

U.S. Drought Monitor

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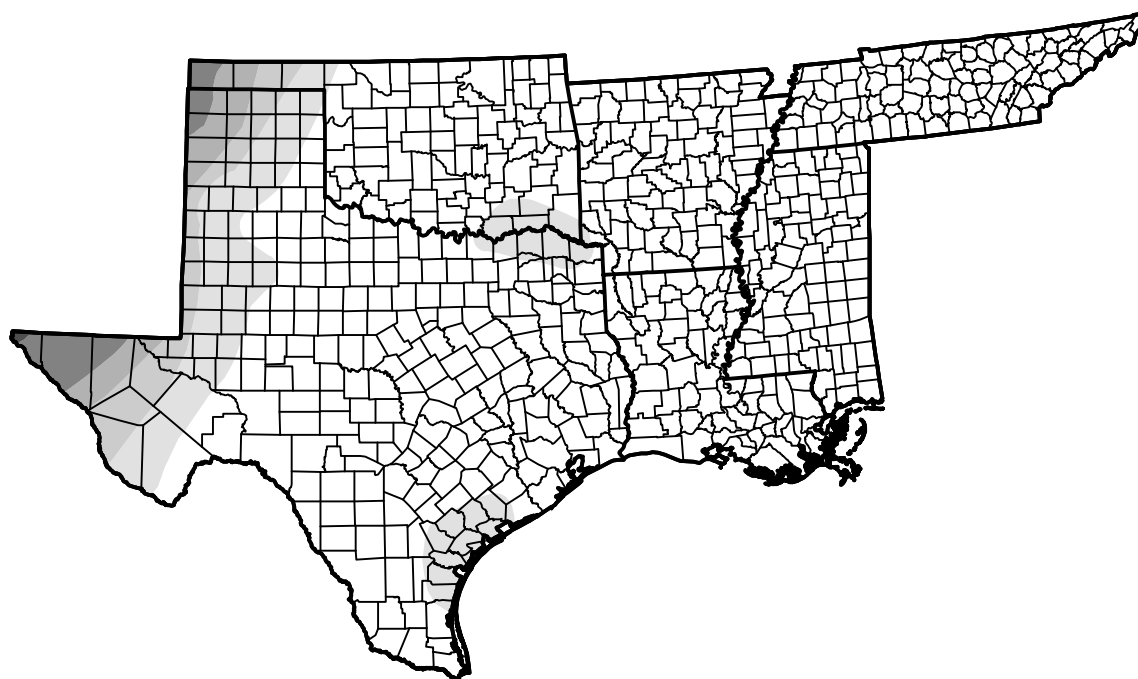
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	83.24	9.95	3.17	2.02	1.57	0.04
Last Week <i>03-09-2004</i>	82.28	8.76	4.02	3.33	1.57	0.04
3 Months Ago <i>12-16-2003</i>	65.20	12.17	12.71	6.41	3.51	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	62.04	15.20	10.51	8.44	3.81	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	68.73	19.12	6.39	4.21	1.55	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-18-2003</i>	81.74	17.06	1.20	0.00	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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