

U.S. Drought Monitor USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	71.79	20.45	7.18	0.58	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-01-2017</i>	65.20	24.46	9.27	1.08	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-09-2017</i>	83.68	14.13	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	56.13	19.88	10.73	12.31	0.95	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	89.65	6.77	3.07	0.51	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-09-2016</i>	62.99	29.25	7.08	0.68	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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