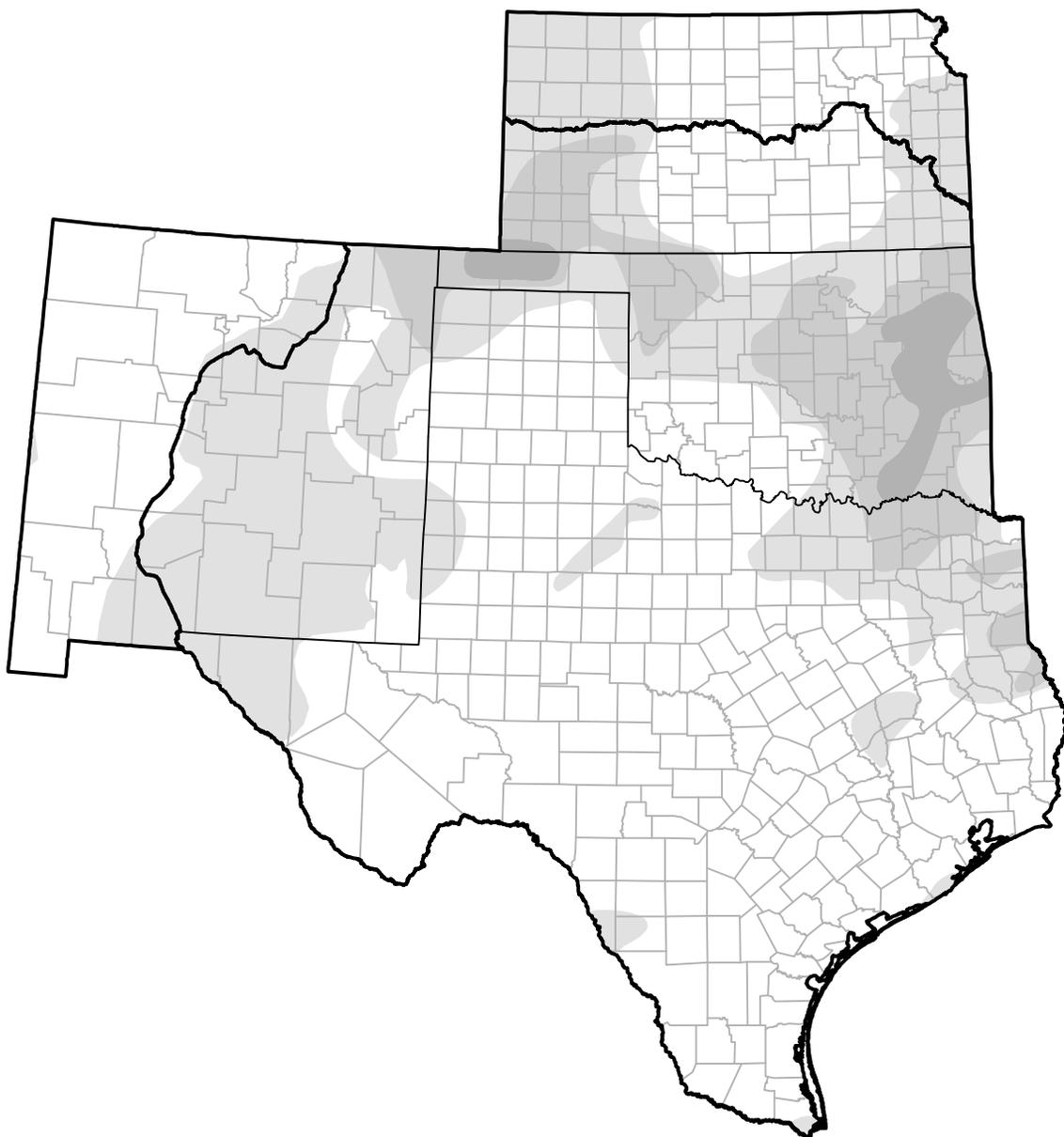


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	64.34	35.66	10.73	2.22	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-30-2017</i>	45.07	54.93	18.73	5.76	0.46	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	65.81	34.19	17.53	9.68	0.87	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	65.81	34.19	17.53	9.68	0.87	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	78.11	21.89	4.30	0.47	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-07-2016</i>	47.94	52.06	18.58	0.00	0.00	0.00

***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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