

U.S. Drought Monitor

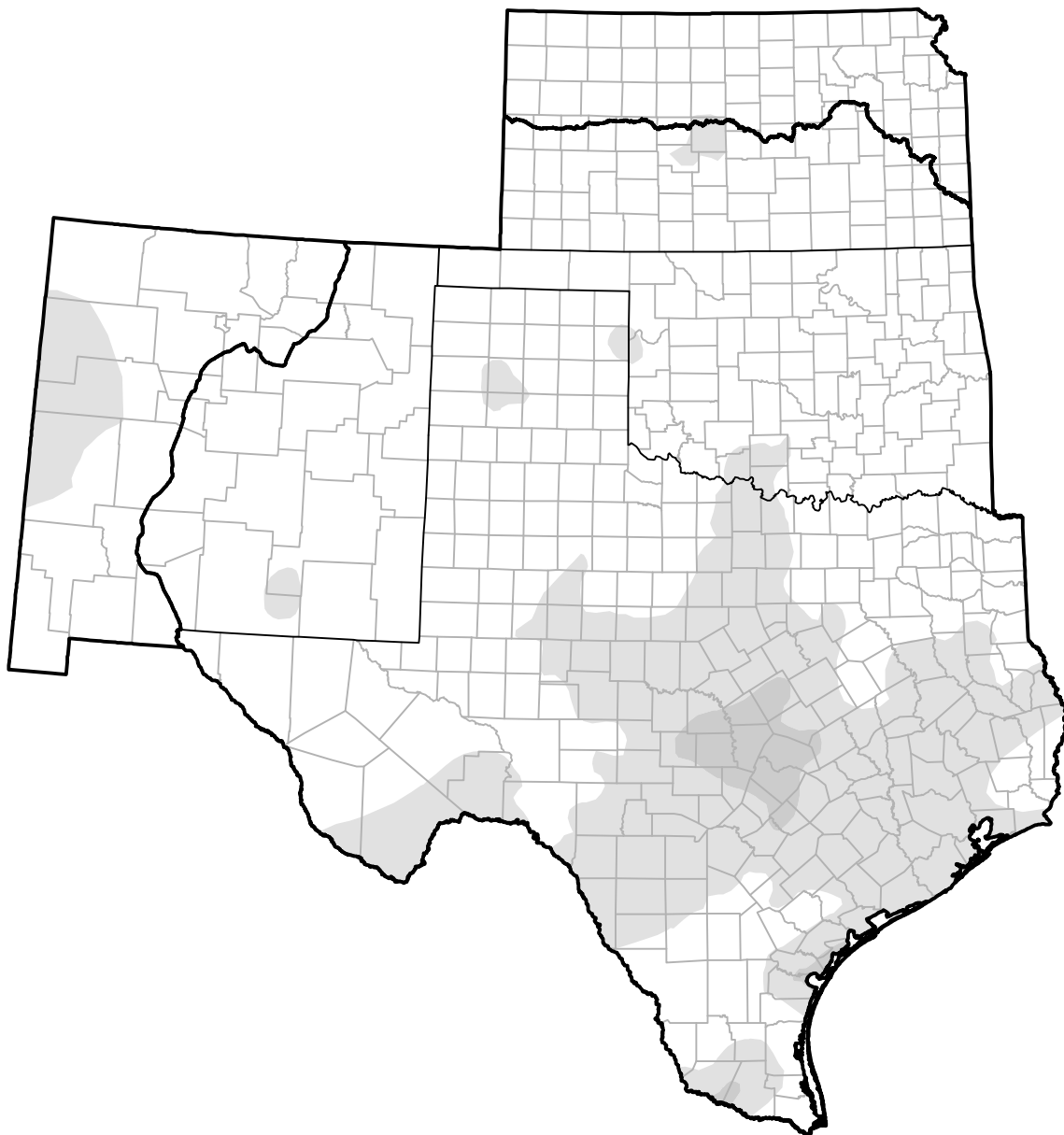
Southern Plains RDEWS

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| Current | 71.04 | 26.89 | 2.08 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>02-11-2016</i> | 90.57 | 9.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-19-2015</i> | 81.62 | 15.12 | 3.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i> | 90.39 | 9.61 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i> | 43.19 | 29.88 | 15.77 | 7.38 | 3.79 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>02-19-2015</i> | 26.68 | 20.17 | 23.12 | 17.47 | 9.09 | 3.47 |



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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