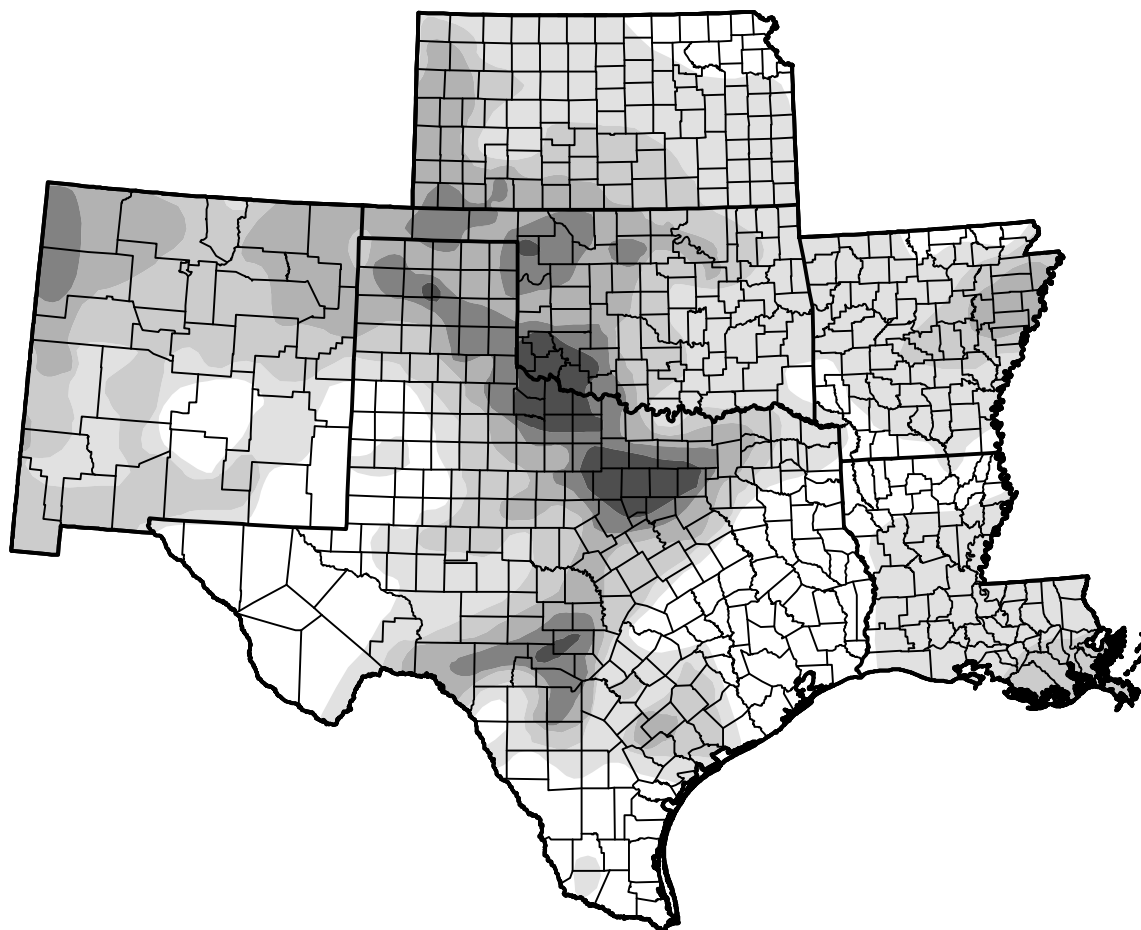


U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	23.60	30.53	21.25	15.40	6.74	2.48
Last Week <i>02-10-2015</i>	29.78	27.92	18.97	14.41	6.44	2.48
3 Months Ago <i>11-18-2014</i>	31.40	25.29	20.46	15.83	4.87	2.15
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	28.40	27.01	21.55	14.81	6.29	1.94
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	29.57	23.45	20.14	18.04	7.18	1.63
One Year Ago <i>02-18-2014</i>	18.97	24.97	24.84	22.45	8.20	0.56

Intensity:

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