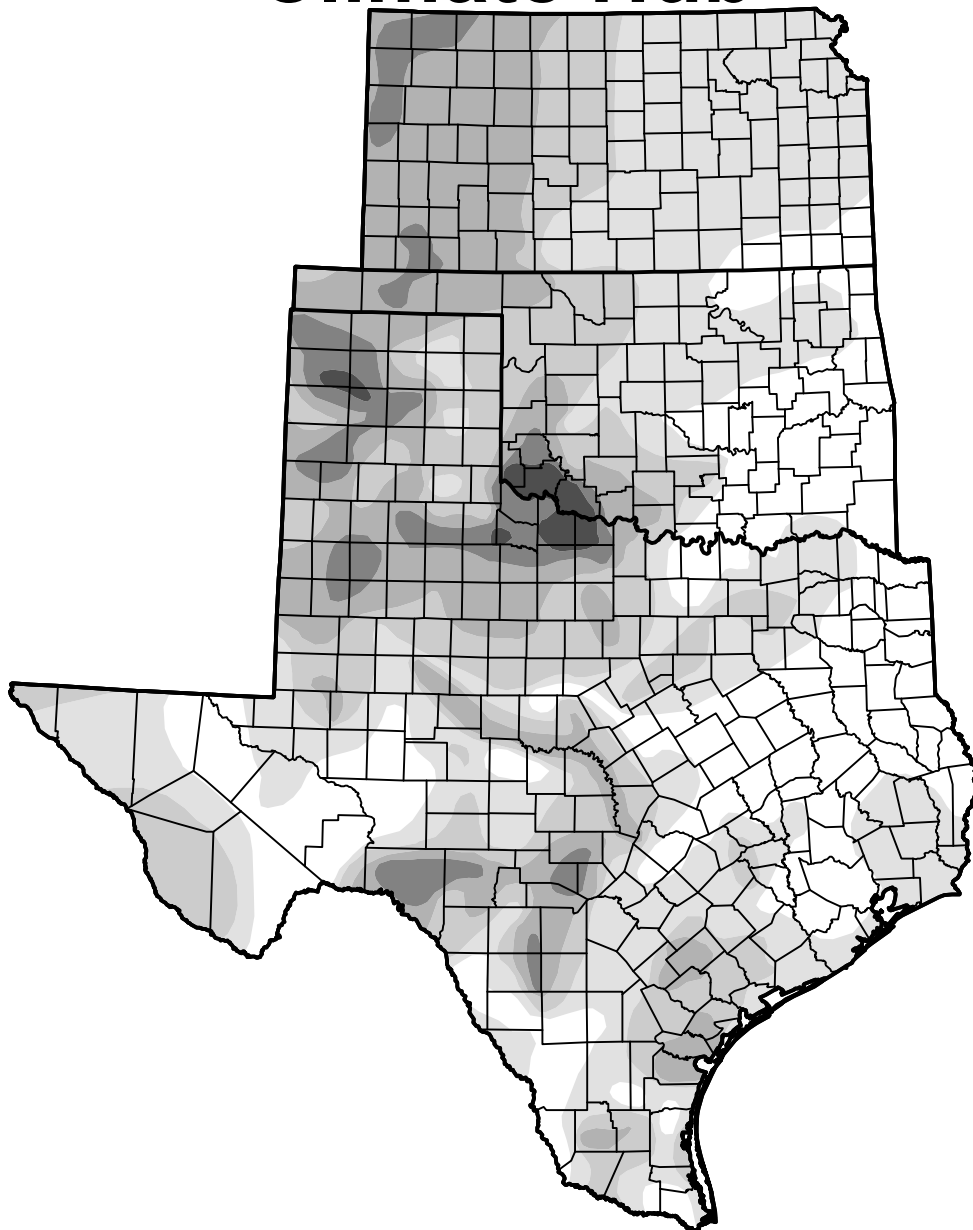


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	23.45	76.55	43.90	23.58	6.15	0.90
Last Week <i>01-07-2014</i>	27.32	72.68	43.53	23.10	5.61	0.90
3 Months Ago <i>10-15-2013</i>	22.94	77.06	55.62	22.45	3.55	0.32
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	27.54	72.46	43.50	23.30	5.61	0.90
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	16.94	83.06	60.22	25.19	4.07	0.32
One Year Ago <i>01-15-2013</i>	6.02	93.98	83.49	68.55	44.26	17.65

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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