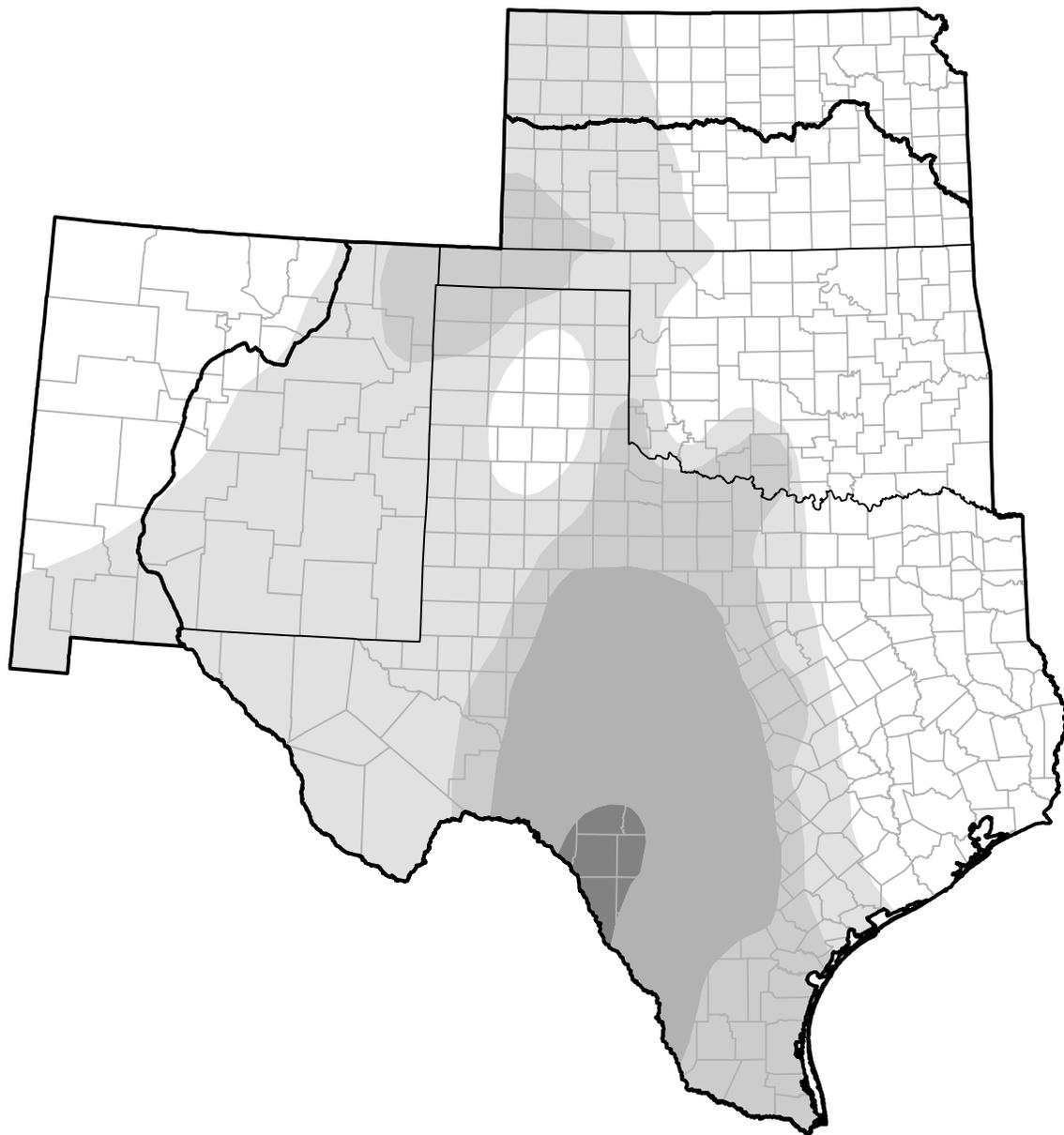


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**March 4, 2008**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	37.40	33.70	14.25	13.47	1.17	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-28-2008</i>	38.71	33.02	17.05	10.05	1.17	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-06-2007</i>	48.63	45.26	6.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	59.56	32.36	8.08	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	95.72	4.28	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-08-2007</i>	56.15	20.56	8.99	5.06	8.03	1.20

***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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