

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	83.81	12.13	2.71	1.35	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-12-2007</i>	80.97	14.97	2.73	1.33	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-18-2007</i>	39.96	27.29	12.76	8.43	9.54	2.02
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	32.71	28.30	13.28	11.81	11.71	2.19
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	35.09	16.42	15.95	18.23	13.37	0.95
One Year Ago <i>04-20-2006</i>	2.92	3.88	14.21	53.43	17.21	8.35

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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