

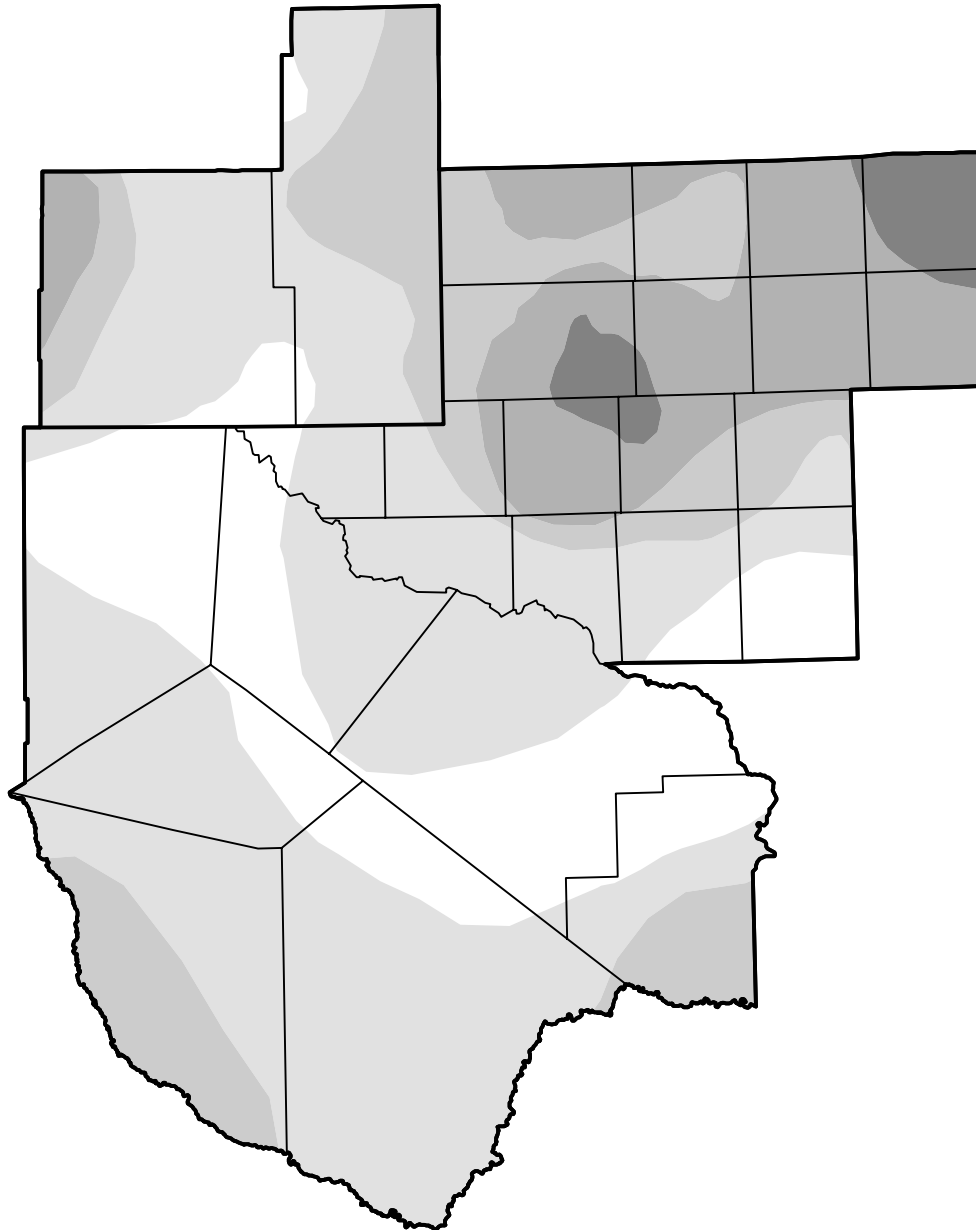
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Midland/Odessa, TX WFO

**September 16, 2014**  
 (Released Thursday, Sep. 18, 2014)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 19.85 | 45.55 | 17.49 | 14.17 | 2.95 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-11-2014</i>              | 15.11 | 48.78 | 13.90 | 18.13 | 4.09 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-19-2014</i>           | 0.00  | 29.31 | 54.64 | 15.62 | 0.42 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2014</i> | 30.64 | 32.94 | 29.33 | 7.09  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-03-2013</i>    | 20.75 | 25.98 | 40.08 | 11.75 | 1.43 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-19-2013</i>           | 19.25 | 30.34 | 27.98 | 17.14 | 5.29 | 0.00 |



***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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