

U.S. Drought Monitor South

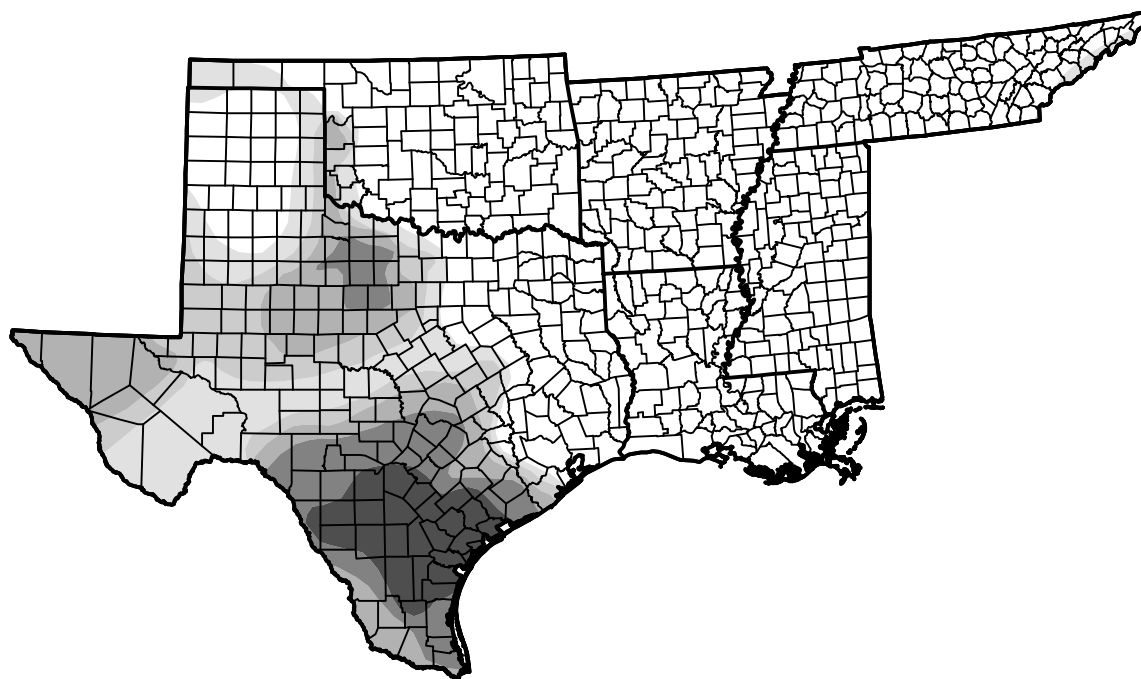
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	61.88	38.12	27.61	20.04	10.92	4.92
Last Week <i>04-28-2009</i>	53.21	46.79	32.05	22.01	10.80	4.92
3 Months Ago <i>02-03-2009</i>	32.21	67.79	41.64	24.41	9.89	3.36
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	58.91	41.09	17.08	8.01	4.58	2.10
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	73.05	26.95	17.21	9.99	2.93	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-06-2008</i>	54.46	45.54	25.81	14.67	3.48	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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