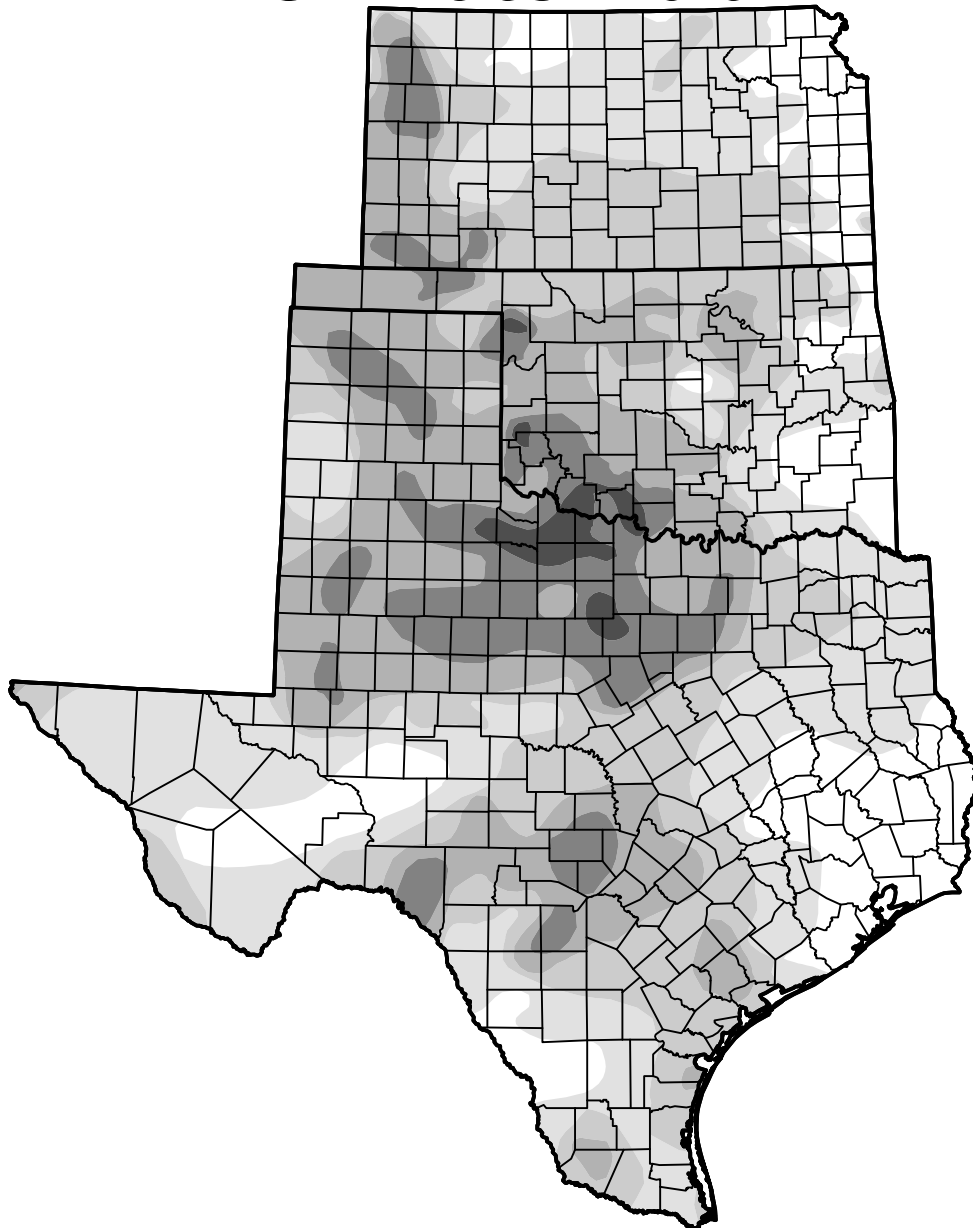


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	14.52	28.13	24.05	21.43	10.52	1.36
Last Week <i>09-02-2014</i>	12.85	22.14	29.57	21.32	11.99	2.13
3 Months Ago <i>06-10-2014</i>	8.60	15.25	24.31	21.92	22.79	7.14
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>09-10-2013</i>	10.00	17.57	19.16	31.67	17.95	3.65

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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