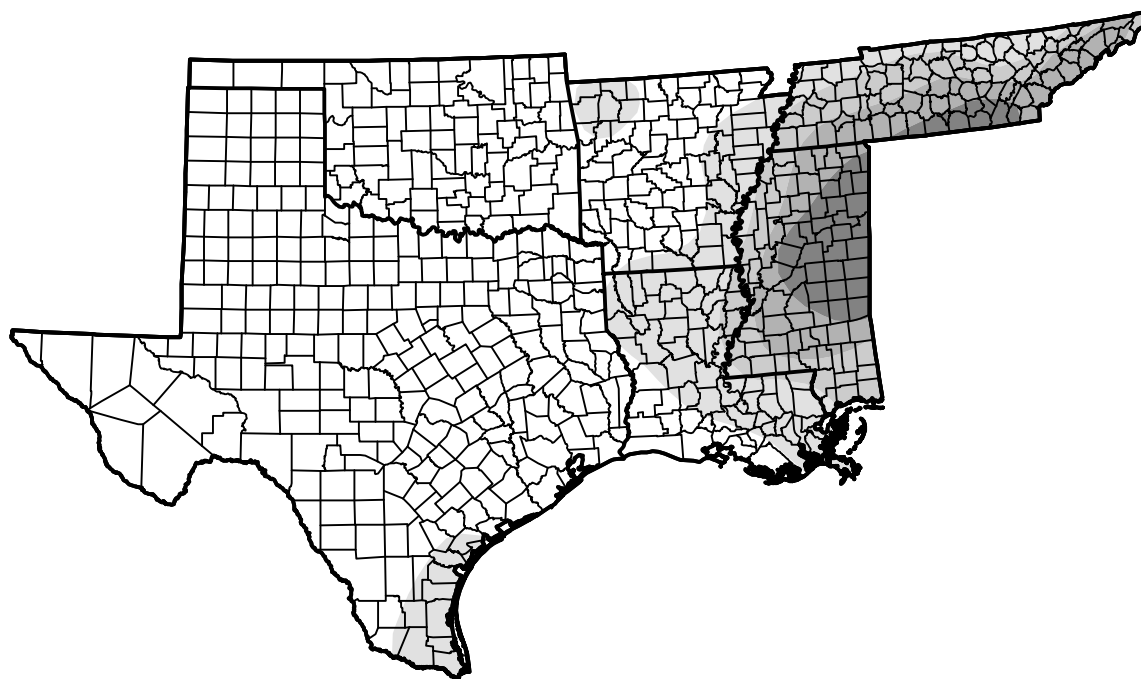


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South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.65	29.35	15.72	9.79	3.96	0.00
Last Week <i>05-08-2007</i>	70.92	29.08	16.22	9.16	2.61	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-13-2007</i>	64.18	35.82	23.16	13.08	8.24	1.28
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	39.82	60.18	33.34	22.29	12.09	1.91
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	23.30	76.70	47.65	28.40	12.45	0.83
One Year Ago <i>05-16-2006</i>	23.42	76.58	42.26	25.87	13.47	3.97

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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