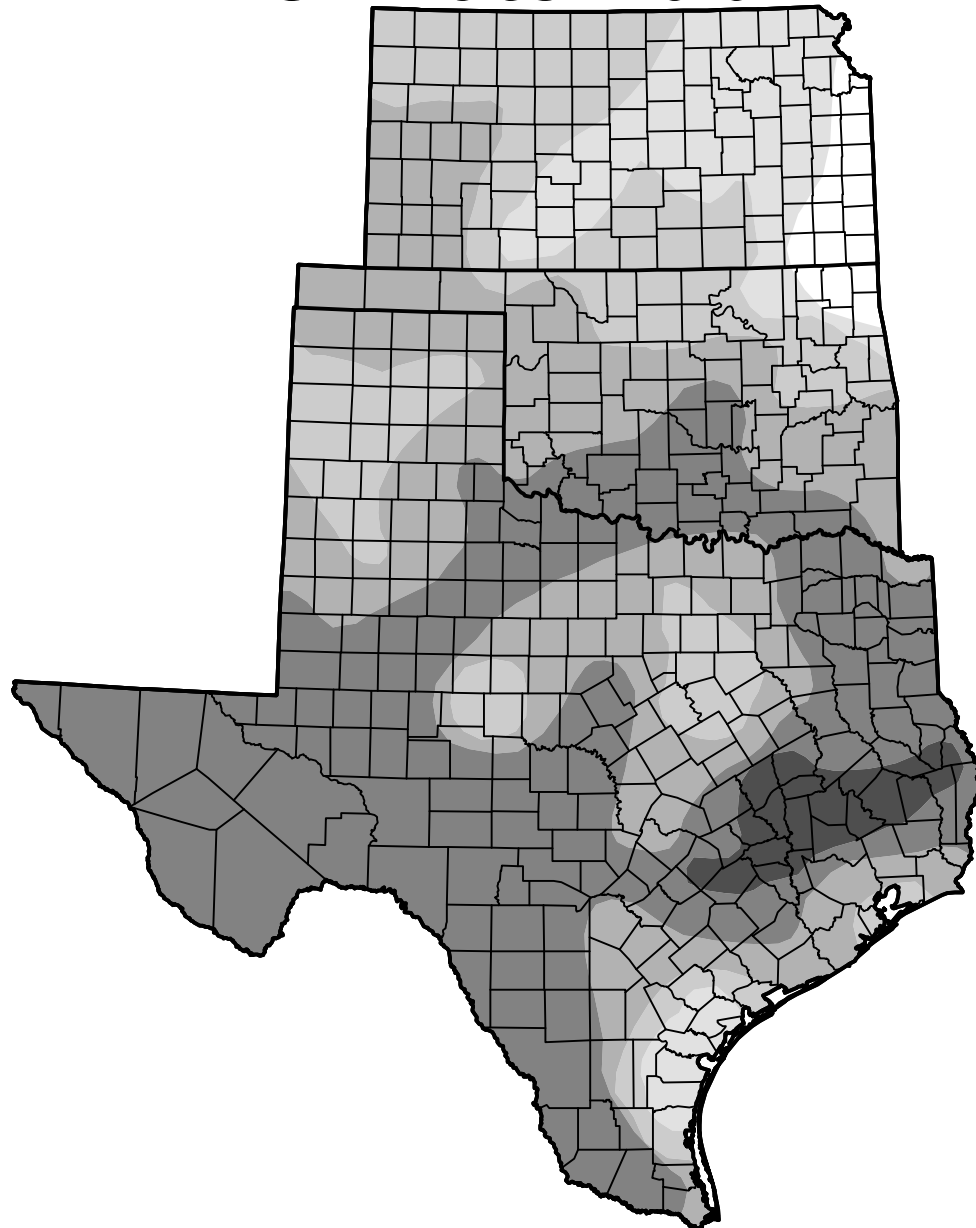


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	2.32	97.68	88.46	70.02	42.29	3.06
Last Week <i>03-29-2011</i>	3.52	96.48	85.60	64.93	30.01	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-04-2011</i>	13.56	86.44	50.13	24.06	8.29	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	13.56	86.44	50.13	24.06	8.29	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	75.52	24.48	2.25	0.63	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-06-2010</i>	97.38	2.62	0.00	0.00	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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