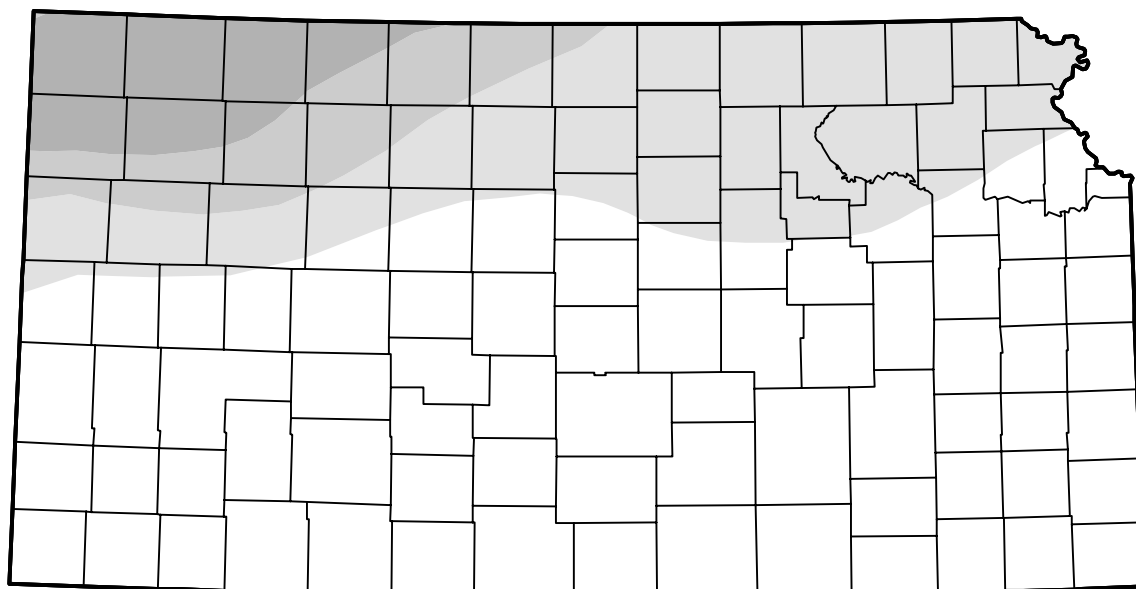


U.S. Drought Monitor

Kansas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	65.53	34.47	12.50	6.33	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-16-2004</i>	68.16	31.84	12.50	6.16	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-23-2004</i>	44.29	55.71	11.96	8.46	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	26.19	73.81	56.15	39.01	19.91	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	82.14	17.86	11.96	6.80	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-24-2003</i>	23.86	76.14	55.65	35.30	18.00	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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