

# U.S. Drought Monitor

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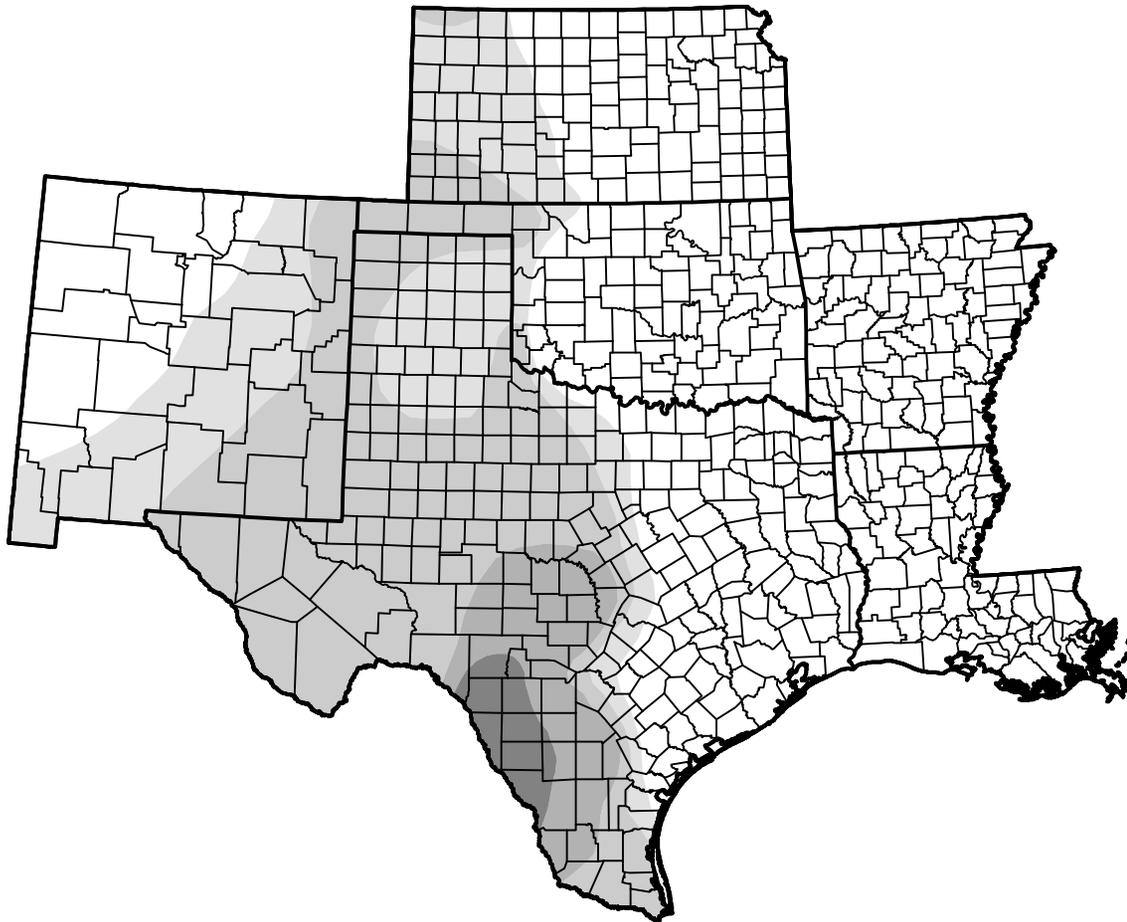
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.66	16.01	23.78	4.92	1.63	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-11-2008</i>	53.74	27.12	8.99	8.52	1.63	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-18-2007</i>	67.53	29.22	3.25	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	62.33	31.20	6.47	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2007</i>	90.01	7.92	1.58	0.42	0.07	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-20-2007</i>	61.23	21.01	8.73	4.02	4.15	0.86



### 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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