

U.S. Drought Monitor

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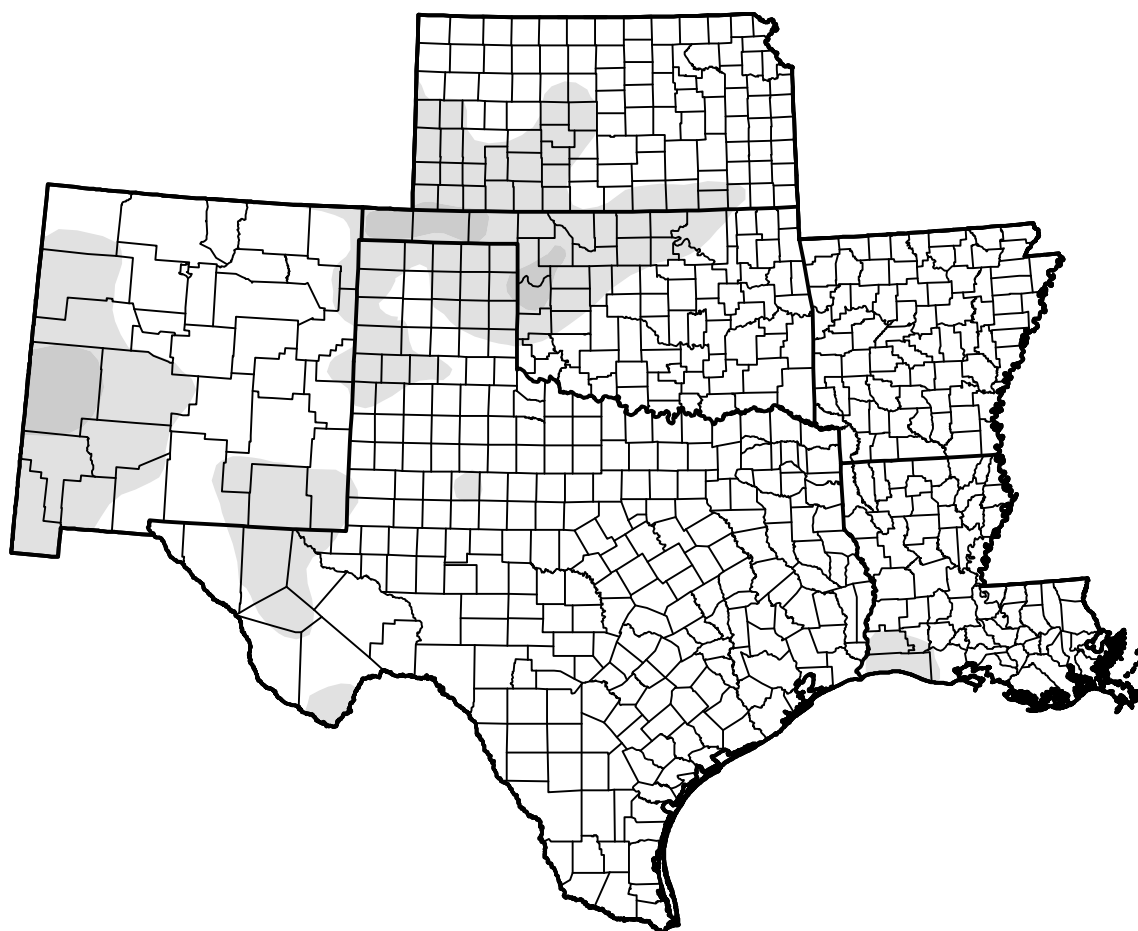
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	79.24	18.67	2.09	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-08-2016</i>	69.57	29.49	0.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-15-2015</i>	93.05	6.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	92.86	7.14	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	45.04	26.38	15.86	8.51	4.21	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-17-2015</i>	31.22	21.88	24.22	12.96	7.86	1.86



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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