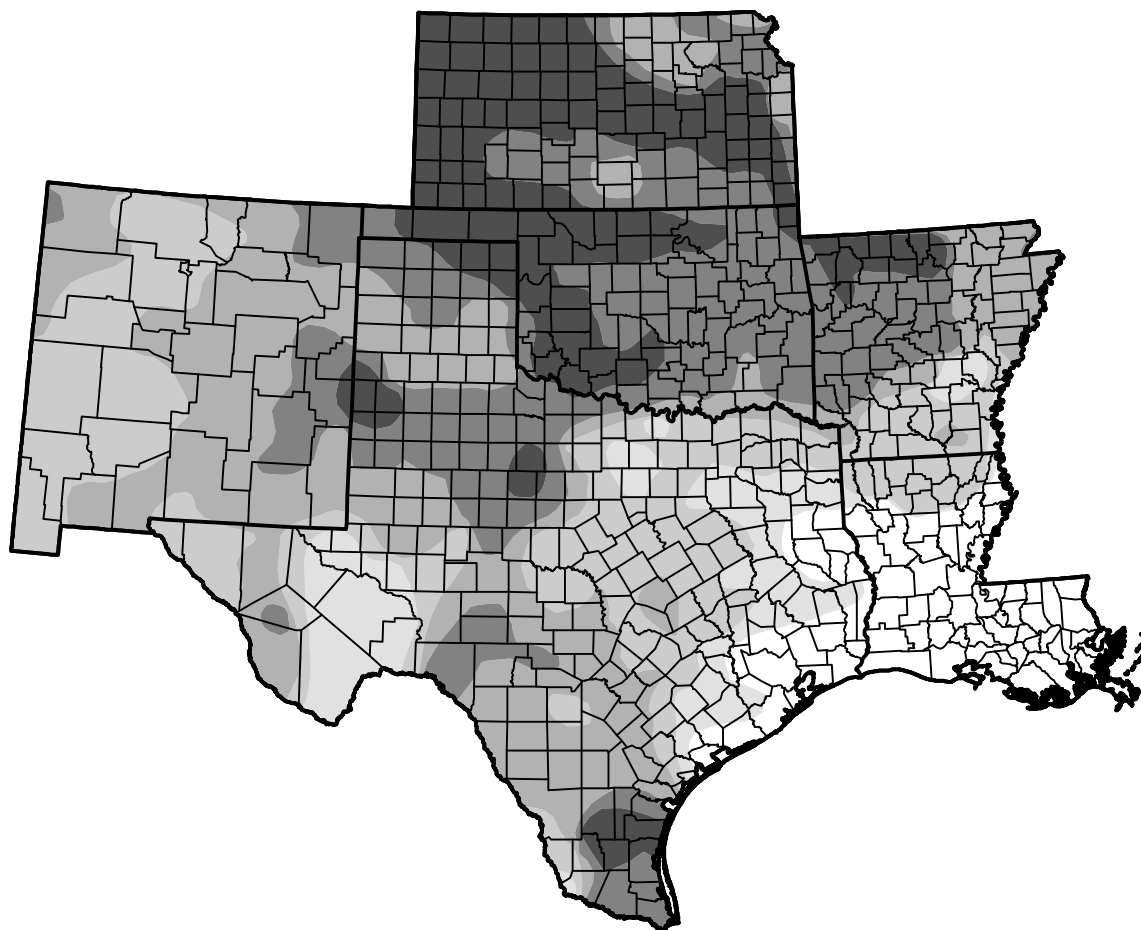


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	9.07	7.34	19.99	26.06	22.27	15.26
Last Week <i>09-04-2012</i>	10.34	7.79	21.40	23.07	22.62	14.78
3 Months Ago <i>06-12-2012</i>	14.16	19.79	37.06	20.94	7.98	0.06
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	16.32	5.28	16.56	22.84	23.37	15.63
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	5.54	5.59	7.64	11.99	16.10	53.13
One Year Ago <i>09-13-2011</i>	6.07	4.69	7.92	9.85	16.57	54.90

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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