

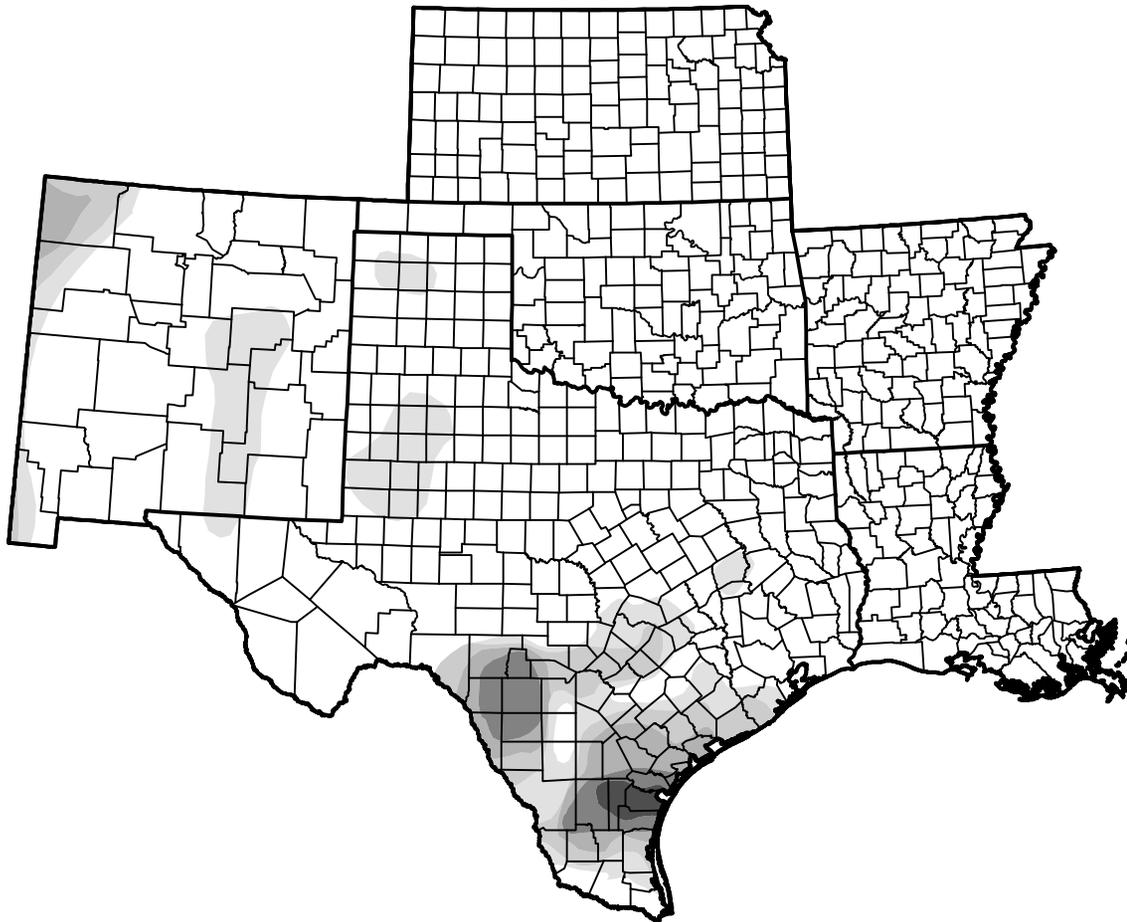
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	85.10	7.74	3.16	2.20	1.43	0.37
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-20-2009</i>	78.23	12.08	3.47	3.37	2.23	0.61
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-28-2009</i>	56.41	21.01	9.00	3.33	2.47	7.77
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	63.14	25.00	5.28	2.82	2.04	1.72
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2009</i>	77.35	10.55	3.00	4.00	3.81	1.30
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-28-2008</i>	76.84	12.99	3.87	4.21	2.09	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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