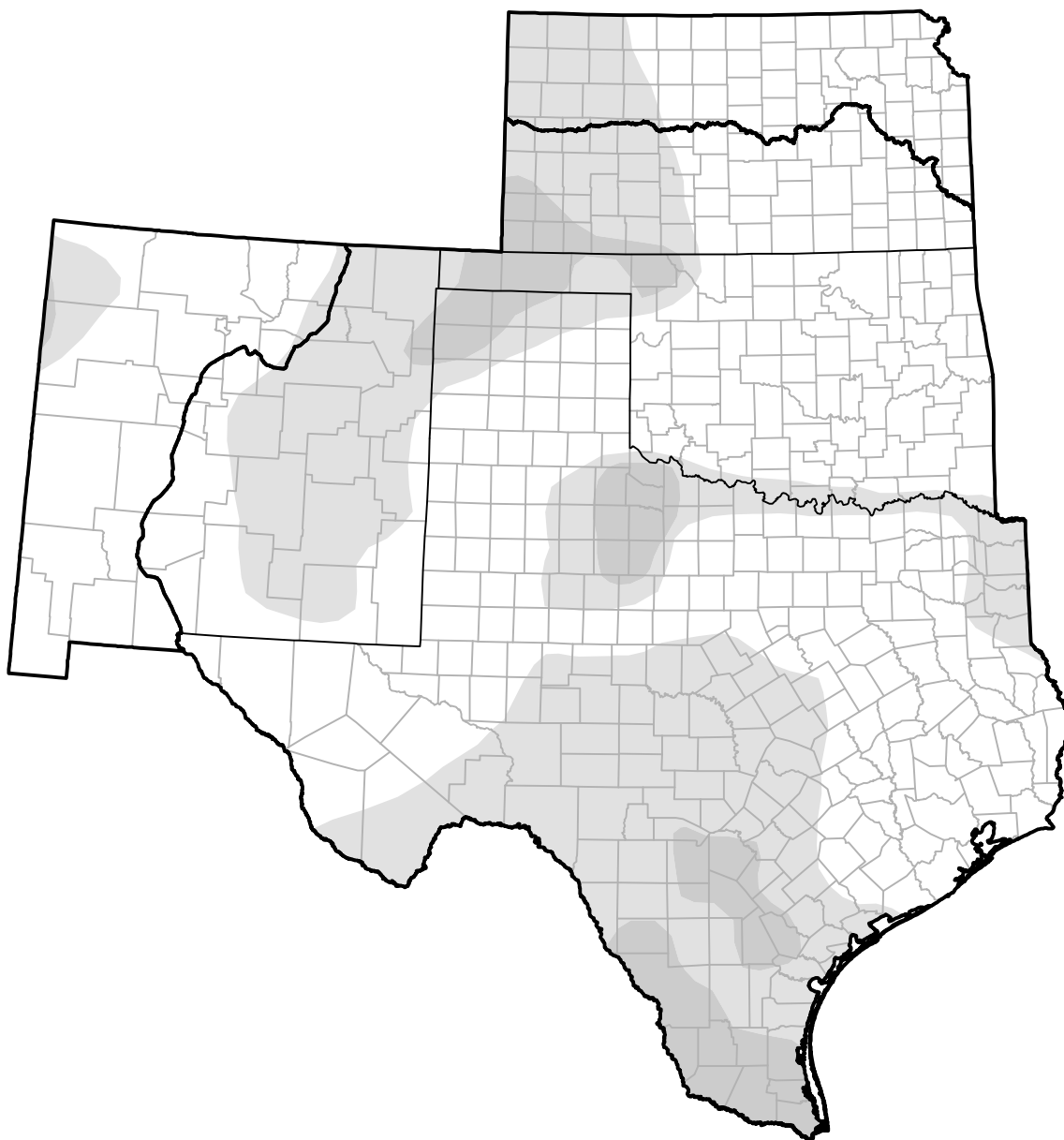


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS



**January 1, 2008**  
*(Released Thursday, Jan. 3, 2008)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 59.56 | 40.44 | 8.08  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>12-27-2007</i>              | 66.84 | 33.16 | 3.58  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>10-04-2007</i>           | 95.22 | 4.78  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2008</i> | 59.56 | 40.44 | 8.08  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2007</i>    | 95.72 | 4.28  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>01-04-2007</i>           | 32.71 | 67.29 | 38.98 | 25.71 | 13.90 | 2.19 |

### 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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