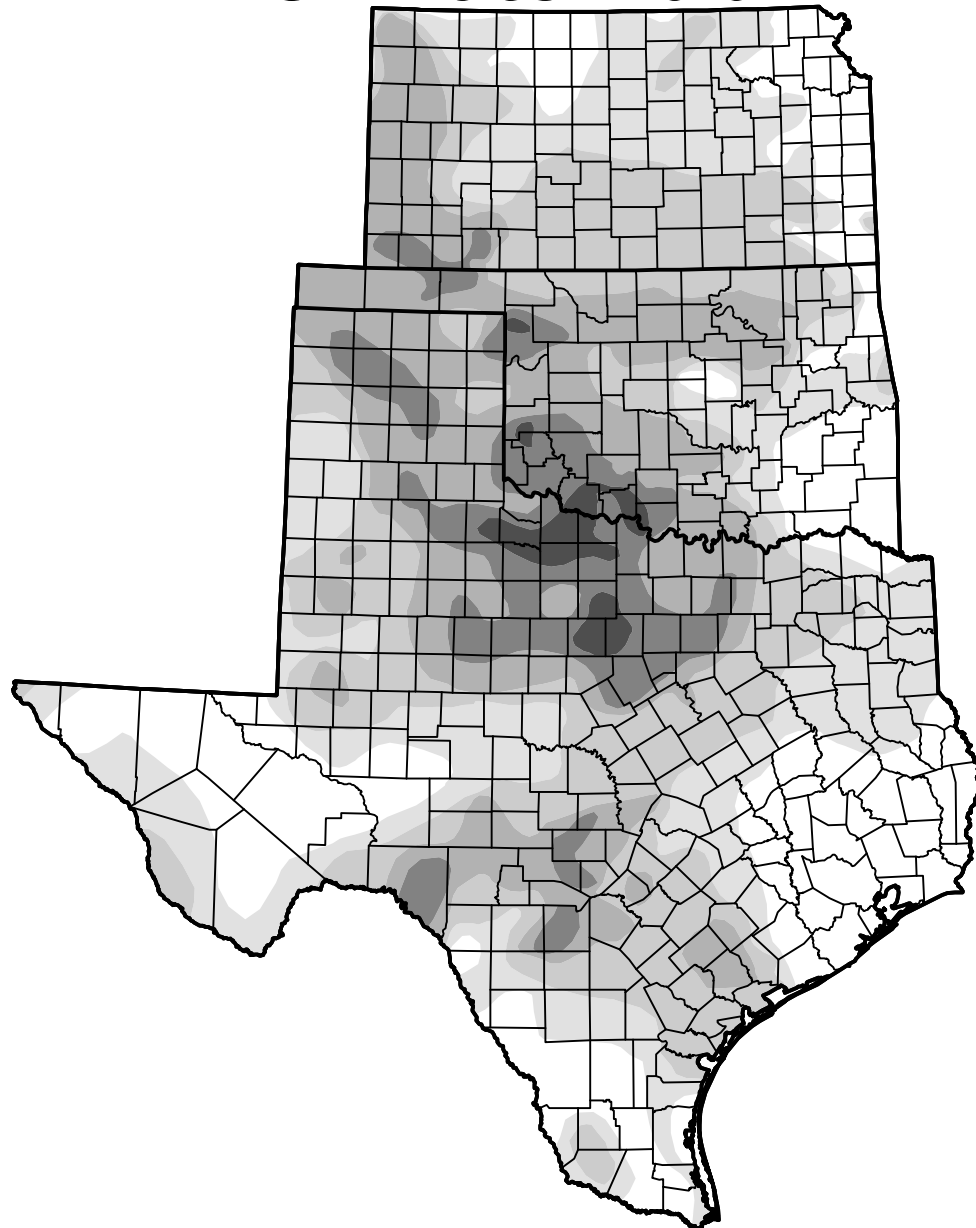


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	22.34	23.84	24.39	19.52	8.39	1.52
Last Week 09-16-2014	18.29	25.14	24.10	21.80	9.16	1.52
3 Months Ago 06-24-2014	8.79	17.17	30.15	20.79	18.17	4.93
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 09-24-2013	14.18	18.77	26.06	33.58	6.98	0.42

Intensity:

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

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