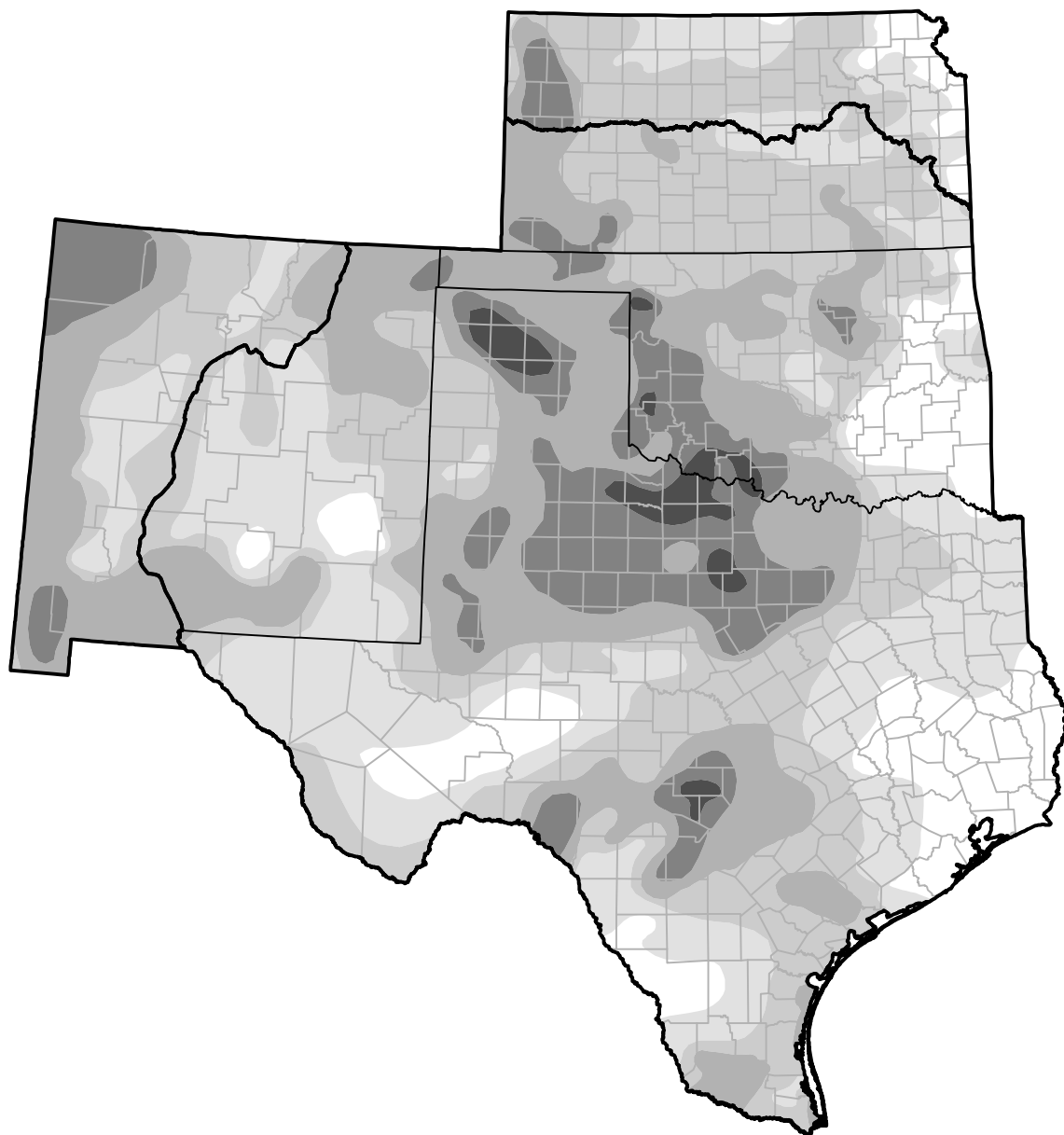


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.38	23.48	25.35	25.89	11.94	1.95
Last Week <i>08-28-2014</i>	13.46	21.37	24.85	26.52	11.85	1.95
3 Months Ago <i>06-05-2014</i>	5.64	16.27	17.07	26.51	26.04	8.48
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i>	24.42	24.25	27.44	18.72	4.35	0.82
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i>	7.61	24.66	40.40	23.42	3.61	0.29
One Year Ago <i>09-05-2013</i>	6.51	10.26	21.93	36.92	20.32	4.06

Intensity:

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

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