

U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

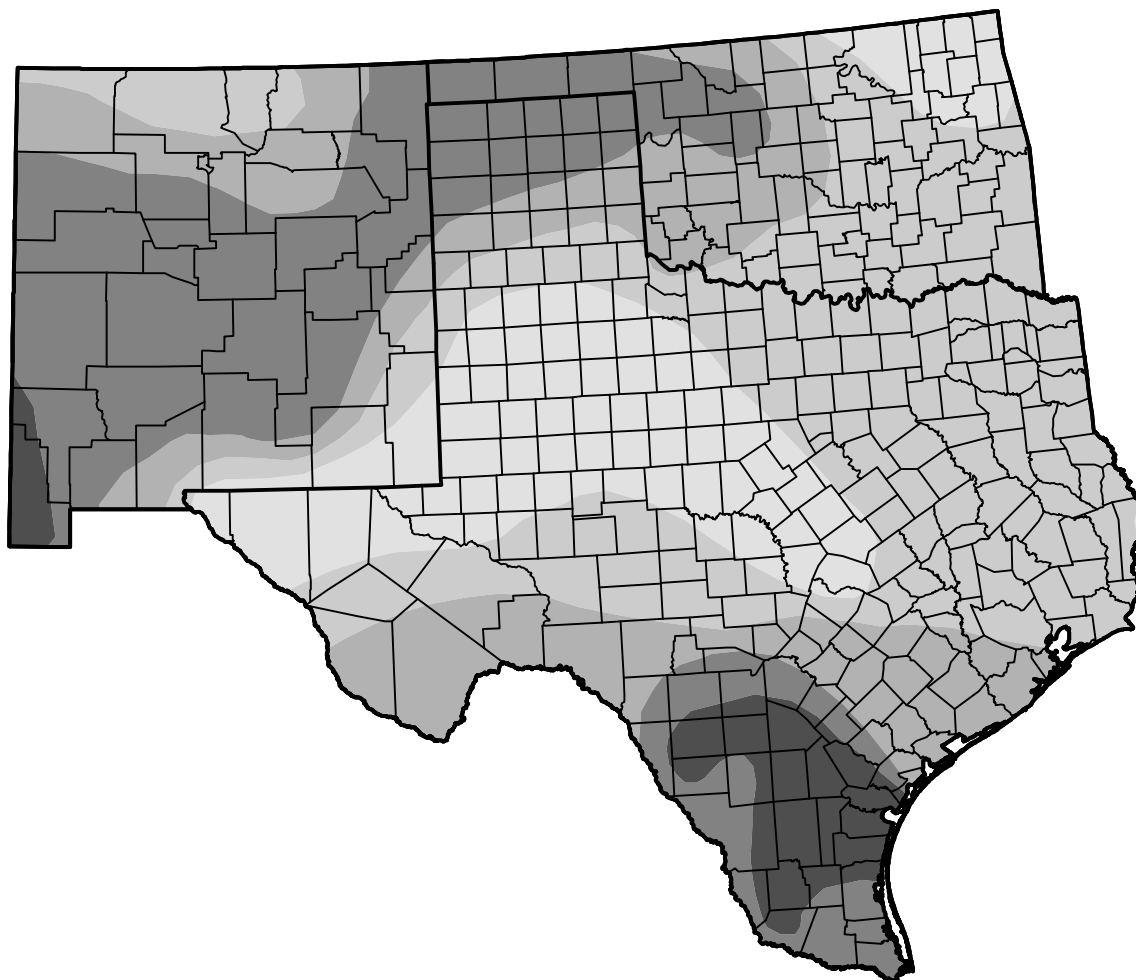
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	17.19	33.22	19.47	25.20	4.92
Last Week <i>05-23-2006</i>	8.72	18.53	24.22	16.09	27.11	5.34
3 Months Ago <i>02-28-2006</i>	0.75	1.04	30.52	32.80	27.76	7.13
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	7.80	37.38	26.08	14.64	10.81	3.28
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	53.54	25.70	17.02	3.74	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-31-2005</i>	58.91	19.80	17.63	3.66	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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