

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

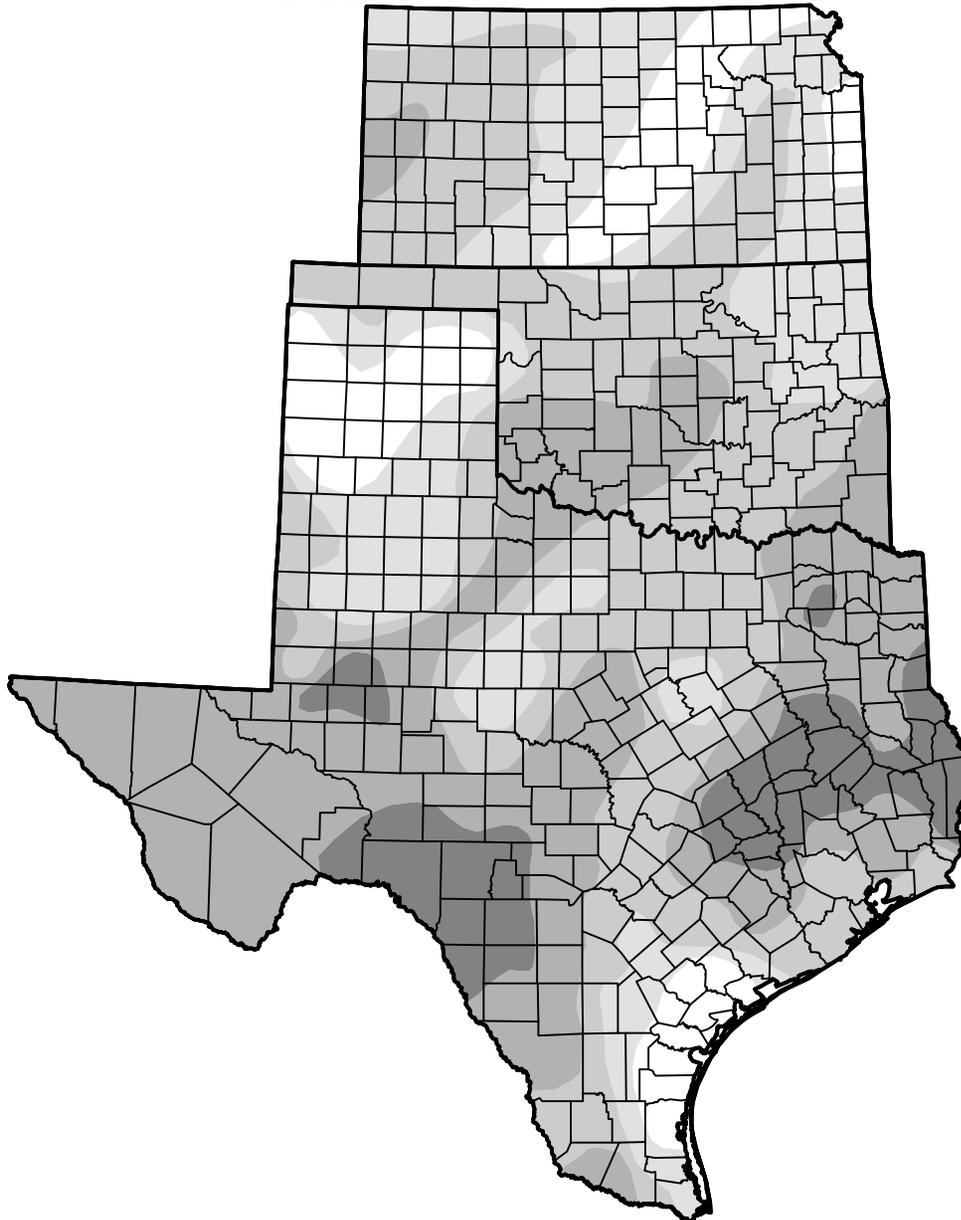
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	9.32	19.88	31.22	30.57	9.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-01-2011</i>	7.21	29.18	30.42	25.10	8.08	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-07-2010</i>	23.00	38.44	21.74	14.41	2.42	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	13.56	36.31	26.07	15.77	8.29	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	75.52	22.23	1.62	0.63	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-09-2010</i>	97.78	2.22	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00



**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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