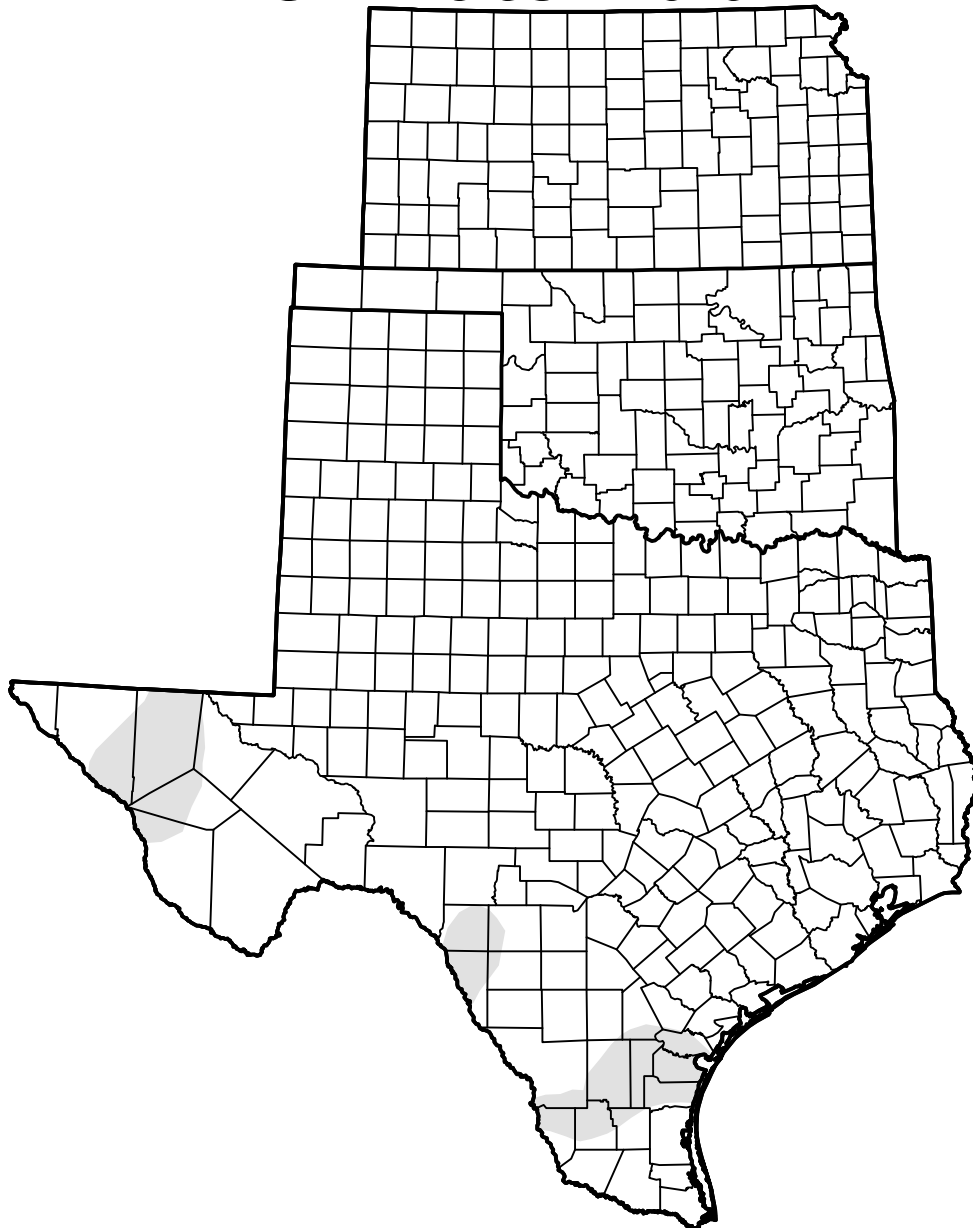


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	95.83	4.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-09-2010</i>	95.41	4.32	0.27	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-17-2009</i>	84.22	6.44	3.81	2.77	2.19	0.57
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	82.78	12.78	2.97	1.47	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	76.66	5.67	3.72	6.12	5.83	1.99
One Year Ago <i>02-17-2009</i>	24.46	29.85	16.30	16.72	7.23	5.44

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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