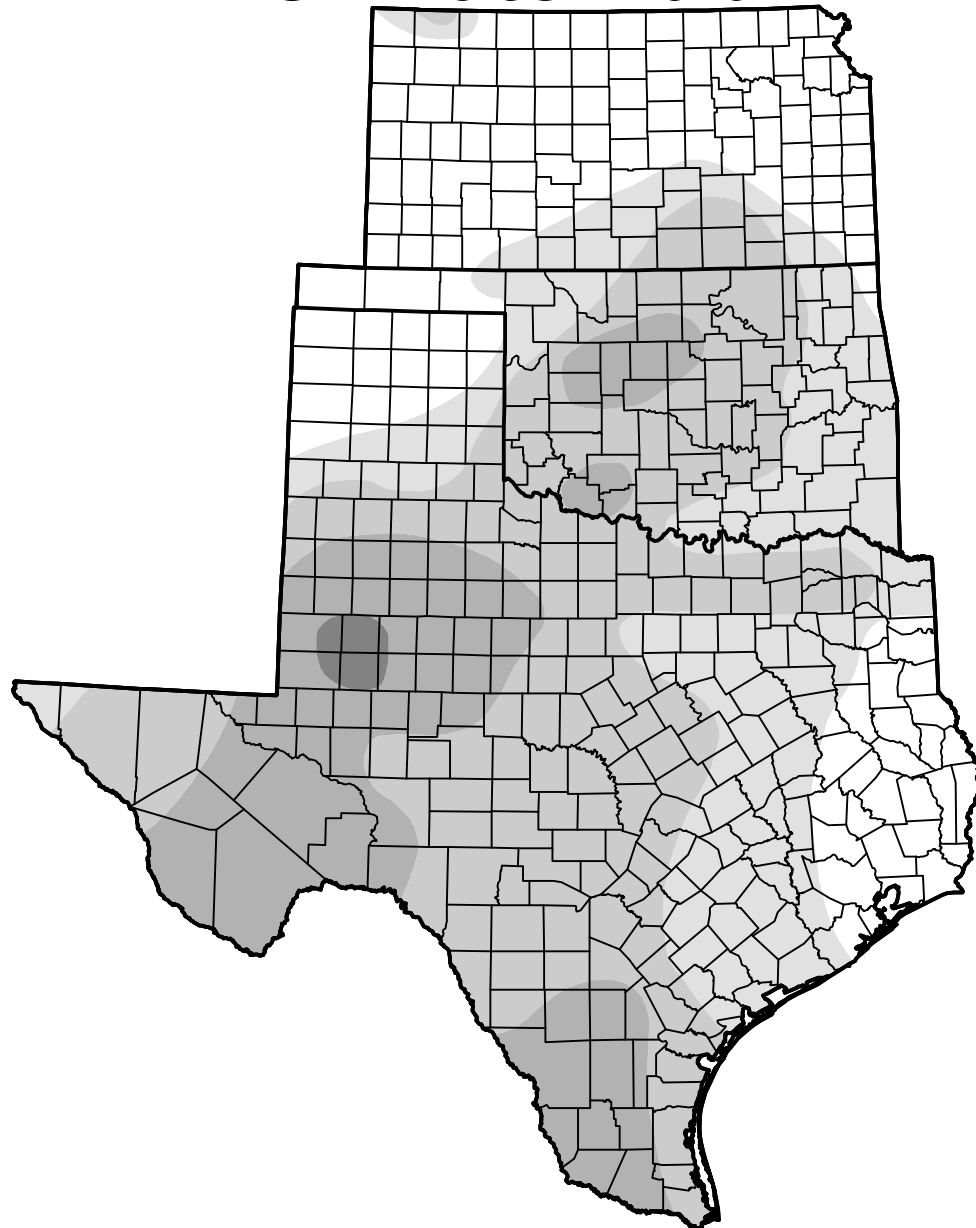


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	26.44	21.42	33.26	18.18	0.71	0.00
Last Week <i>08-14-2001</i>	25.40	18.19	34.16	21.31	0.93	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2001</i>	81.14	10.77	5.99	2.09	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	70.32	17.65	9.85	2.18	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	0.00	5.62	24.27	59.89	10.21	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-22-2000</i>	38.04	23.49	22.72	13.51	2.24	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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