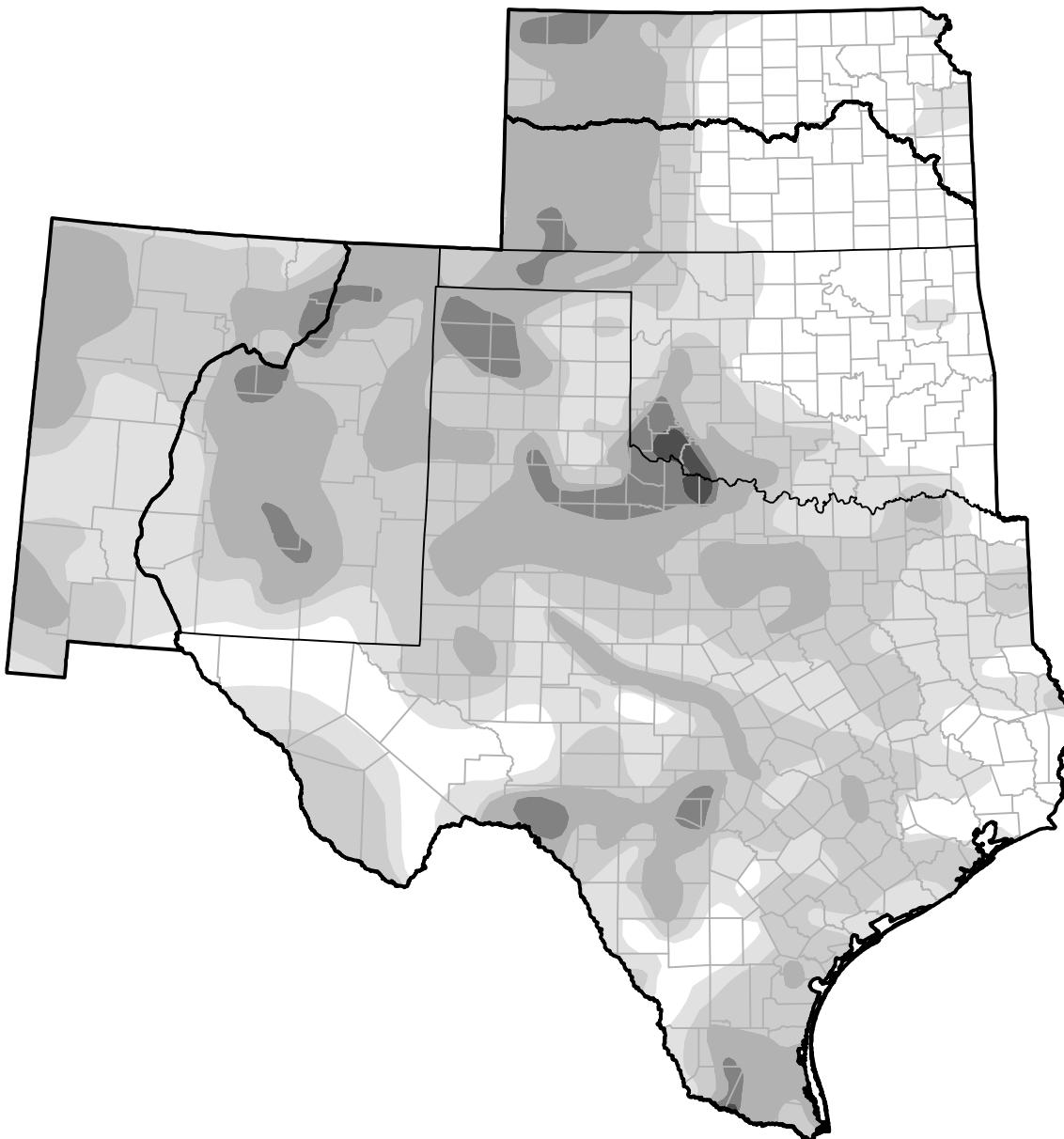


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	16.01	83.99	58.33	25.28	4.05	0.36
Last Week 10-24-2013	14.70	85.30	61.01	25.63	4.01	0.36
3 Months Ago 08-01-2013	8.91	91.09	82.95	68.28	38.21	10.11
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	1.76	98.24	92.14	78.32	43.36	12.88
Start of Water Year 10-03-2013	7.61	92.39	67.73	27.33	3.90	0.29
One Year Ago 11-01-2012	8.94	91.06	75.21	52.49	22.83	6.47

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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