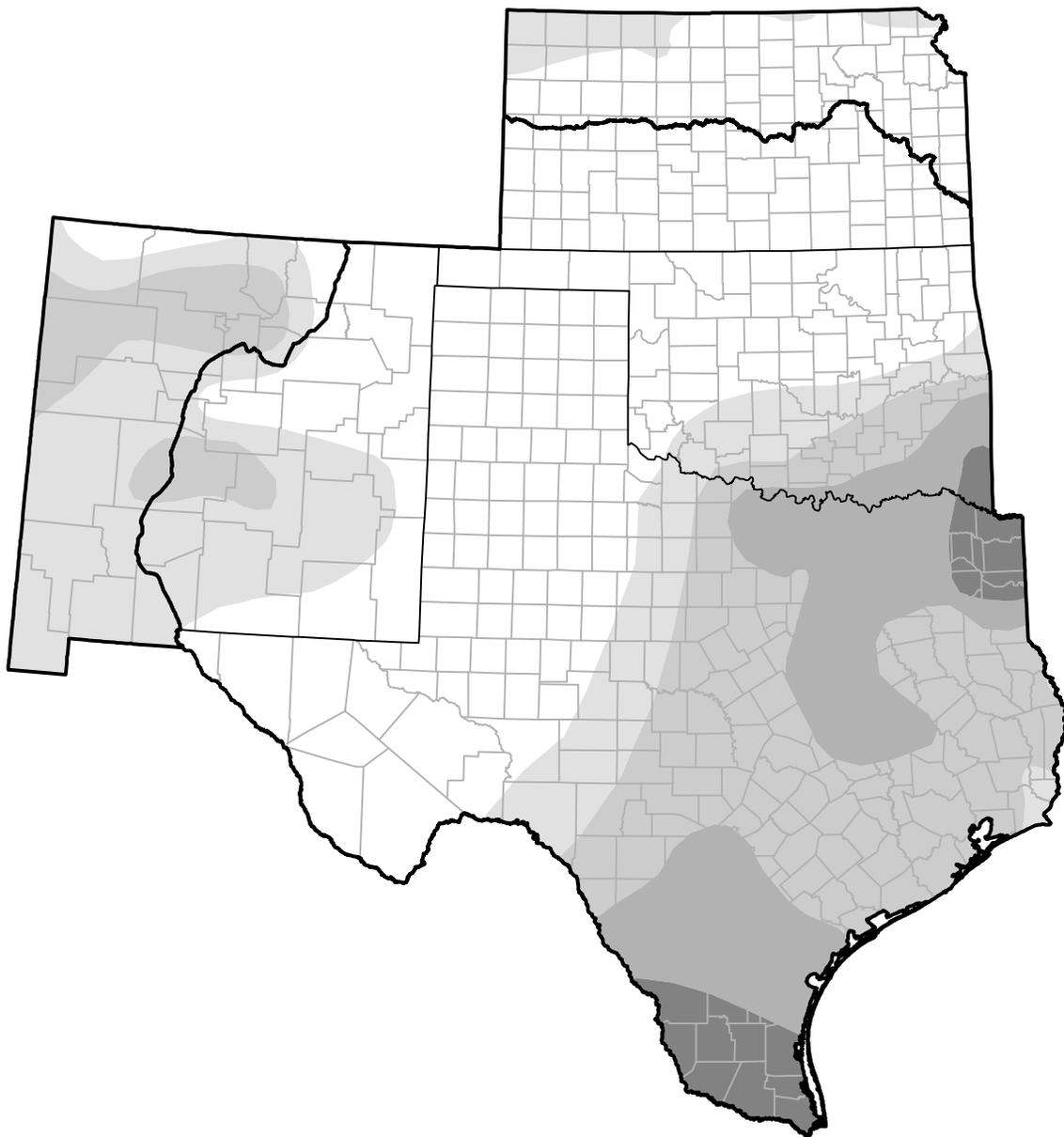


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	39.32	20.76	23.62	12.52	3.79	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-07-2005</i>	35.71	24.06	24.07	13.29	2.88	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-14-2005</i>	82.21	10.28	6.39	1.12	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2005</i>	81.49	2.26	6.37	6.44	3.44	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2004</i>	76.41	5.52	4.60	11.41	2.05	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-15-2004</i>	58.06	16.17	7.38	15.60	2.79	0.00

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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