

U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	35.28	64.72	48.44	28.79	15.04	3.51
Last Week <i>03-17-2015</i>	30.45	69.55	47.82	28.92	14.88	2.85
3 Months Ago <i>12-23-2014</i>	29.94	70.06	45.37	25.29	10.66	2.84
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	29.97	70.03	46.17	26.80	11.52	2.97
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	23.45	76.55	52.48	32.35	11.13	2.49
One Year Ago <i>03-25-2014</i>	10.04	89.96	73.80	40.53	22.71	3.65

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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