

# The United States Drought Monitor LFP Tool and other data used in the USDM process:

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Welcome! If you grow forage for livestock and have recently gone through drought, this website can help you find out whether you qualify for assistance. Qualifying for assistance is based on the U.S. Drought Monitor and on your county's designated grazing periods. To use this tool, you will need to know your county's grazing period. If you are not sure what it is, please consult your [local Farm Service Agency representative](#).

## 2014 Farm Bill Criteria

[Is my county eligible?](#)[Which counties are eligible?](#)

## 2008 Farm Bill Criteria

[Is my county eligible?](#)[Which counties are eligible?](#)

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To read about the Livestock Forage Disaster Program, please refer to the FSA factsheet: [2014 version](#) | [2008 version](#)

To learn more about the U.S. Drought Monitor, please visit the [web site](#).

To apply for assistance, please contact your [local FSA office](#).

For help with this tool, please visit the [FSA Eligibility Tool Help](#) pages.

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# NDMC's LFP Eligibility Tool

<http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/fsa/Home.aspx>

## FSA Eligibility Tool: Single County (2014 Criteria)

[Fsa Eligibility County 2014](#)

The County Eligibility tool tells you which, if any, of the Livestock Forage Disaster Program requirements are met for a particular county.

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If you would like information at a state or national level, please visit the [Summary Data](#) section or return to the [home page](#).

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### Location

State

County

### Grazing Period

Start of Grazing Period\*  

End of Grazing Period\*  

*\* Grazing periods vary by location and forage type. Please check with your local FSA agent for the applicable grazing period.*

### Results

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## Location

State

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## Grazing Period

Start of Grazing Period\*  

End of Grazing Period\*  

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## Results

-  Potter County does not meet the D2 for 8 consecutive weeks requirement.
-  Potter County does not meet the D3 at any time requirement.
-  Potter County does not meet the D3 for 4 non-consecutive weeks requirement.
-  Potter County does not meet the D4 at any time requirement.
-  Potter County does not meet the D4 for 4 non-consecutive weeks requirement.

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## Location

State

County

## Grazing Period

Start of Grazing Period\*  

End of Grazing Period\*  

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## Results

-  Potter County does not meet the D2 for 8 consecutive weeks requirement.
-  Potter County was in D3 for at least one week during the selected time period (1 total weeks).
-  Potter County does not meet the D3 for 4 non-consecutive weeks requirement.
-  Potter County does not meet the D4 at any time requirement.
-  Potter County does not meet the D4 for 4 non-consecutive weeks requirement.

# FSA Eligibility Tool: Summary Data (2014 Criteria)

[Fsa Eligibility State 2014](#)

The Summary Data tool provides county-level data for the country or for a state to determine which counties meet the Livestock Forage Disaster Program requirements.

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If you would like information for one county, please visit the [County Eligibility](#) section or return to the [home page](#).

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## Criteria

- D2 for at least eight consecutive weeks during the grazing period
- D3 at any time during the grazing period
- D3 for at least four (nonconsecutive) weeks during the grazing period
- D4 at any time during the grazing period
- D4 for at least four (nonconsecutive) weeks during the grazing period

## Location

U.S.  By State

## Grazing Period

Start of Grazing Period\*

End of Grazing Period\*

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Number of counties affected: 50

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| FIPS  | State | County               | Start Date | End Date   |
|-------|-------|----------------------|------------|------------|
| 48011 | TX    | Armstrong County     | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48023 | TX    | Baylor County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48045 | TX    | Briscoe County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48065 | TX    | Carson County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48069 | TX    | Castro County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48075 | TX    | Childress County     | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48079 | TX    | Cochran County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48087 | TX    | Collingsworth County | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48101 | TX    | Cottle County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48107 | TX    | Crosby County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48111 | TX    | Dallam County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48117 | TX    | Deaf Smith County    | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48125 | TX    | Dickens County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48129 | TX    | Danley County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48153 | TX    | Floyd County         | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48155 | TX    | Foard County         | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48169 | TX    | Garza County         | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48179 | TX    | Gray County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48189 | TX    | Hale County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48191 | TX    | Hall County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48195 | TX    | Hansford County      | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48197 | TX    | Hardeman County      | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48205 | TX    | Hartley County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48207 | TX    | Haskell County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48211 | TX    | Hemphill County      | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48219 | TX    | Hockley County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48233 | TX    | Hutchinson County    | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48263 | TX    | Kent County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48269 | TX    | King County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48275 | TX    | Knox County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48279 | TX    | Lamb County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48295 | TX    | Lipscomb County      | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48303 | TX    | Lubbock County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48305 | TX    | Lynn County          | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48341 | TX    | Moore County         | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48345 | TX    | Motley County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48357 | TX    | Ochiltree County     | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48359 | TX    | Oldham County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48369 | TX    | Parmer County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48375 | TX    | Potter County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48381 | TX    | Randall County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48393 | TX    | Roberts County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48421 | TX    | Sherman County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48433 | TX    | Stonewall County     | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48437 | TX    | Swisher County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48445 | TX    | Terry County         | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48483 | TX    | Wheeler County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48485 | TX    | Wichita County       | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48487 | TX    | Wilbarger County     | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |
| 48501 | TX    | Yoakum County        | 2018-03-27 | 2018-04-02 |

