

# U.S. Drought Monitor

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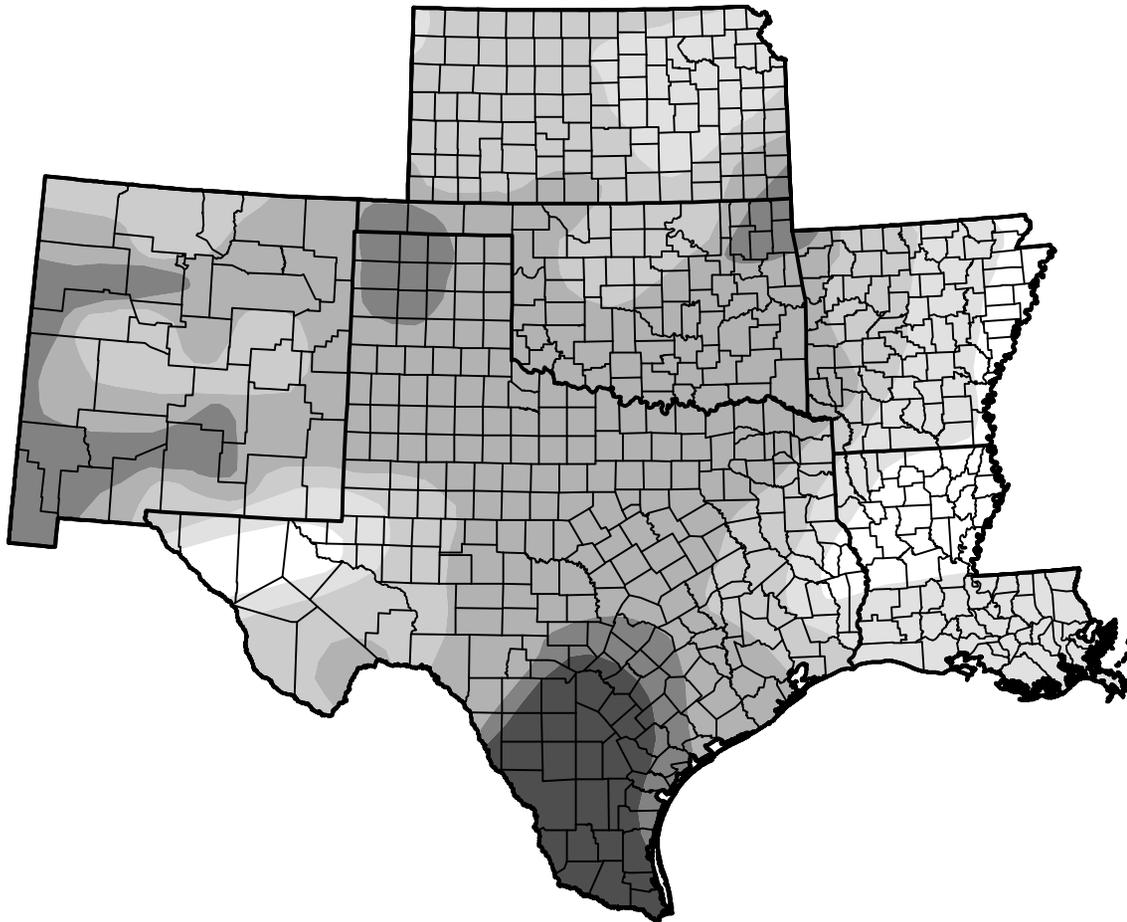
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**Valid 7 a.m. EST**

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	5.92	14.84	24.54	40.30	9.12	5.27
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-21-2006</i>	4.50	15.87	24.94	36.49	12.93	5.27
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-27-2005</i>	18.52	34.88	22.79	13.30	7.99	2.52
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2006</i>	16.08	34.87	21.34	16.14	8.68	2.88
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2005</i>	62.46	22.56	12.31	2.67	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-29-2005</i>	83.18	10.04	4.19	2.60	0.00	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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