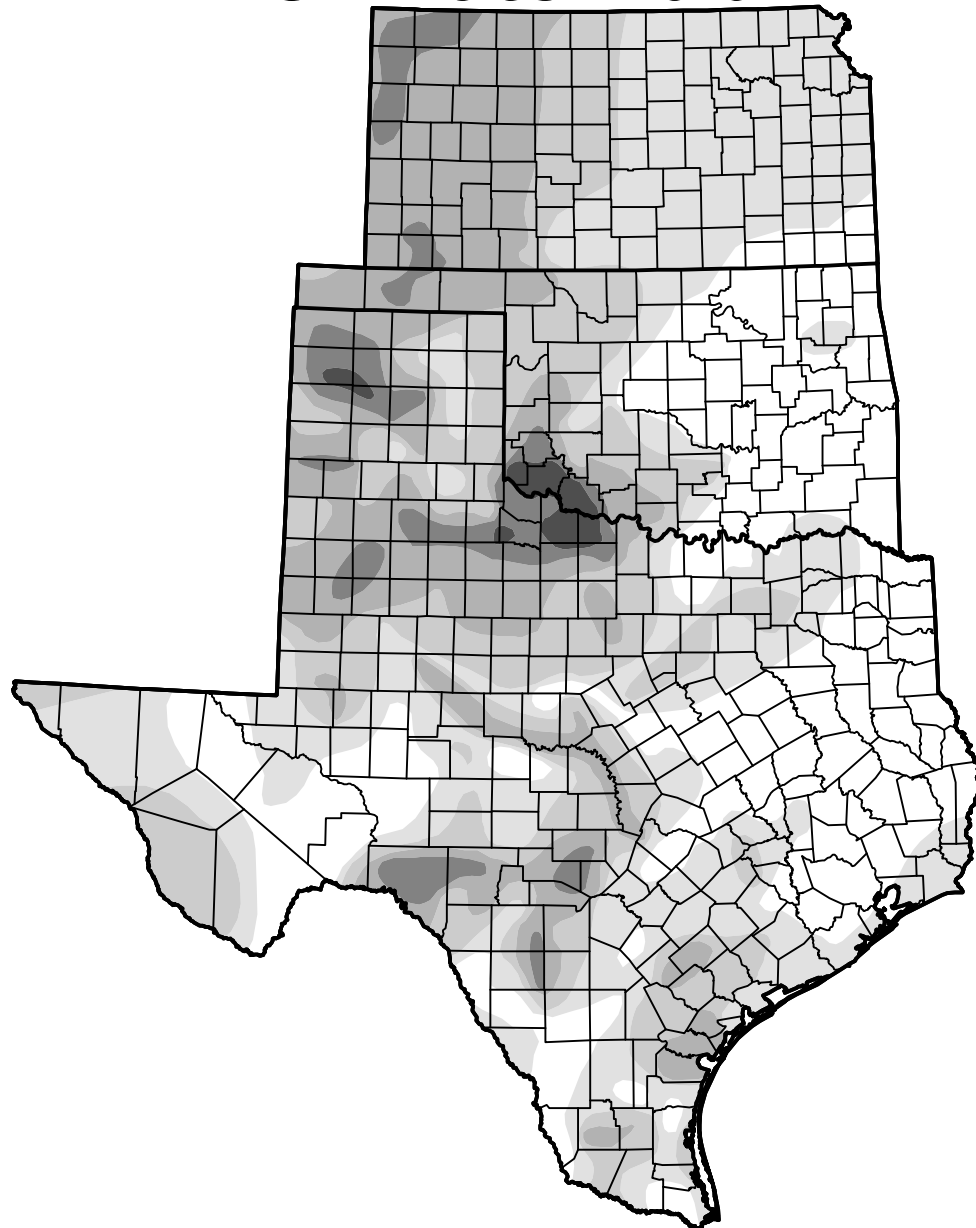


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	27.32	72.68	43.53	23.10	5.61	0.90
Last Week 12-31-2013	27.54	72.46	43.50	23.30	5.61	0.90
3 Months Ago 10-08-2013	17.53	82.47	59.93	25.48	4.32	0.32
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2013	27.54	72.46	43.50	23.30	5.61	0.90
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	16.94	83.06	60.22	25.19	4.07	0.32
One Year Ago 01-08-2013	2.73	97.27	89.70	78.31	53.64	20.55

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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