

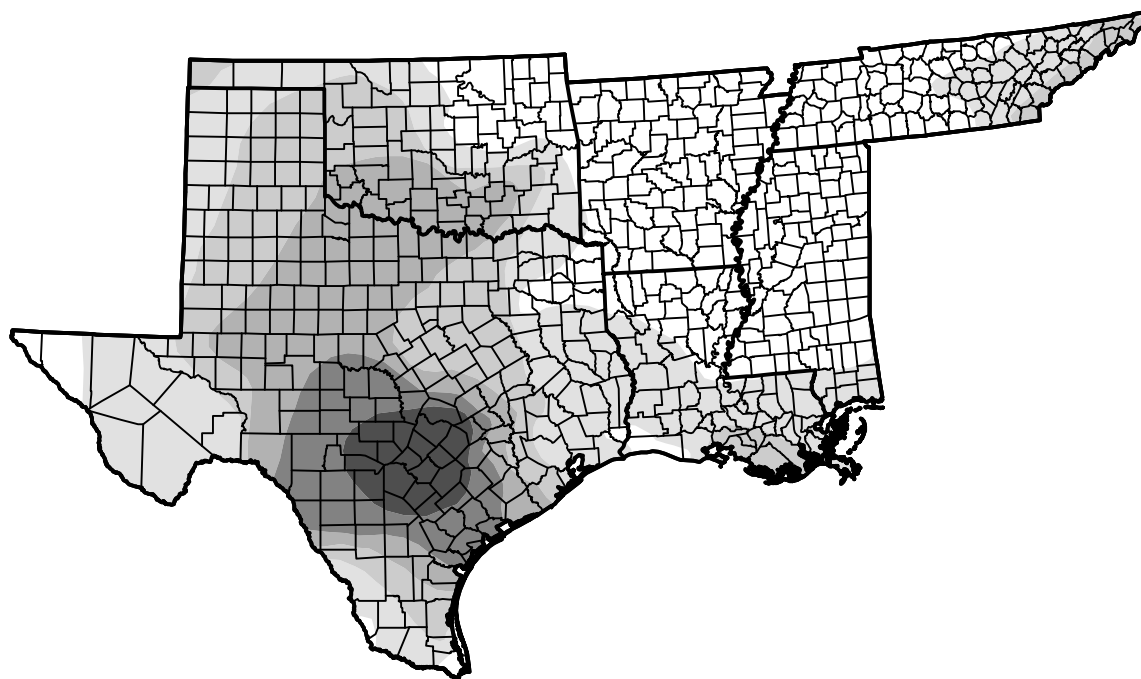
U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	32.21	26.15	17.22	14.53	6.52	3.36
Last Week <i>01-27-2009</i>	32.62	29.30	17.47	12.28	6.22	2.10
3 Months Ago <i>11-04-2008</i>	60.49	22.14	5.96	6.24	5.18	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	58.91	24.01	9.07	3.43	2.48	2.10
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	73.05	9.74	7.22	7.07	2.93	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-05-2008</i>	31.89	46.17	14.53	4.50	1.42	1.50



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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