

U.S. Drought Monitor

Kansas

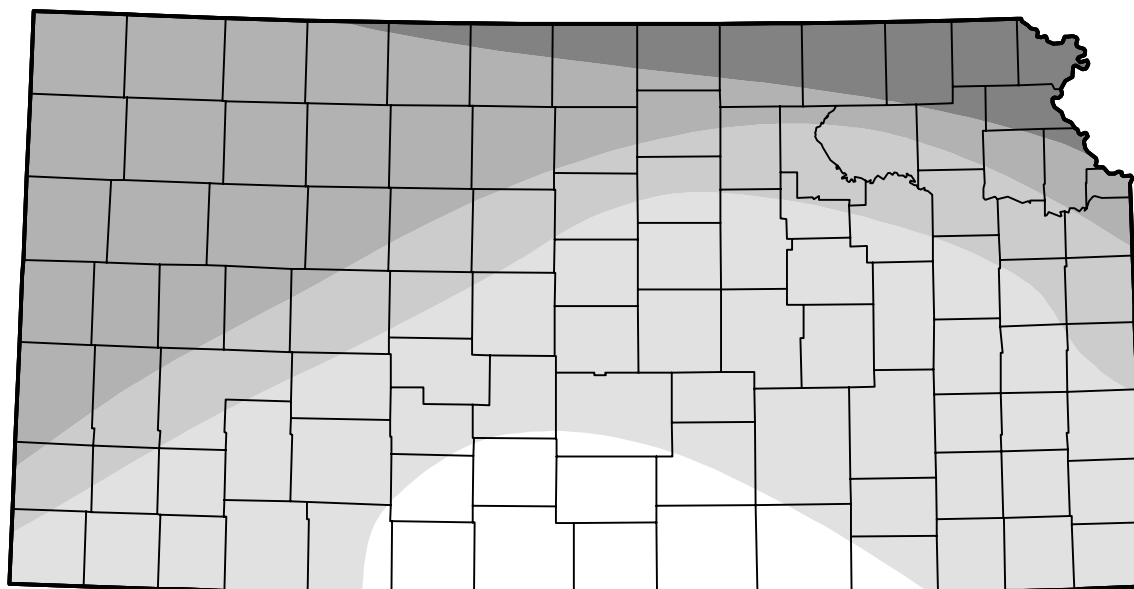
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	10.24	89.76	49.38	34.67	6.41	0.00
Last Week <i>03-13-2003</i>	10.48	89.52	49.71	34.74	6.79	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-19-2002</i>	33.80	66.20	53.28	29.16	2.04	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	33.50	66.50	53.19	31.98	2.89	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	3.00	97.00	65.65	51.67	21.58	4.97
One Year Ago <i>03-21-2002</i>	34.99	65.01	21.74	12.04	0.00	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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