

# U.S. Drought Monitor

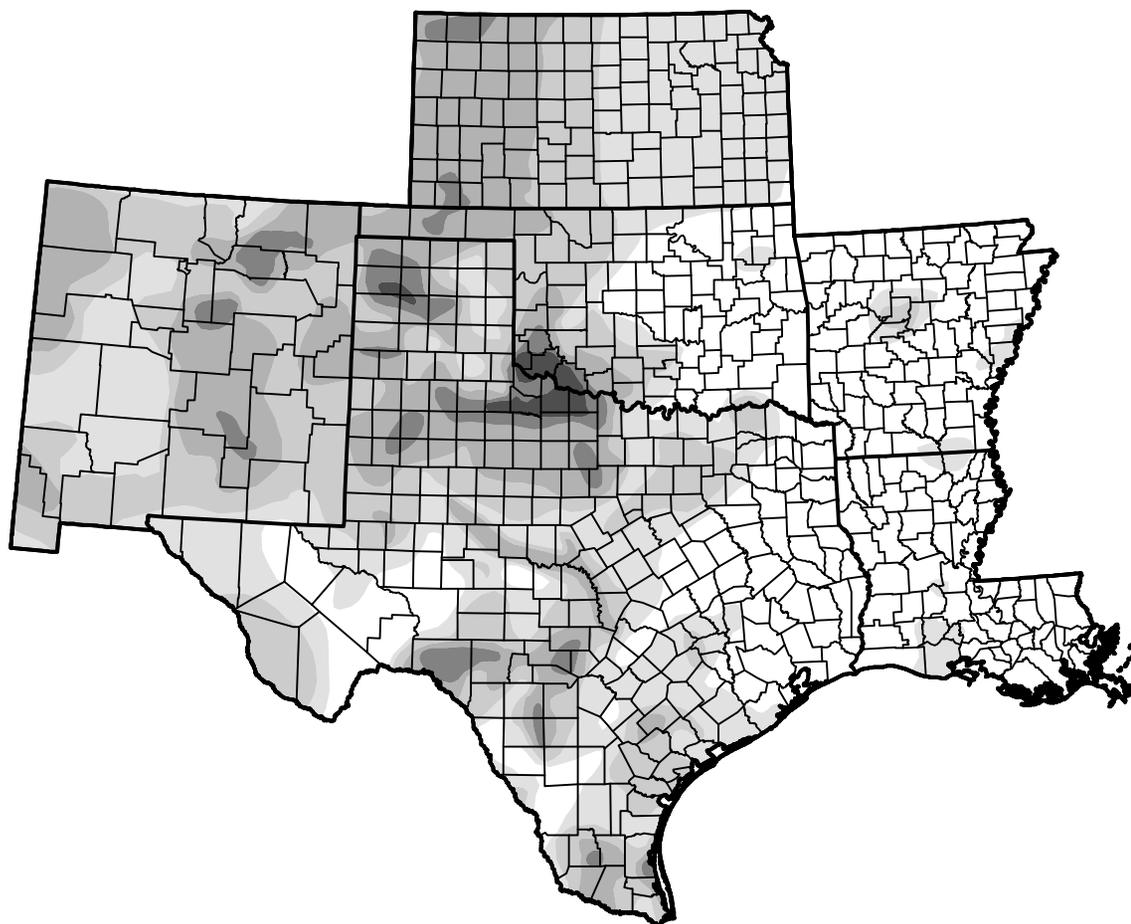
## SCIPP

**December 17, 2013**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	30.37	24.63	22.25	18.26	3.73	0.75
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-10-2013</i>	30.34	26.80	21.25	17.54	3.40	0.66
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-17-2013</i>	11.86	18.76	20.92	32.50	15.12	0.84
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	7.42	9.25	11.07	29.03	29.40	13.83
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	17.73	23.28	33.32	21.94	3.52	0.21
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-18-2012</i>	7.30	7.83	13.43	30.61	28.13	12.70



### 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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