.39	0.03	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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