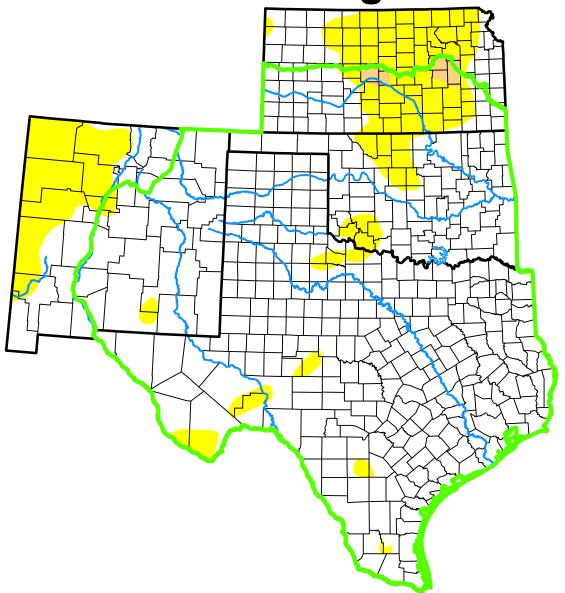
## U.S. Drought Monitor

# Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



## **December 1, 2015**

(Released Thursday, Dec. 3, 2015)
Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|   | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| Current                                 | 90.49 | 8.80  | 0.71  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week<br>11-24-2015                 | 84.69 | 11.16 | 4.15  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago<br>09-01-2015              | 68.67 | 15.02 | 9.85  | 5.67  | 0.79 | 0.00 |
| Start of<br>Calendar Year<br>12-30-2014 | 29.70 | 21.51 | 21.59 | 16.28 | 8.10 | 2.82 |
| Start of<br>Water Year<br>09-29-2015    | 50.14 | 24.04 | 14.24 | 7.66  | 3.93 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago<br>12-02-2014              | 29.31 | 23.14 | 22.56 | 15.93 | 6.71 | 2.35 |

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

#### Intensity:

None
D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry
D1 Moderate Drought
D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions.

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