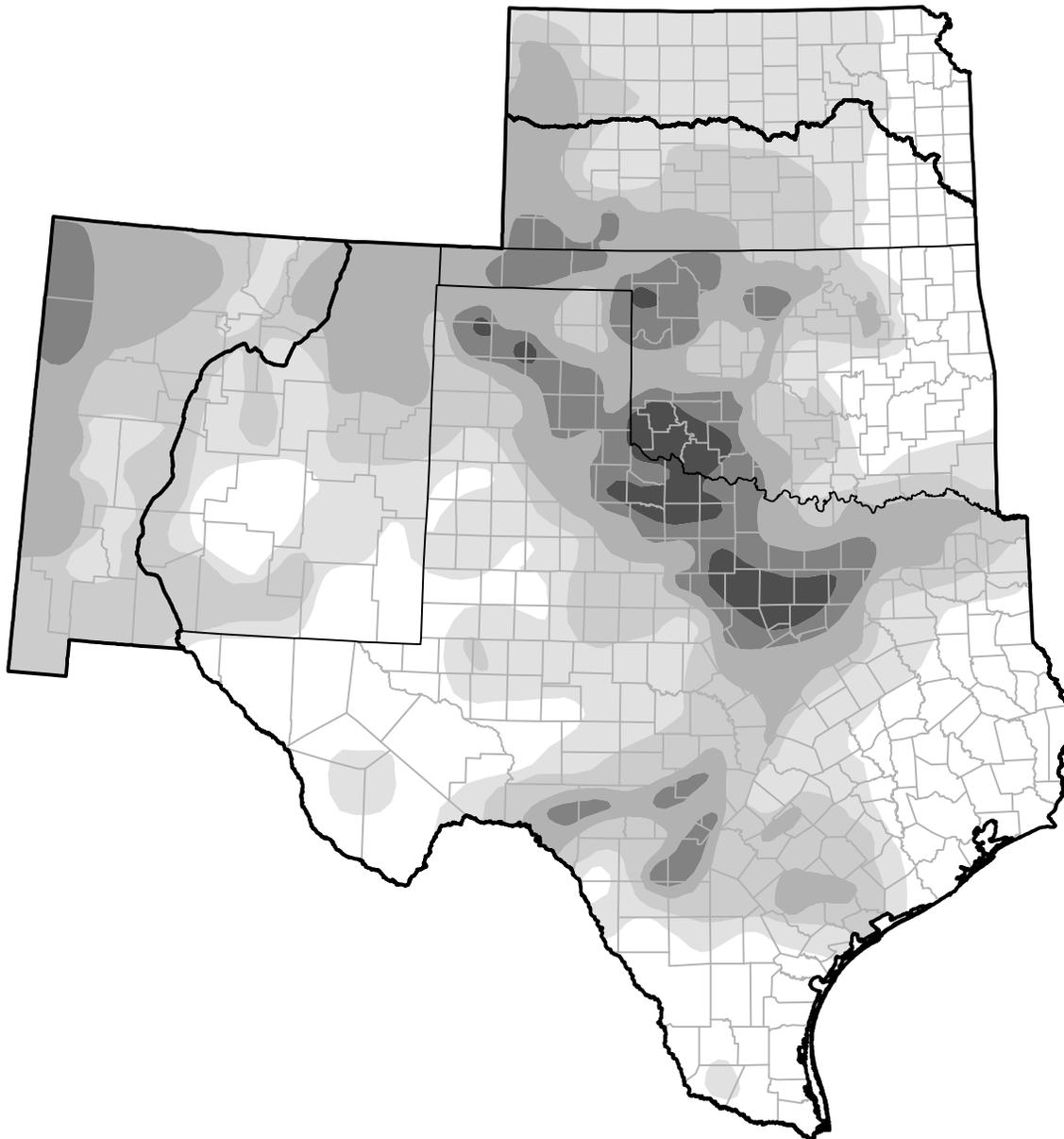


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**December 30, 2014**  
 (Released Wednesday, Dec. 31, 2014)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	27.08	72.92	52.85	28.94	11.11	2.72
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-24-2014</i>	27.05	72.95	52.12	27.56	10.32	2.60
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	22.54	77.46	56.31	34.05	11.89	2.28
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	24.42	75.58	51.33	23.89	5.17	0.82
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	22.54	77.46	56.31	34.05	11.89	2.28
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	24.42	75.58	51.33	23.89	5.17	0.82

***Intensity:***



*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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