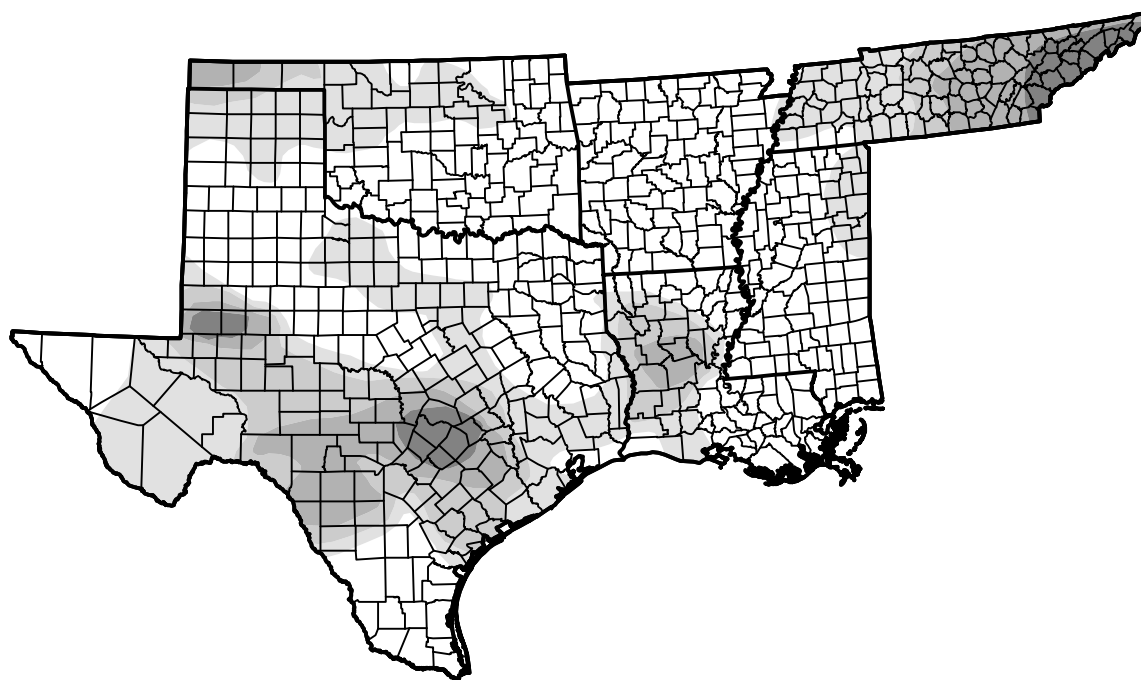


U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.17	24.48	10.73	8.65	2.96	0.00
Last Week <i>08-19-2008</i>	45.05	23.08	15.35	10.33	5.90	0.29
3 Months Ago <i>05-27-2008</i>	62.31	11.17	12.21	12.85	1.46	0.00
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>08-28-2007</i>	67.12	13.25	5.86	4.02	6.17	3.58

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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