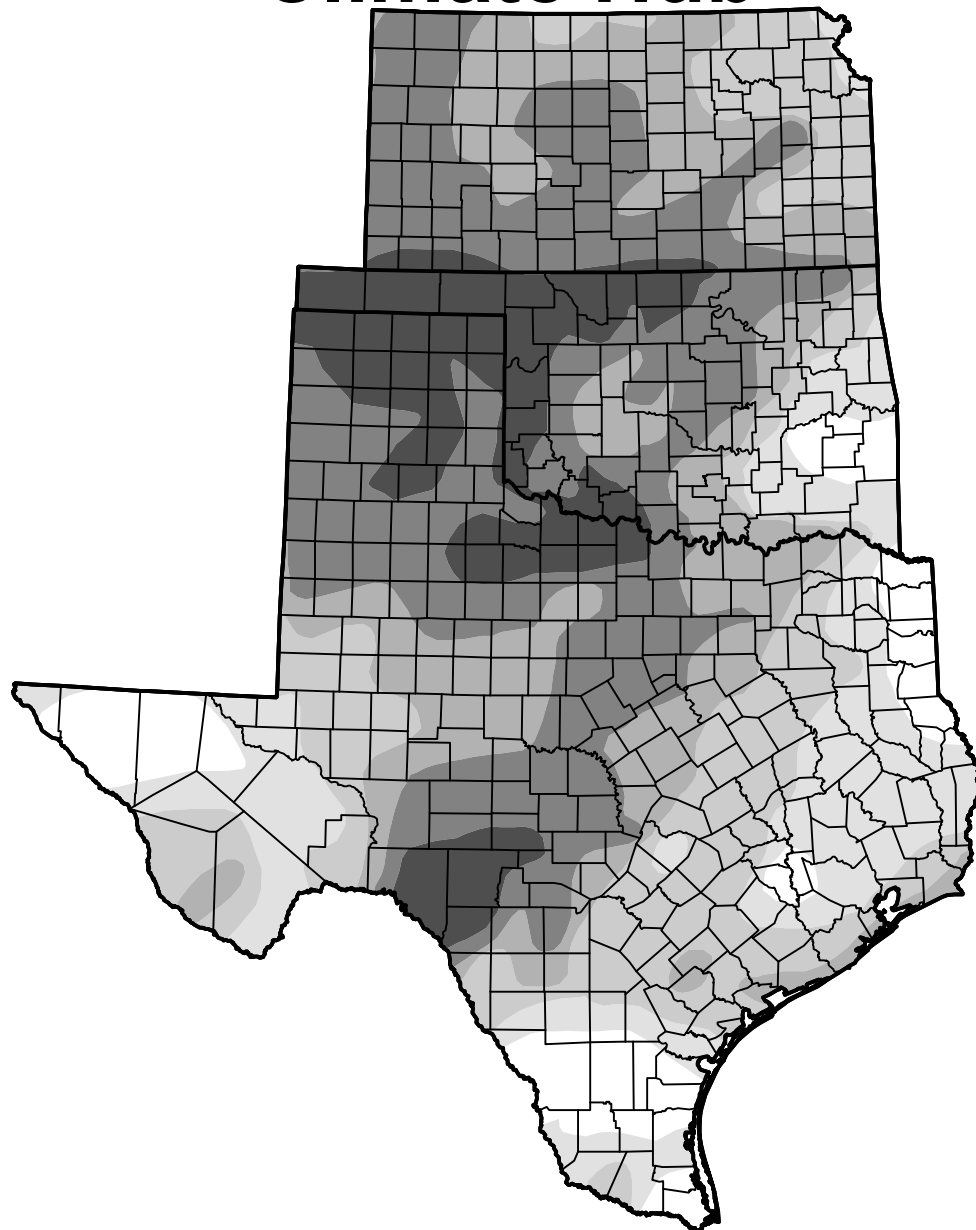


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.78	14.14	18.65	19.84	27.72	11.88
Last Week 05-20-2014	7.21	13.79	15.17	18.42	23.13	22.29
3 Months Ago 02-25-2014	5.52	28.05	31.72	24.98	8.73	1.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2013	27.54	28.96	20.20	17.69	4.71	0.90
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	16.94	22.83	35.04	21.12	3.75	0.32
One Year Ago 05-28-2013	8.59	9.57	21.75	25.53	18.13	16.43

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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