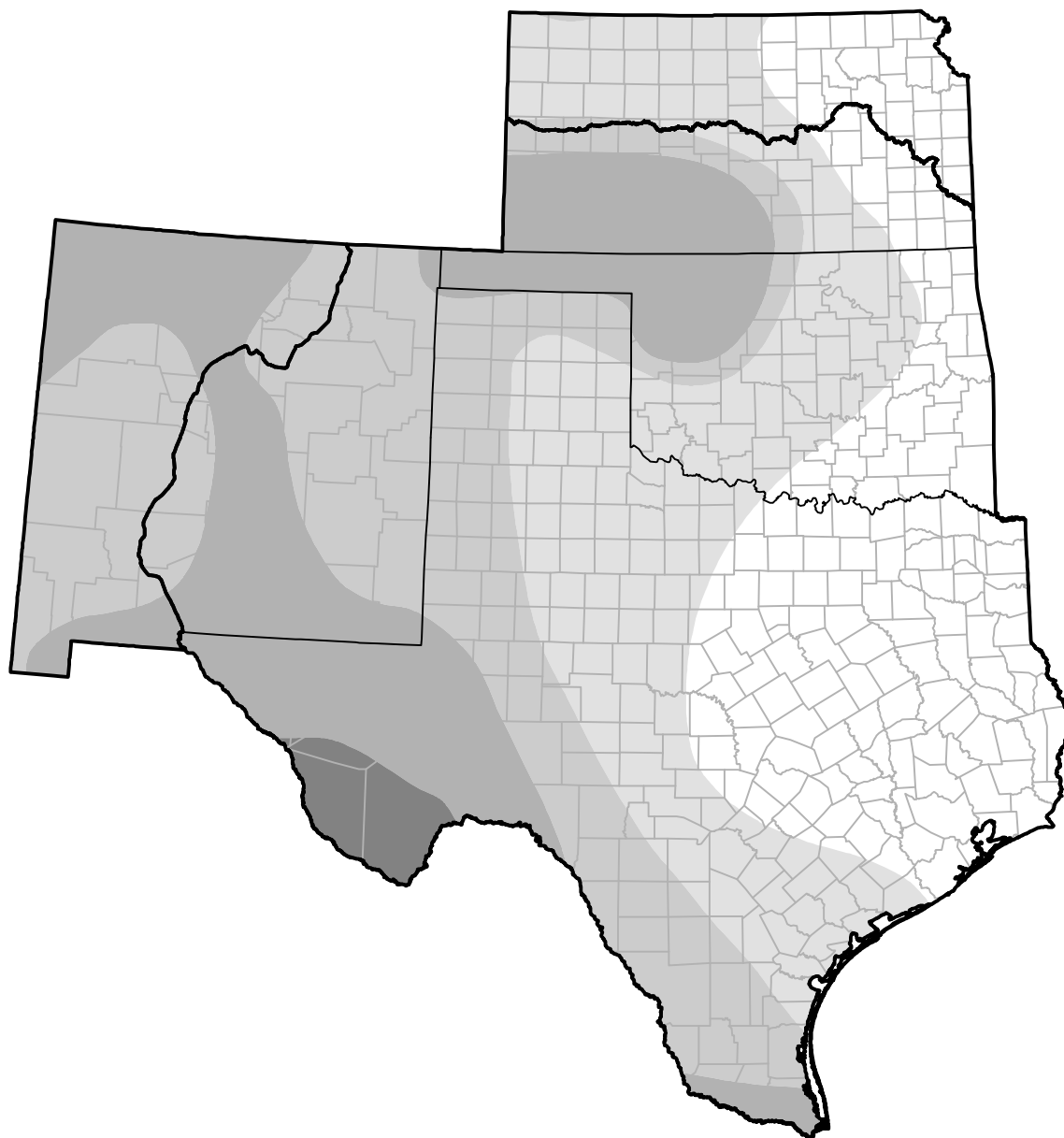


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	24.23	22.29	30.02	21.18	2.28	0.00
Last Week <i>03-21-2002</i>	24.45	22.93	37.55	12.82	2.26	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-27-2001</i>	38.88	15.43	28.17	10.72	6.80	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	38.02	17.61	26.92	10.52	6.93	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	46.30	25.39	17.64	10.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-29-2001</i>	78.89	13.83	5.87	1.41	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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