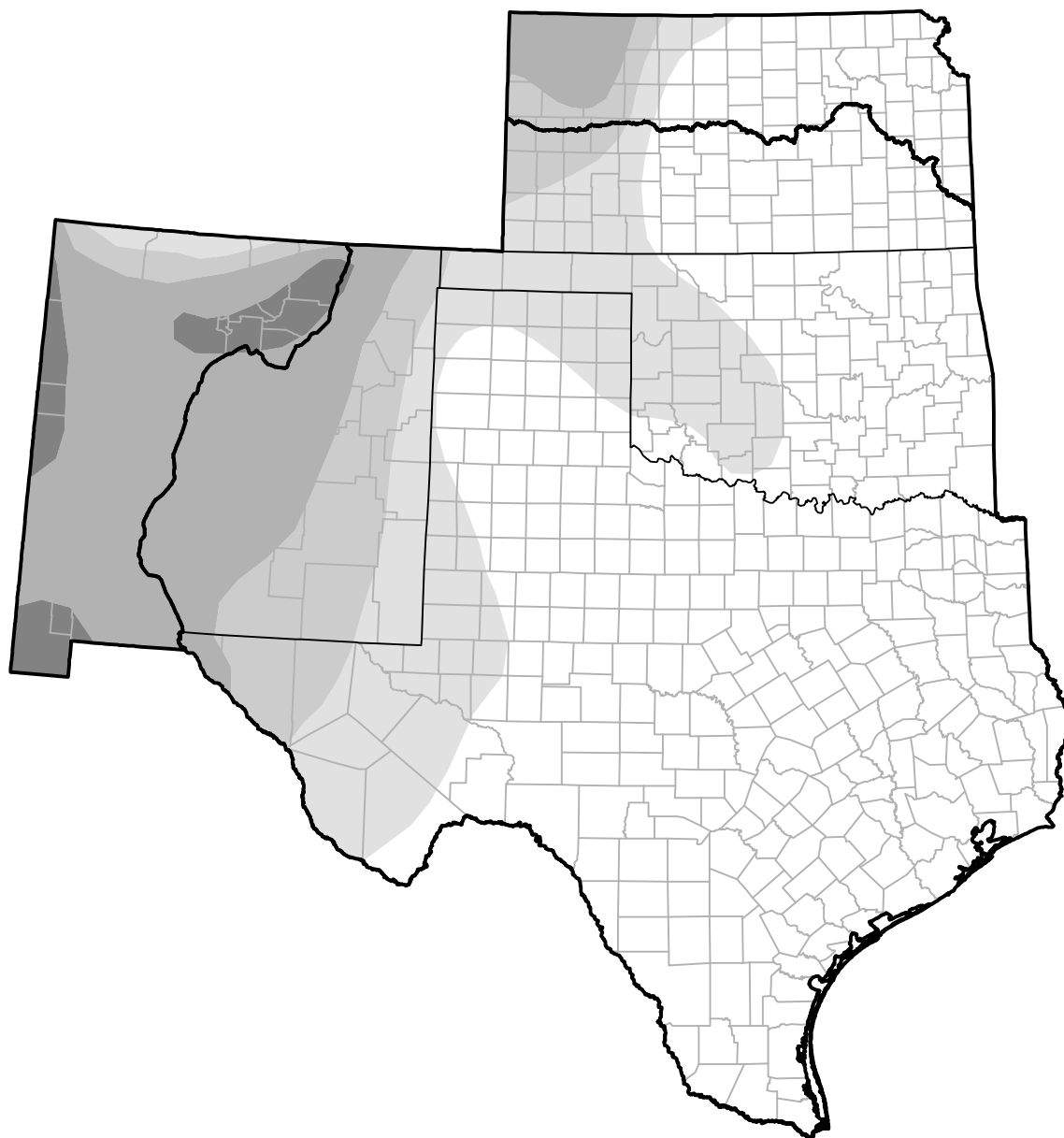


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	58.06	16.17	7.38	15.60	2.79	0.00
Last Week <i>07-08-2004</i>	56.83	16.77	12.90	10.68	2.82	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-15-2004</i>	60.98	13.41	11.48	11.03	3.11	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	31.46	15.80	12.03	15.20	19.42	6.09
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	37.43	21.98	8.39	11.13	21.07	0.00
One Year Ago <i>07-17-2003</i>	23.55	43.71	10.67	15.18	6.88	0.02

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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