

# U.S. Drought Monitor

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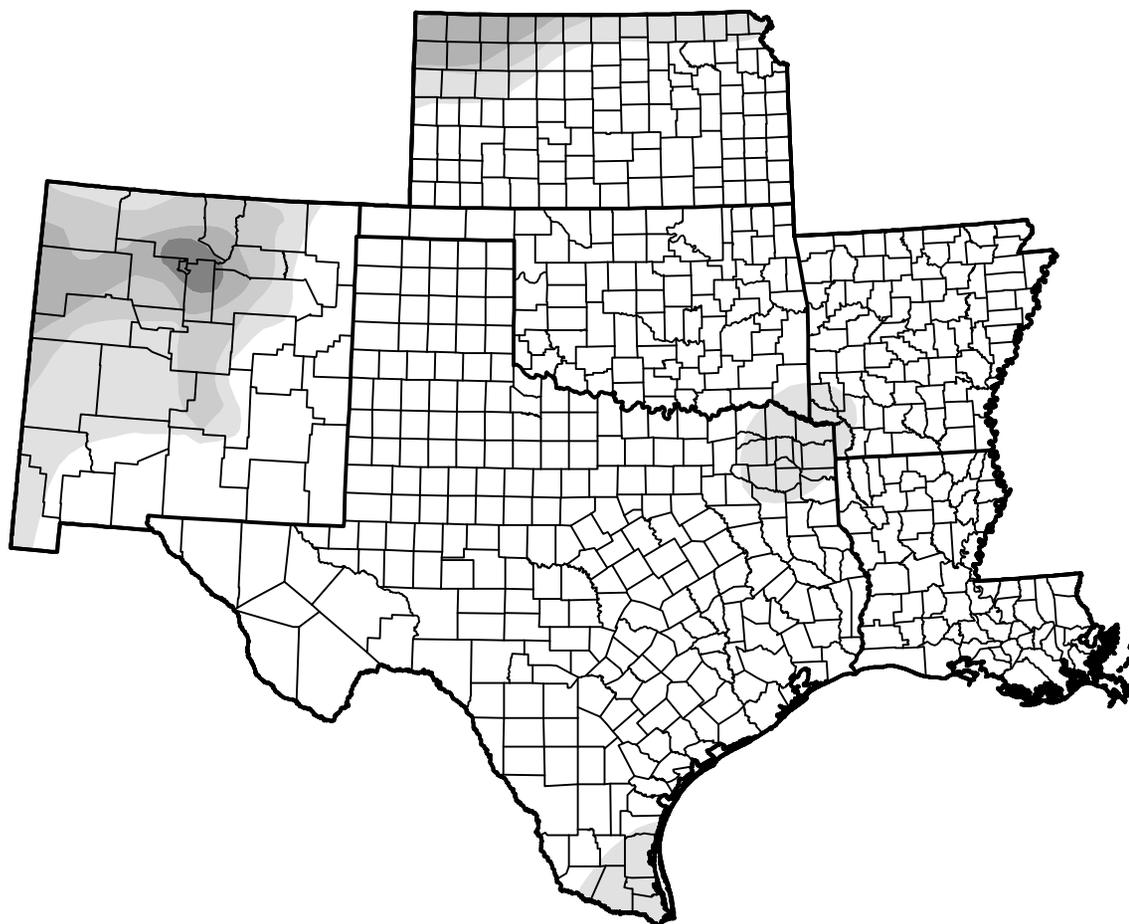
### March 8, 2005

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#### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	83.05	9.49	4.15	2.88	0.43	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-01-2005</i>	85.12	7.42	4.15	2.88	0.43	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-07-2004</i>	82.67	4.15	5.29	5.43	2.46	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	82.33	4.45	5.35	5.42	2.46	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	71.71	13.84	3.95	9.03	1.47	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-09-2004</i>	59.50	9.14	5.36	7.66	12.50	5.84



#### 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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