

U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

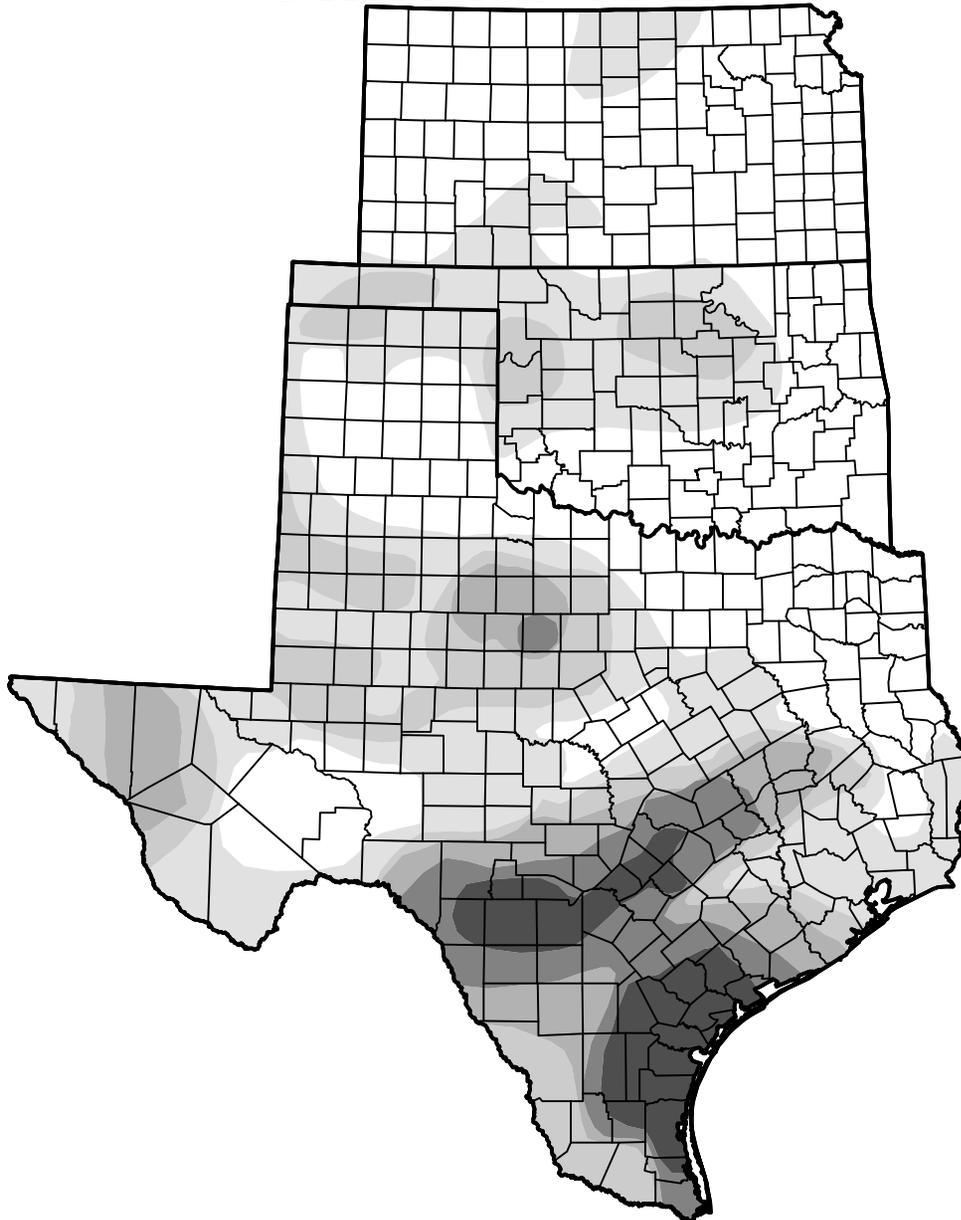
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.74	25.65	13.91	7.19	5.65	4.86
Last Week <i>06-09-2009</i>	44.12	25.19	12.34	7.24	6.25	4.86
3 Months Ago <i>03-17-2009</i>	10.24	33.25	25.11	18.82	8.08	4.50
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2008</i>	56.12	26.16	7.65	4.31	3.12	2.64
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2008</i>	73.18	11.60	8.38	4.53	2.31	0.00
One Year Ago <i>06-17-2008</i>	29.89	12.02	23.34	16.24	17.24	1.26



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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