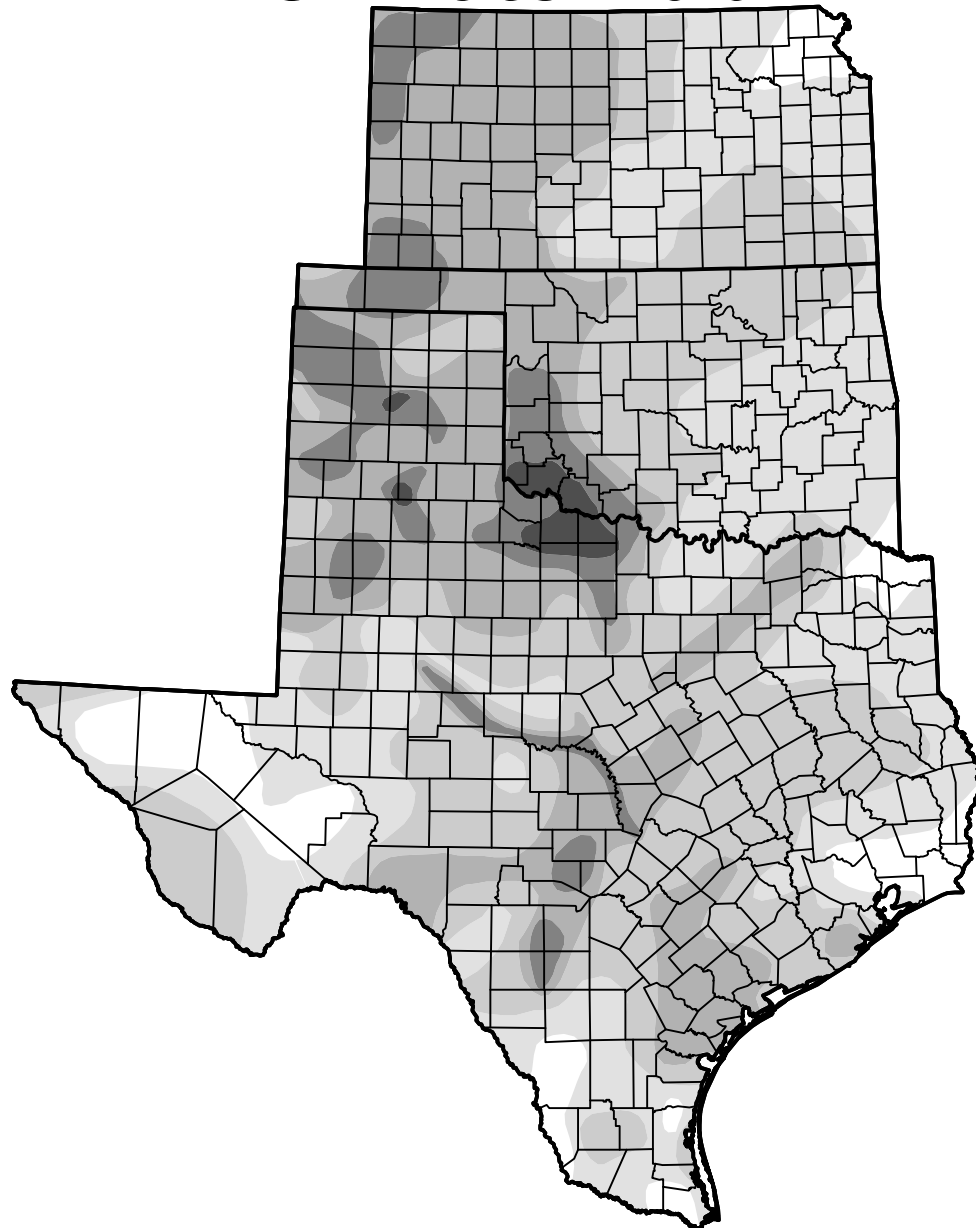


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	6.63	27.38	32.72	24.14	8.05	1.08
Last Week <i>02-25-2014</i>	5.52	28.05	31.72	24.98	8.73	1.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-03-2013</i>	26.90	29.79	20.88	17.27	4.14	1.01
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	27.54	28.96	20.20	17.69	4.71	0.90
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	16.94	22.83	35.04	21.12	3.75	0.32
One Year Ago <i>03-05-2013</i>	7.09	7.98	13.13	32.57	28.71	10.53

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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