

U.S. Drought Monitor

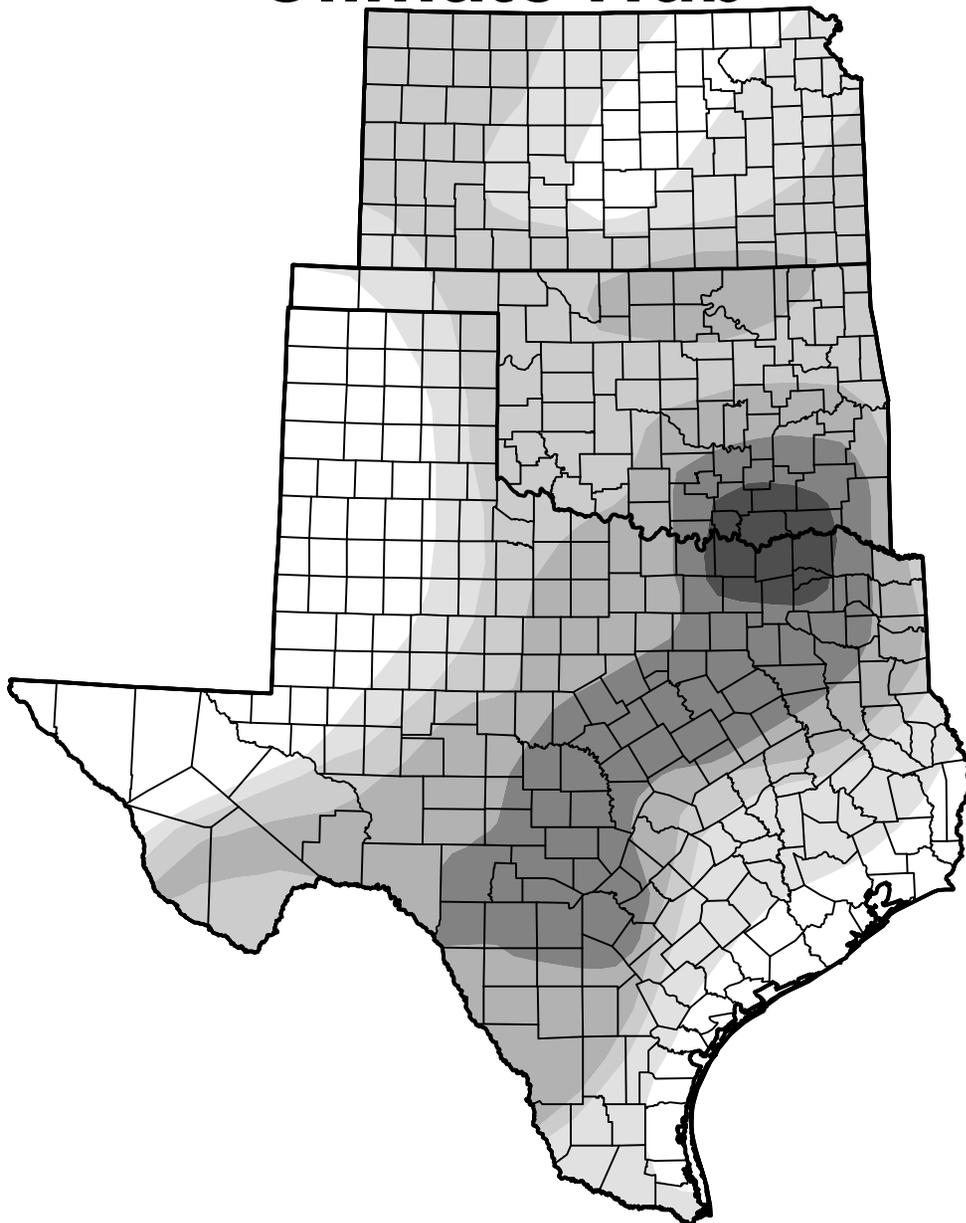
USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	21.27	78.73	60.46	35.61	15.66	2.16
Last Week <i>09-12-2006</i>	20.70	79.30	65.56	44.48	30.80	10.40
3 Months Ago <i>06-20-2006</i>	0.81	99.19	83.45	52.11	21.27	3.72
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	20.23	79.77	53.64	31.65	15.42	3.59
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	65.26	34.74	16.69	4.09	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-20-2005</i>	68.49	31.51	17.05	5.76	0.82	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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