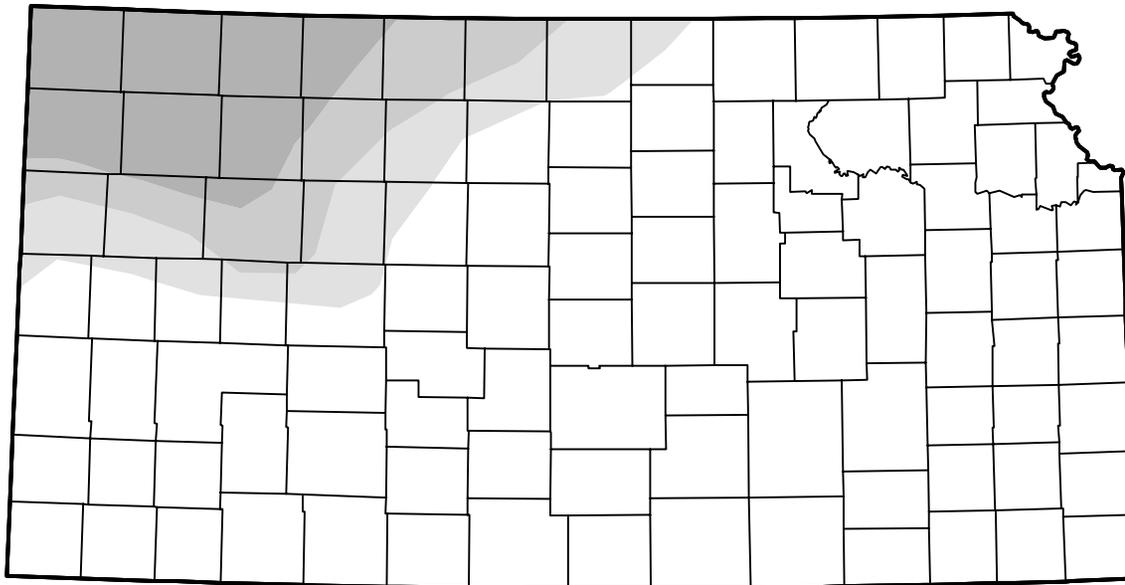


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Kansas

**August 10, 2004**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 12, 2004)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 79.07 | 6.94  | 5.61  | 8.39  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-05-2004</i>              | 70.31 | 15.38 | 5.60  | 8.71  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-13-2004</i>           | 51.02 | 15.01 | 7.34  | 11.57 | 15.06 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2003</i> | 26.19 | 17.66 | 17.15 | 19.10 | 19.91 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2003</i>    | 6.53  | 28.54 | 32.14 | 31.76 | 1.03  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-14-2003</i>           | 0.00  | 1.58  | 37.76 | 60.44 | 0.23  | 0.00 |

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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