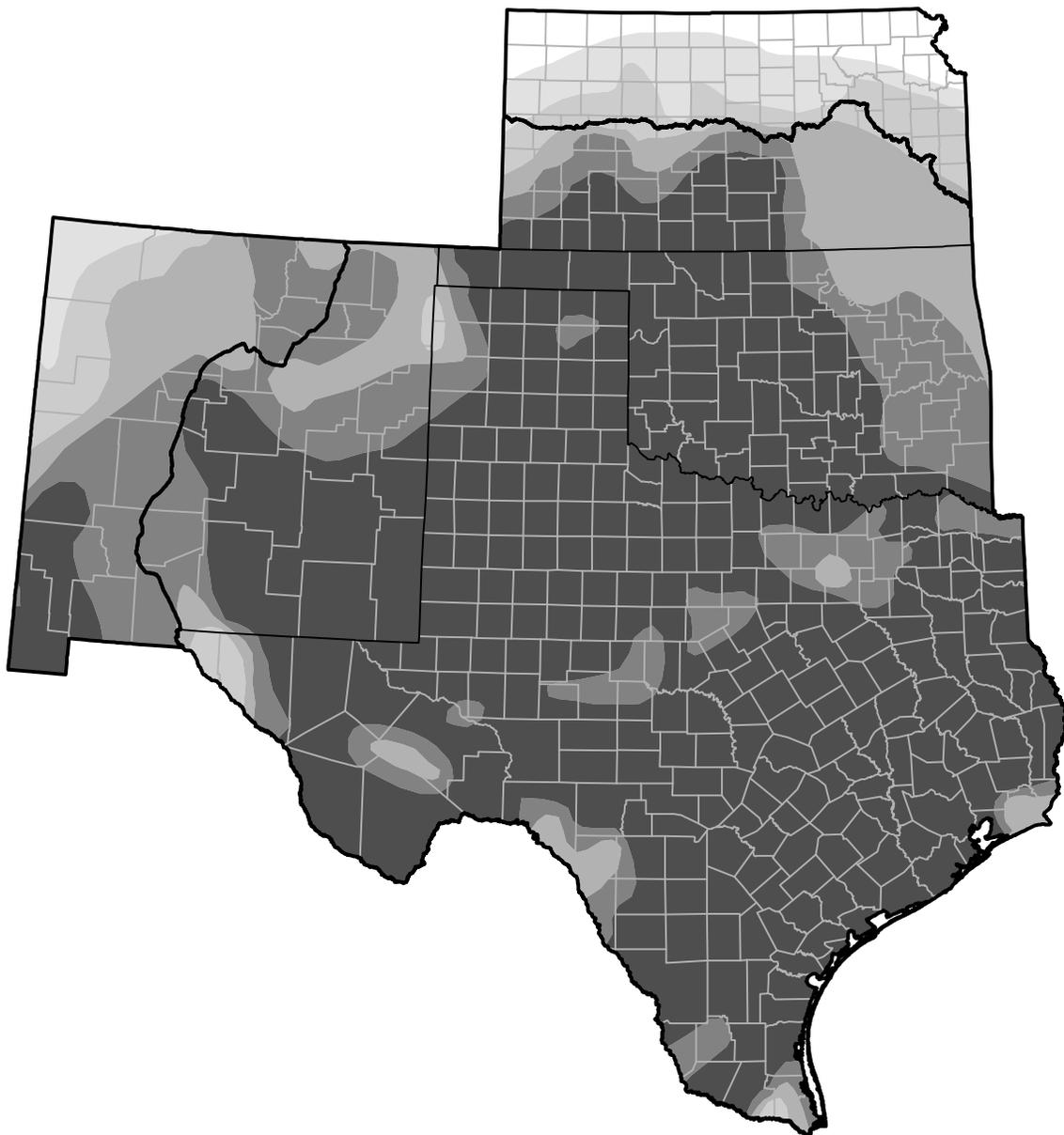


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**September 20, 2011**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	0.00	0.96	2.53	8.40	18.98	69.13
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-15-2011</i>	0.00	0.00	3.32	7.10	17.85	71.73
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-23-2011</i>	5.32	4.37	4.80	7.22	19.23	59.05
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-06-2011</i>	10.90	37.69	30.04	13.79	7.57	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2010</i>	74.44	23.51	1.48	0.57	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-23-2010</i>	75.17	22.24	2.02	0.56	0.00	0.00

***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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