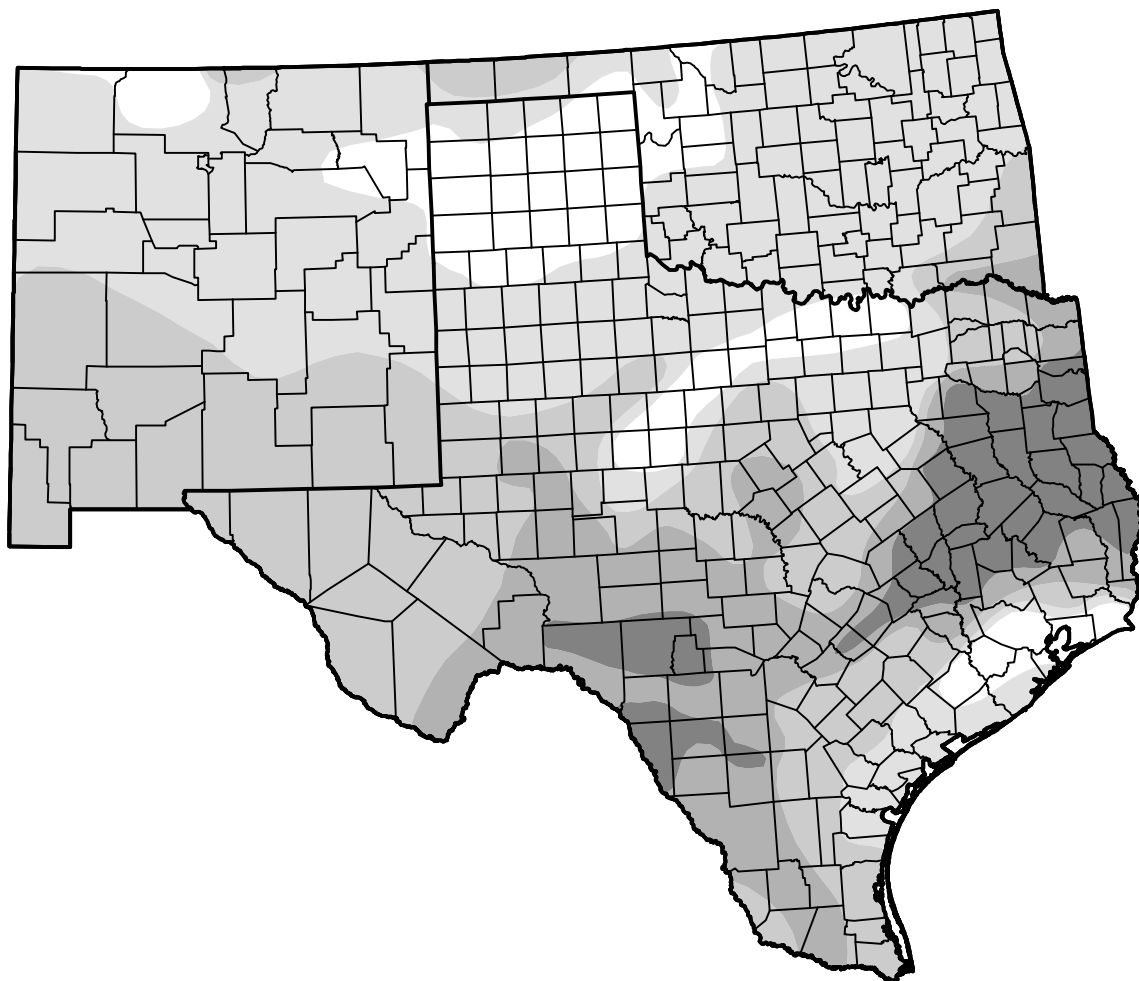


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	10.90	89.10	51.40	21.36	7.57	0.00
Last Week <i>12-28-2010</i>	8.33	91.67	58.41	21.98	5.57	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-05-2010</i>	74.46	25.54	2.06	0.59	0.01	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	10.90	89.10	51.40	21.36	7.57	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	74.44	25.56	2.06	0.57	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-05-2010</i>	72.79	27.21	6.75	1.95	0.00	0.00

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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