

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.43	24.60	23.74	14.79	10.10	3.33
Last Week 07-10-2008	23.39	20.54	19.02	19.13	14.32	3.60
3 Months Ago 04-17-2008	42.40	15.65	26.50	9.33	4.19	1.93
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2008	59.56	32.36	8.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2007	95.72	4.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 07-19-2007	92.12	5.31	1.22	1.35	0.00	0.00

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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