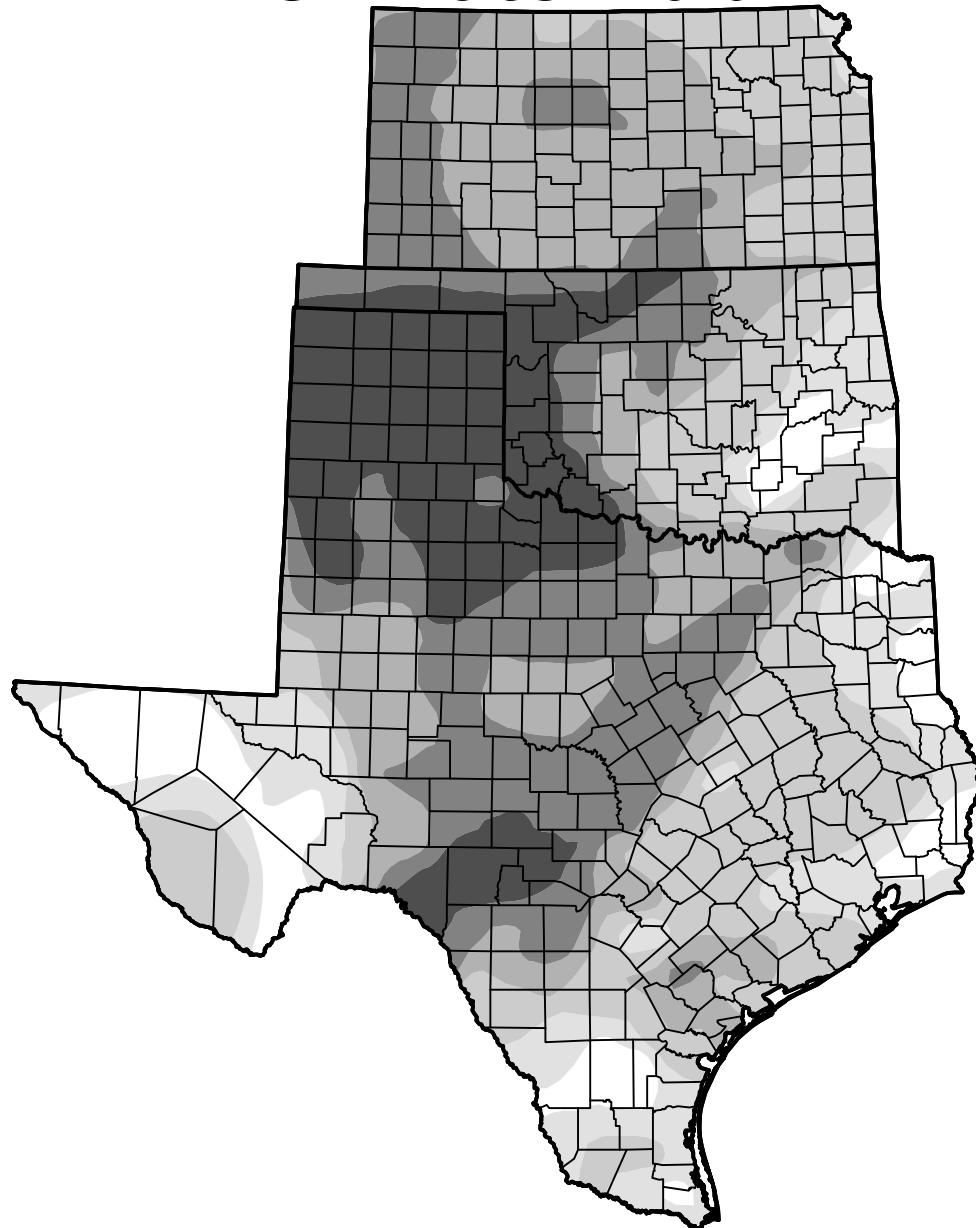


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USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	7.48	92.52	80.07	57.01	35.46	14.67
Last Week <i>04-22-2014</i>	9.78	90.22	76.34	54.25	30.97	10.40
3 Months Ago <i>01-28-2014</i>	17.28	82.72	51.70	28.40	7.80	0.90
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>04-30-2013</i>	3.90	96.10	88.82	71.52	39.41	11.34

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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