

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	36.86	23.33	24.41	7.14	4.25	4.00
Last Week 12-03-2024	35.44	23.85	25.99	6.47	4.25	4.00
3 Months Ago 09-10-2024	29.59	28.75	25.03	11.87	3.71	1.05
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2024	38.47	22.29	23.59	11.47	3.74	0.43
Start of Water Year 10-01-2024	21.87	36.07	23.59	10.88	5.45	2.14
One Year Ago 12-12-2023	27.92	25.74	27.12	13.52	5.14	0.55

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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