

U.S. Drought Monitor

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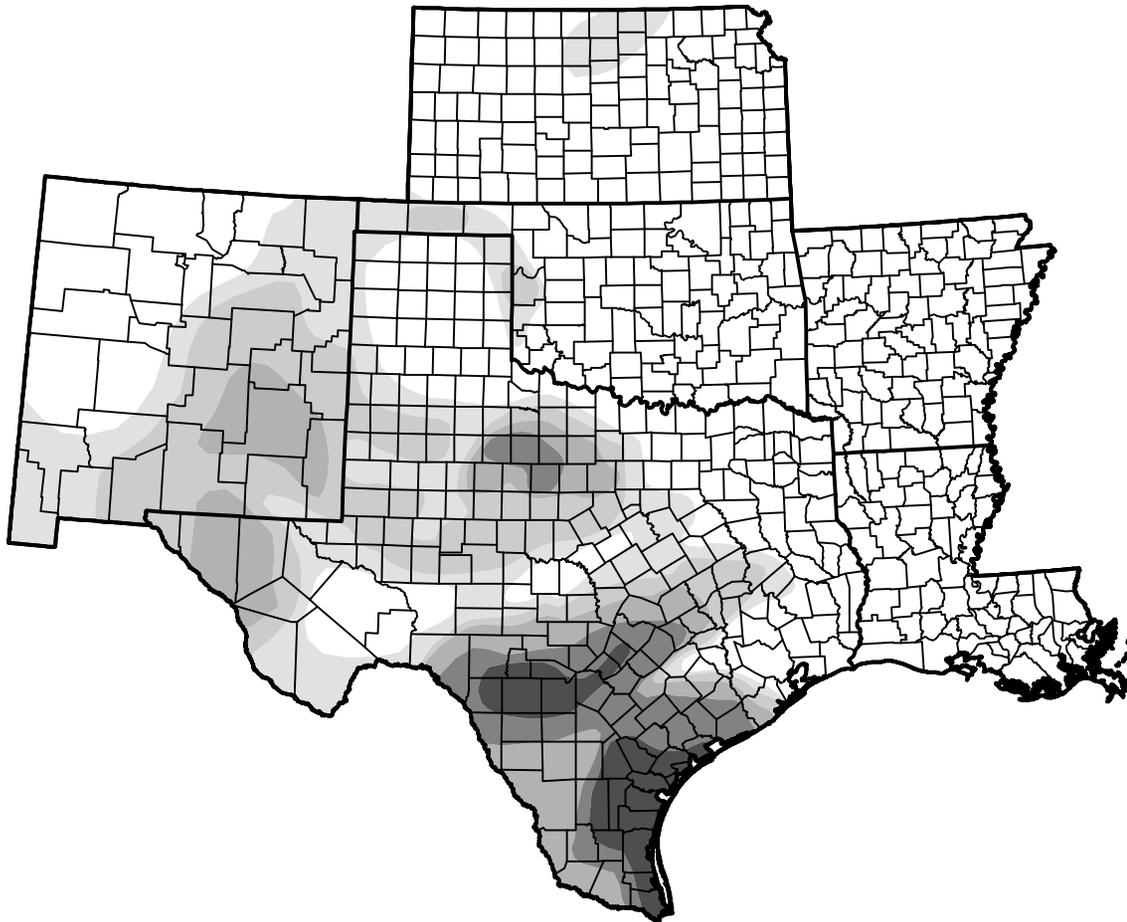
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	58.39	41.61	27.30	15.05	7.21	2.79
Last Week <i>05-19-2009</i>	55.08	44.92	31.22	20.08	8.49	3.53
3 Months Ago <i>02-24-2009</i>	36.63	63.37	36.80	19.20	8.27	3.55
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	63.14	36.86	11.86	6.58	3.76	1.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	76.90	23.10	10.24	4.47	1.51	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-27-2008</i>	58.64	41.36	29.03	13.51	1.74	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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