

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 82.26 | 17.74 | 9.12  | 1.76  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>06-11-2015              | 80.63 | 19.37 | 9.66  | 3.09  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>03-19-2015           | 29.96 | 70.04 | 53.35 | 28.37 | 13.27 | 2.61 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>12-31-2014 | 27.08 | 72.92 | 52.85 | 28.94 | 11.11 | 2.72 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>10-02-2014    | 22.54 | 77.46 | 56.31 | 34.05 | 11.89 | 2.28 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>06-19-2014           | 7.37  | 92.63 | 78.93 | 57.73 | 27.69 | 6.14 |

### 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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