

# U.S. Drought Monitor

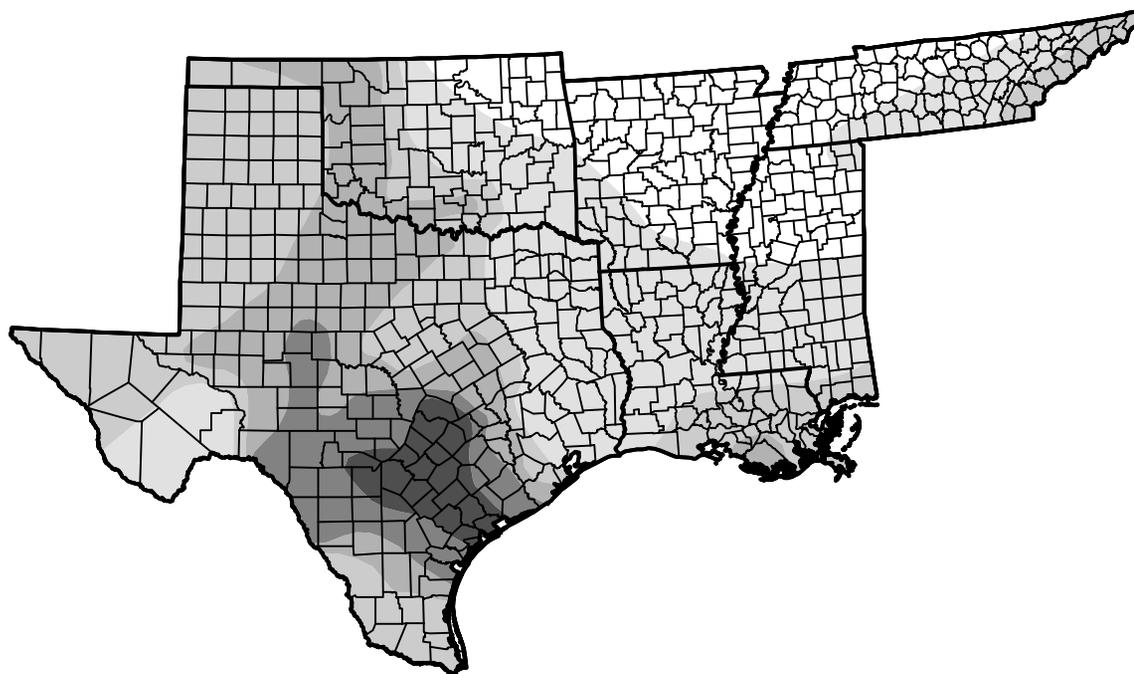
## South

**March 24, 2009**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	17.77	29.97	26.00	15.37	7.31	3.58
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-17-2009</i>	17.77	34.86	22.03	15.35	6.43	3.58
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-23-2008</i>	51.84	28.71	10.86	4.01	2.48	2.10
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	58.91	24.01	9.07	3.43	2.48	2.10
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	73.05	9.74	7.22	7.07	2.93	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-25-2008</i>	58.11	13.18	20.58	4.62	3.51	0.00



***Intensity:***



*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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