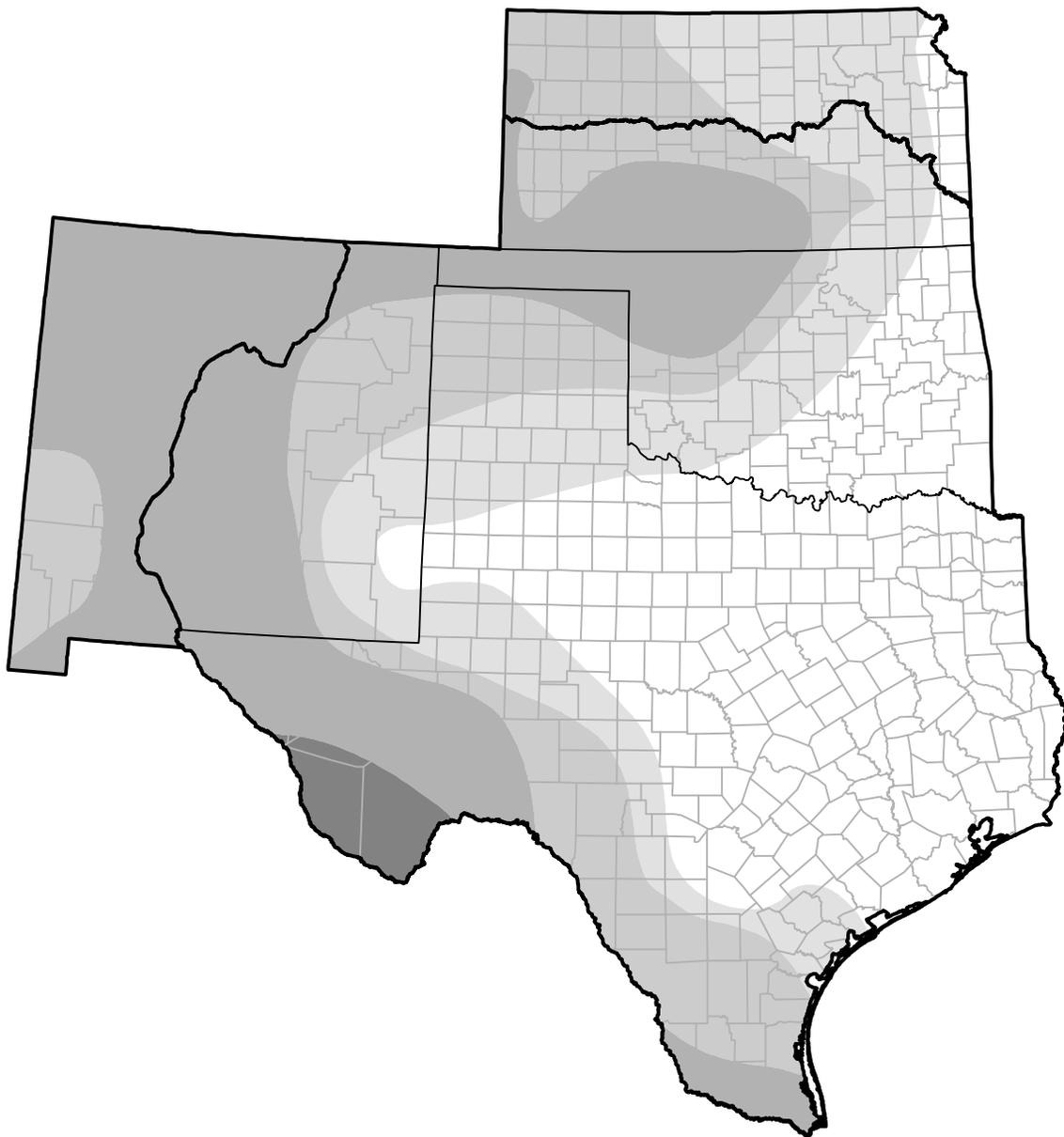


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	37.01	62.99	48.32	30.45	2.15	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-04-2002</i>	29.87	70.13	51.02	29.72	2.29	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-10-2002</i>	38.25	61.75	44.25	17.46	6.88	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	38.02	61.98	44.37	17.45	6.93	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	46.30	53.70	28.31	10.67	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-12-2001</i>	78.49	21.51	7.82	1.41	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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