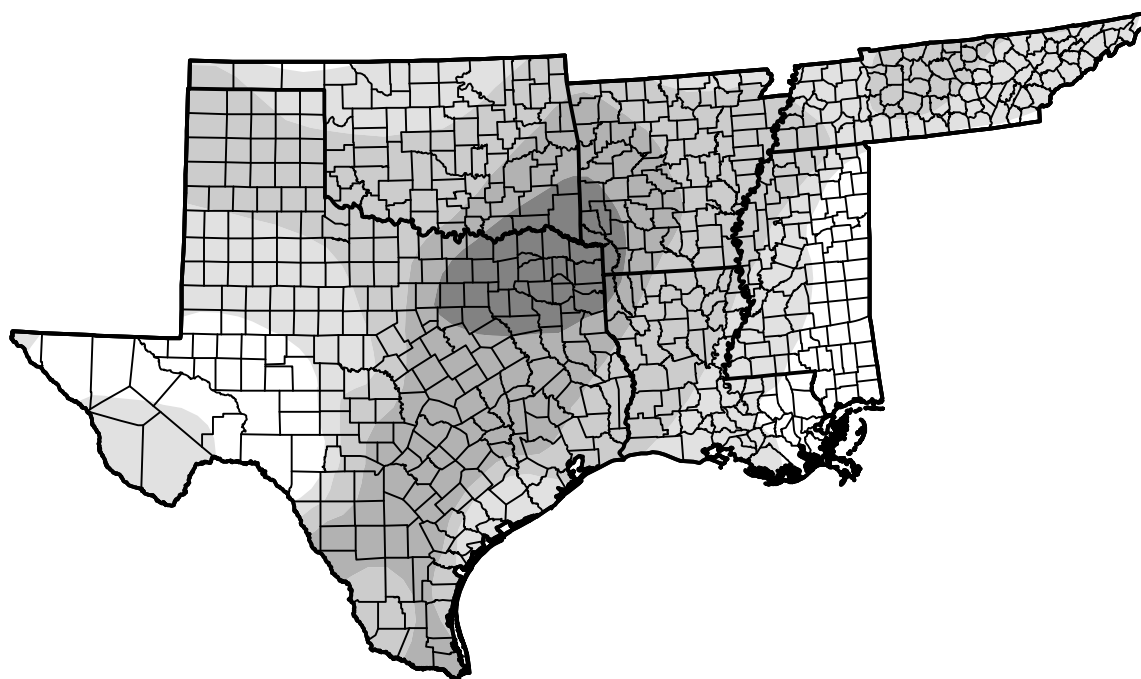


U.S. Drought Monitor South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	14.43	85.57	58.35	25.29	6.26	0.00
Last Week 12-06-2005	17.59	82.41	56.08	21.50	4.70	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-13-2005	55.33	44.67	26.64	11.10	2.10	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2005	99.98	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2005	70.25	29.75	13.51	3.25	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 12-14-2004	99.98	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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