# Maps available from the USDM website

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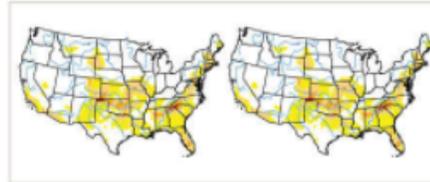
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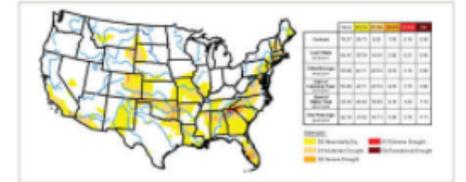
#### Compare Two Weeks

Compare two U.S. Drought Monitor weeks side by side.



#### Comparison Slider

Displays the USDM maps from two selected dates, and allows the user to determine which is displayed by using a slider bar.



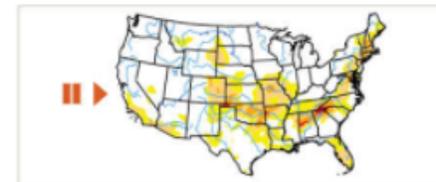
#### Map Archive

View any map format for a selected week.



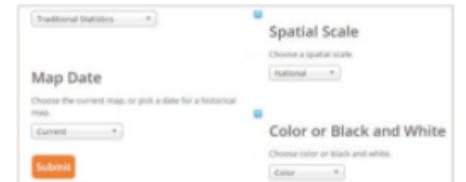
#### Change Maps

View a series of change maps for a selected week.



#### Animations

View an animated series of maps or download animated GIF files.



#### Custom Map Request

Request a custom U.S. Drought Monitor map.

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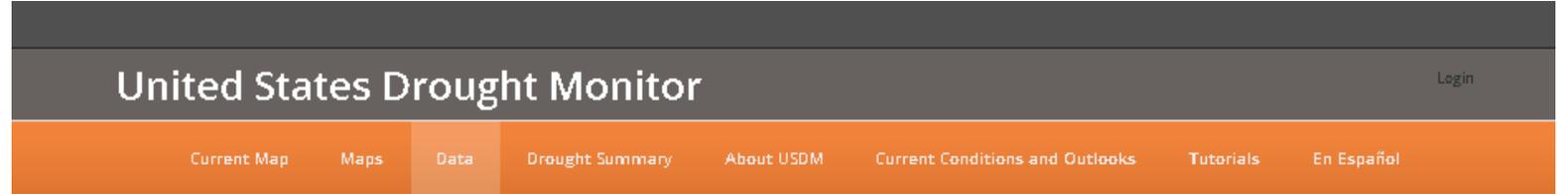
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# Data available from the USDM website

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## Data



### Time Series

View a graph of the U.S. Drought Monitor statistics for a chosen area.

| Week       | Area  | 2014  | 2014 | 2014 | 2014 | 2014 |
|------------|-------|-------|------|------|------|------|
| 2014-01-06 | 01-06 | 14.96 | 7.80 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 2014-01-13 | 01-13 | 16.01 | 5.28 | 1.12 | 0.28 | 0.00 |
| 2014-01-20 | 01-20 | 16.07 | 4.50 | 1.00 | 0.45 | 0.00 |
| 2014-01-27 | 01-27 | 16.00 | 5.07 | 1.00 | 0.42 | 0.00 |
| 2014-02-03 | 02-03 | 16.07 | 5.00 | 1.00 | 0.36 | 0.00 |
| 2014-02-10 | 02-10 | 16.07 | 4.58 | 1.00 | 0.13 | 0.00 |
| 2014-02-17 | 02-17 | 16.07 | 5.17 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 2014-02-24 | 02-24 | 16.00 | 6.25 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 2014-03-02 | 03-02 | 16.00 | 6.17 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 2014-03-09 | 03-09 | 16.07 | 6.00 | 1.00 | 0.18 | 0.00 |
| 2014-03-16 | 03-16 | 16.00 | 5.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 2014-03-23 | 03-23 | 16.00 | 5.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 2014-03-30 | 03-30 | 16.00 | 5.00 | 1.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |

### Data Tables

View the U.S. Drought Monitor data in tabular format for a selected area.



### Data Download

Download U.S. Drought Monitor statistics.



### GIS Data

Get GIS data files for each week including shapefiles, kmz, wms and more.



### Metadata

Information about the GIS data and other U.S. Drought Monitor data file formats.



### FSA Eligibility Tool

Tool to determine if an area qualifies for disaster payments from the Farm Service Agency.

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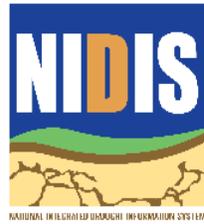
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