

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	16.79	28.95	26.57	13.89	9.31	4.48
Last Week <i>02-25-2025</i>	16.79	35.90	23.40	10.12	10.14	3.66
3 Months Ago <i>12-03-2024</i>	39.13	21.14	21.95	8.86	5.27	3.66
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-07-2025</i>	43.66	20.78	17.81	8.61	5.47	3.66
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2024</i>	26.19	35.21	18.56	12.36	5.73	1.95
One Year Ago <i>03-05-2024</i>	43.25	19.51	19.43	11.53	5.35	0.93

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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