

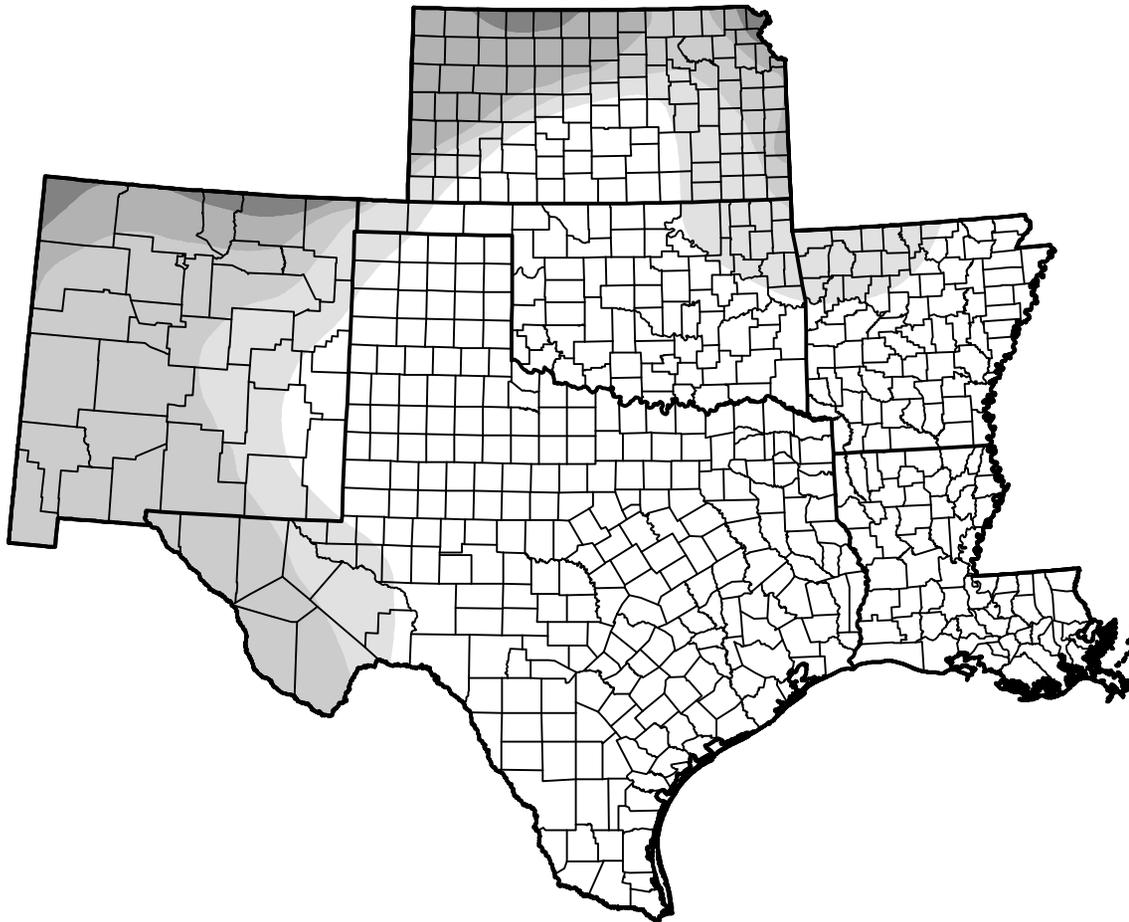
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	64.06	35.94	23.86	7.18	1.15	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	66.53	33.47	23.62	7.04	0.96	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-08-2002</i>	35.59	64.41	36.94	11.04	3.01	0.01
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	66.53	33.47	23.62	7.04	0.96	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	30.58	69.42	38.10	14.37	5.03	0.74
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-08-2002</i>	45.83	54.17	37.48	12.56	4.92	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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