

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	43.19	56.81	26.94	11.17	3.79	0.00
Last Week 09-24-2015	44.34	55.66	21.94	8.66	2.84	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-02-2015	83.53	16.47	5.87	1.10	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	27.08	72.92	52.85	28.94	11.11	2.72
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	22.54	77.46	56.31	34.05	11.89	2.28
One Year Ago 10-02-2014	22.54	77.46	56.31	34.05	11.89	2.28

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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