

U.S. Drought Monitor South

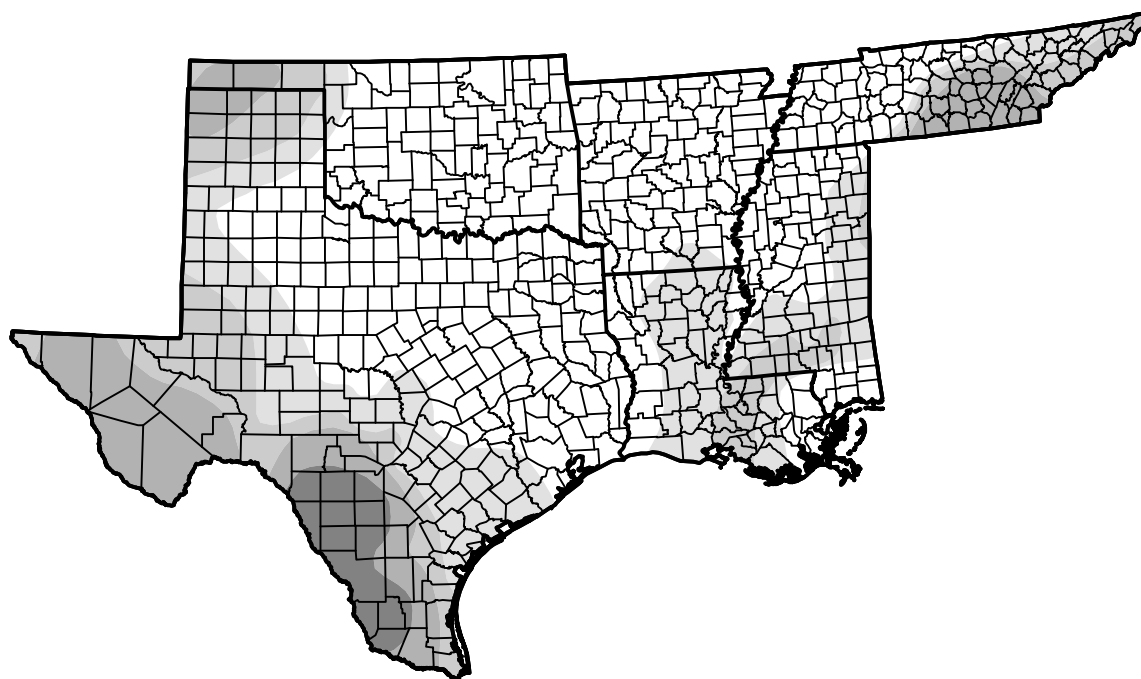
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.46	19.73	11.14	11.20	3.48	0.00
Last Week <i>04-29-2008</i>	51.83	18.46	11.15	13.24	3.65	1.68
3 Months Ago <i>02-05-2008</i>	31.89	46.17	14.53	4.50	1.42	1.50
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	57.46	29.65	8.57	0.56	2.16	1.60
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	78.97	7.83	3.05	2.75	3.41	4.00
One Year Ago <i>05-08-2007</i>	70.92	12.86	7.06	6.55	2.61	0.00



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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