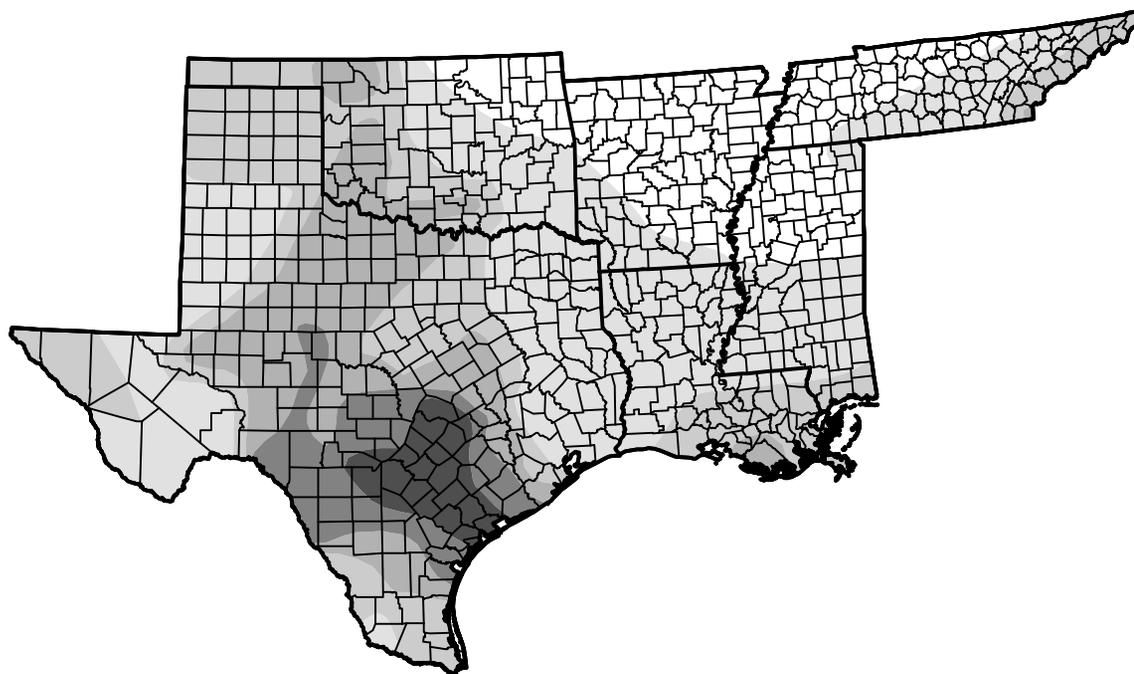


U.S. Drought Monitor

South

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	17.77	34.86	22.03	15.35	6.43	3.58
Last Week <i>03-10-2009</i>	17.77	26.40	30.33	14.18	6.49	4.84
3 Months Ago <i>12-16-2008</i>	58.46	22.09	10.51	4.36	2.48	2.10
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>03-18-2008</i>	55.69	8.78	23.75	7.88	3.41	0.49

Intensity:



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