

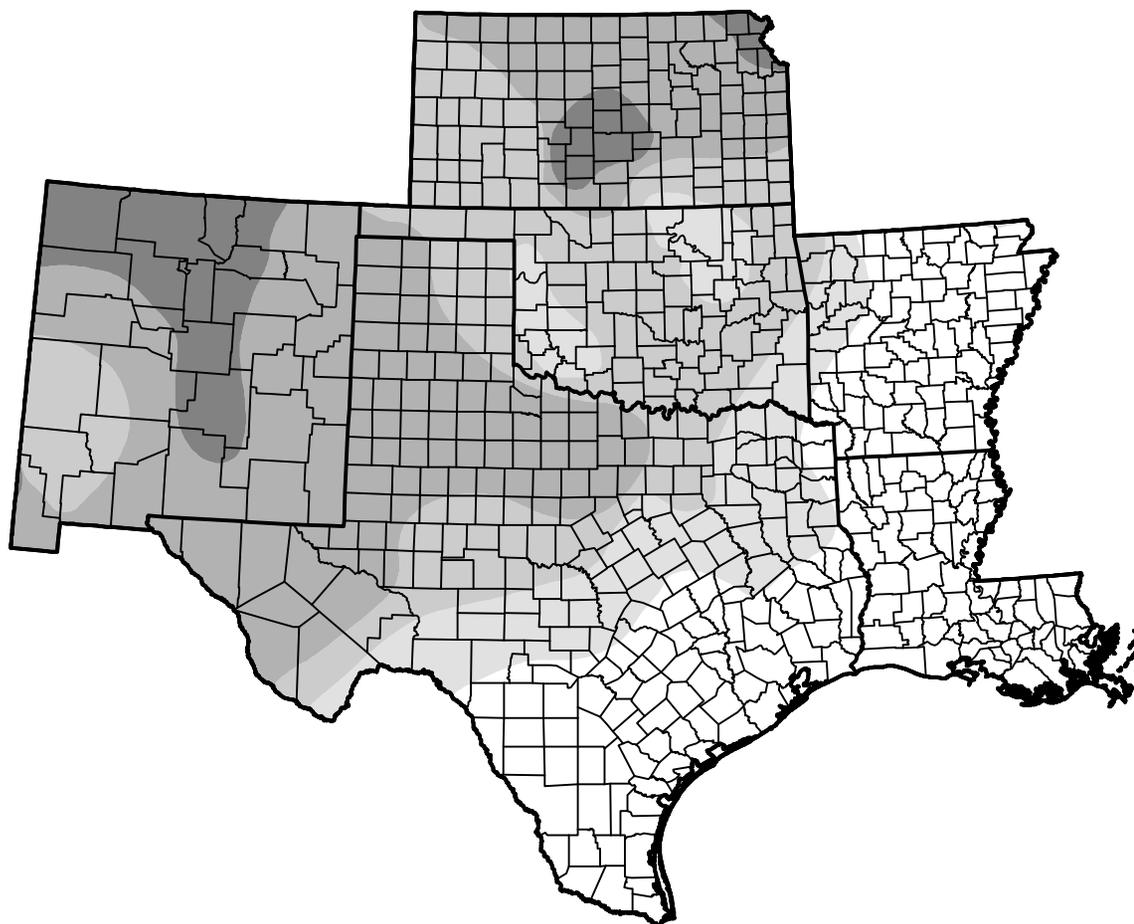
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	27.32	12.48	22.27	30.47	7.46	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-12-2003</i>	26.34	12.85	24.67	30.76	5.37	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-20-2003</i>	16.68	18.91	39.07	20.92	4.42	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	66.53	9.86	16.58	6.08	0.96	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	30.58	31.32	23.73	9.35	4.28	0.74
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-20-2002</i>	57.22	12.81	15.23	5.23	4.63	4.88



### 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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