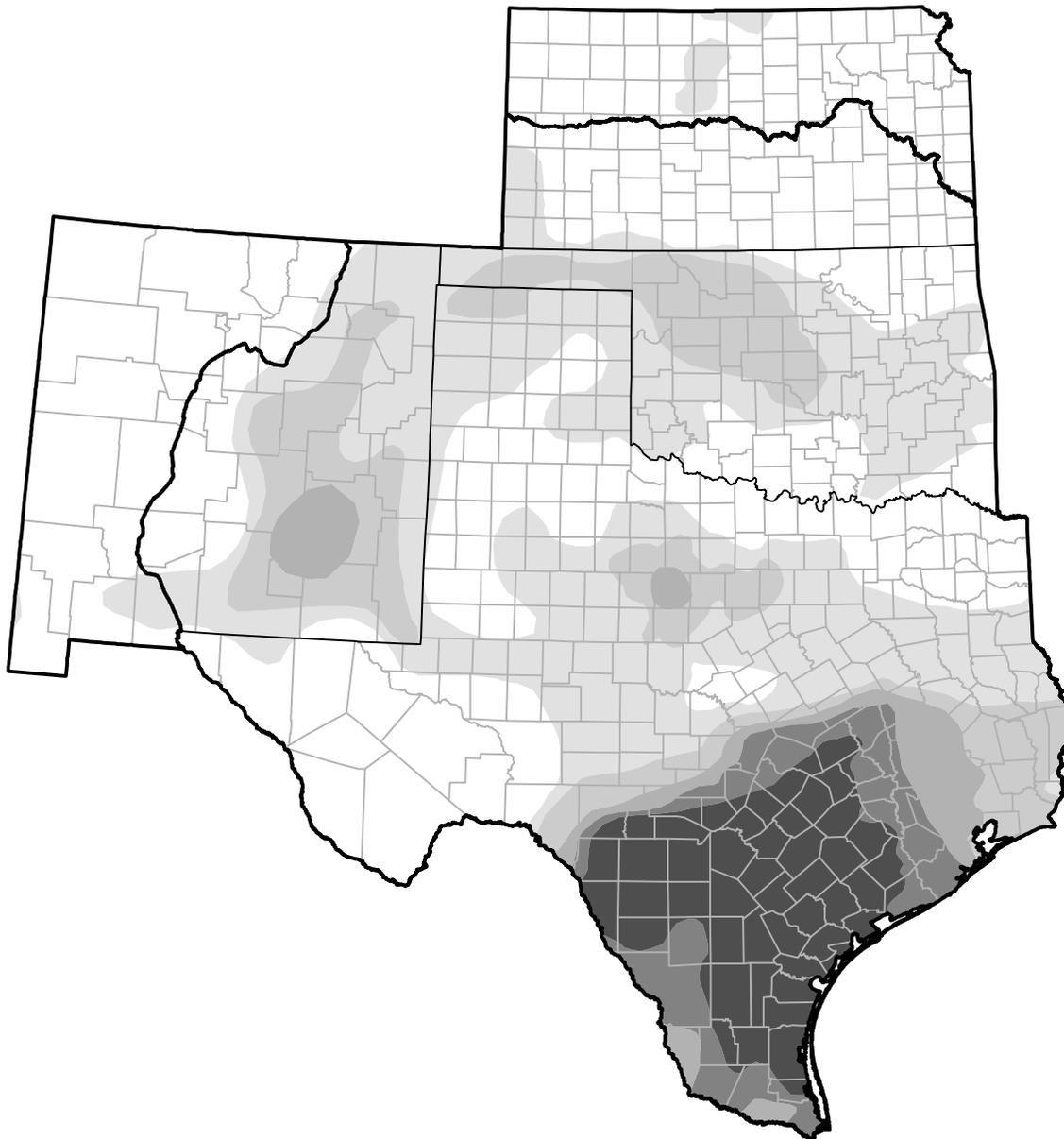


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|-------|
| Current | 38.54 | 29.78 | 13.46 | 3.90 | 4.74 | 9.58 |
| Last Week <i>07-16-2009</i> | 35.96 | 29.20 | 16.39 | 4.09 | 3.98 | 10.39 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>04-23-2009</i> | 26.21 | 24.83 | 17.38 | 18.39 | 6.69 | 6.51 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i> | 52.57 | 30.95 | 7.26 | 3.94 | 2.86 | 2.41 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i> | 70.49 | 16.59 | 6.85 | 3.95 | 2.11 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>07-24-2008</i> | 26.08 | 30.54 | 19.14 | 10.56 | 9.76 | 3.93 |

Intensity:



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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