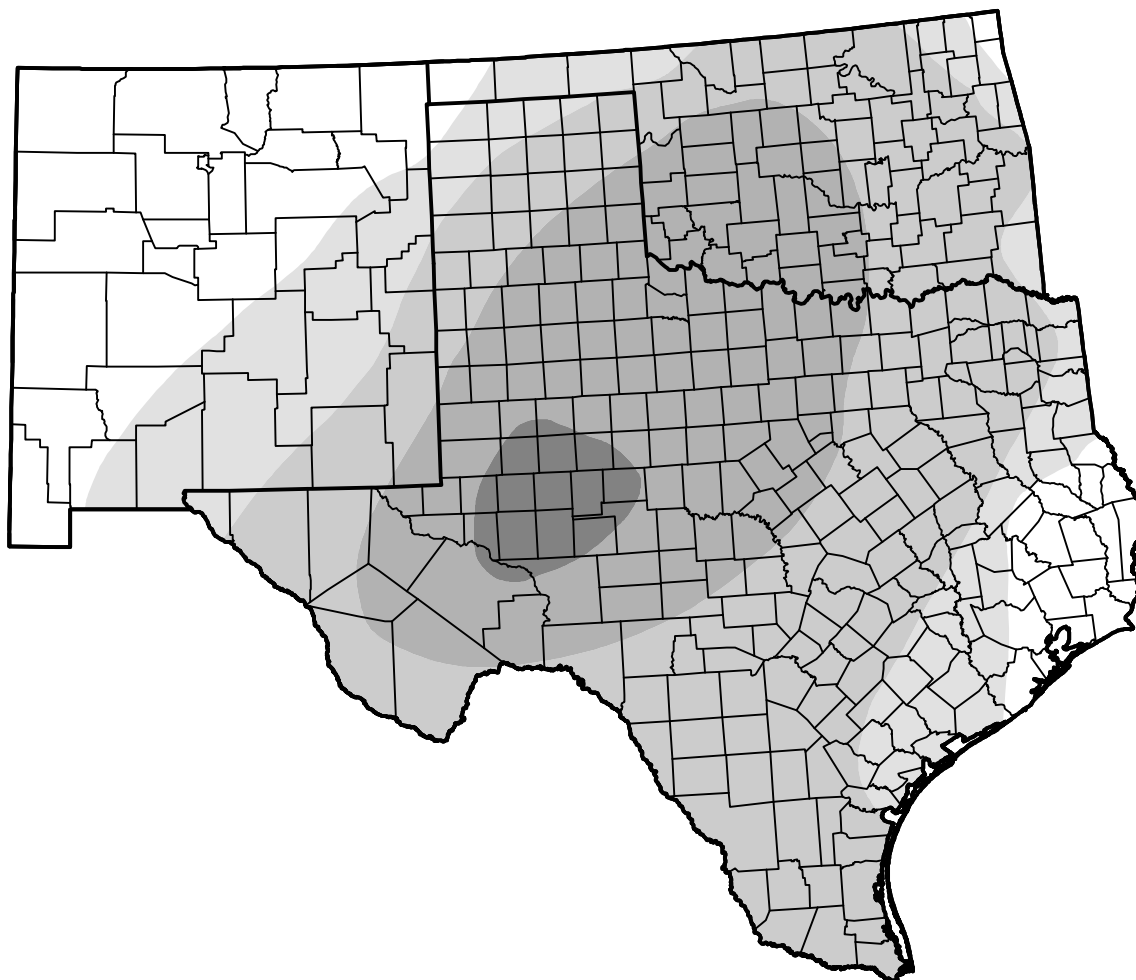


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	20.73	79.27	63.35	27.65	2.81	0.00
Last Week <i>07-31-2001</i>	23.10	76.90	58.21	20.53	2.07	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-08-2001</i>	76.88	23.12	7.75	1.16	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	68.19	31.81	10.31	0.97	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	5.51	94.49	85.42	65.92	9.34	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-08-2000</i>	36.07	63.93	30.05	9.39	0.00	0.00

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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