

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS

January 14, 2025
 (Released Thursday, Jan. 16, 2025)
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	49.42	18.28	17.05	6.54	4.71	4.00
Last Week 01-07-2025	42.10	24.40	19.82	5.25	4.43	4.00
3 Months Ago 10-15-2024	11.88	28.52	34.01	12.28	10.40	2.91
Start of Calendar Year 01-07-2025	42.10	24.40	19.82	5.25	4.43	4.00
Start of Water Year 10-01-2024	21.87	36.07	23.59	10.88	5.45	2.14
One Year Ago 01-16-2024	41.88	25.47	21.03	8.96	2.66	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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