

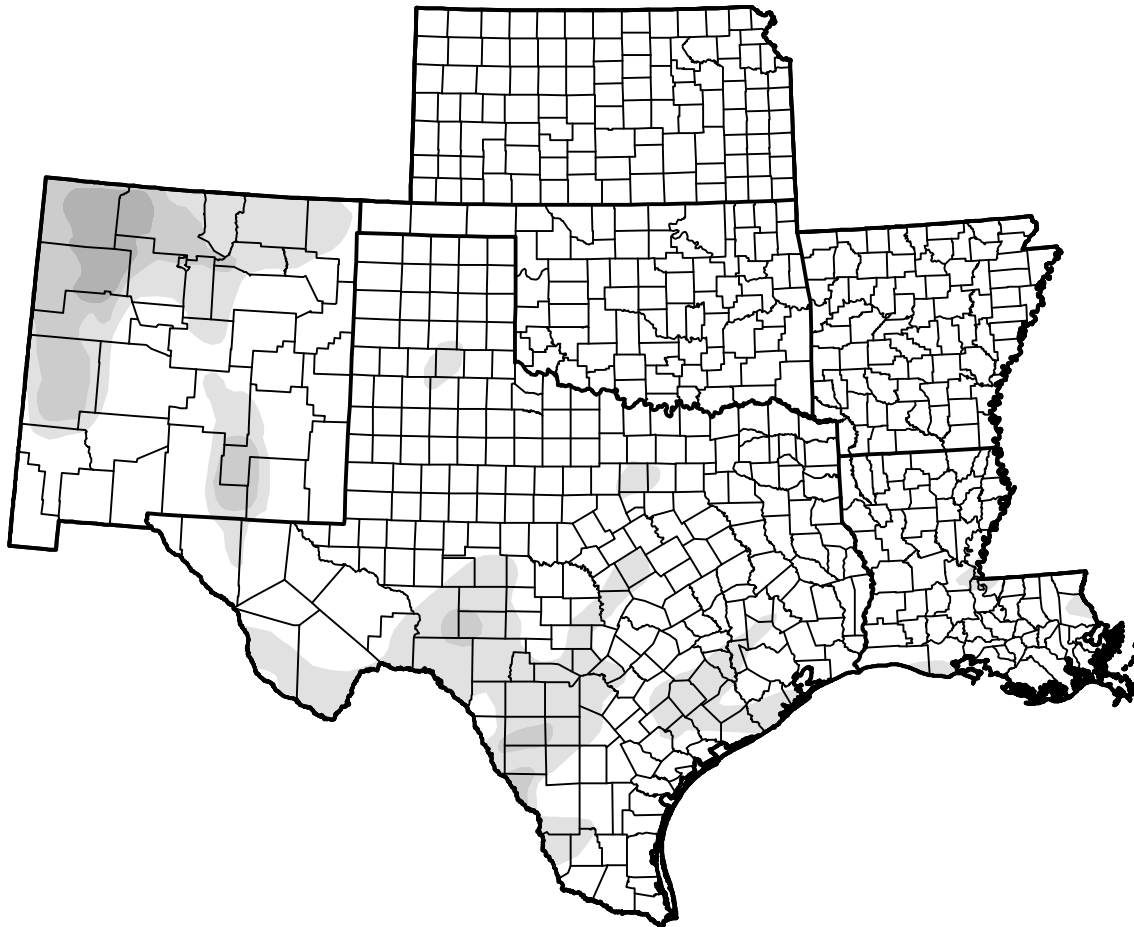
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	82.57	17.43	4.98	1.28	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-16-2019</i>	77.99	22.01	9.56	3.06	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-22-2019</i>	85.62	14.38	9.16	6.24	2.86	0.27
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2019</i>	84.63	15.37	9.05	6.67	3.74	2.70
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2018</i>	55.79	44.21	29.39	15.96	7.19	3.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-24-2018</i>	34.41	65.59	56.96	38.54	22.10	6.41



***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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