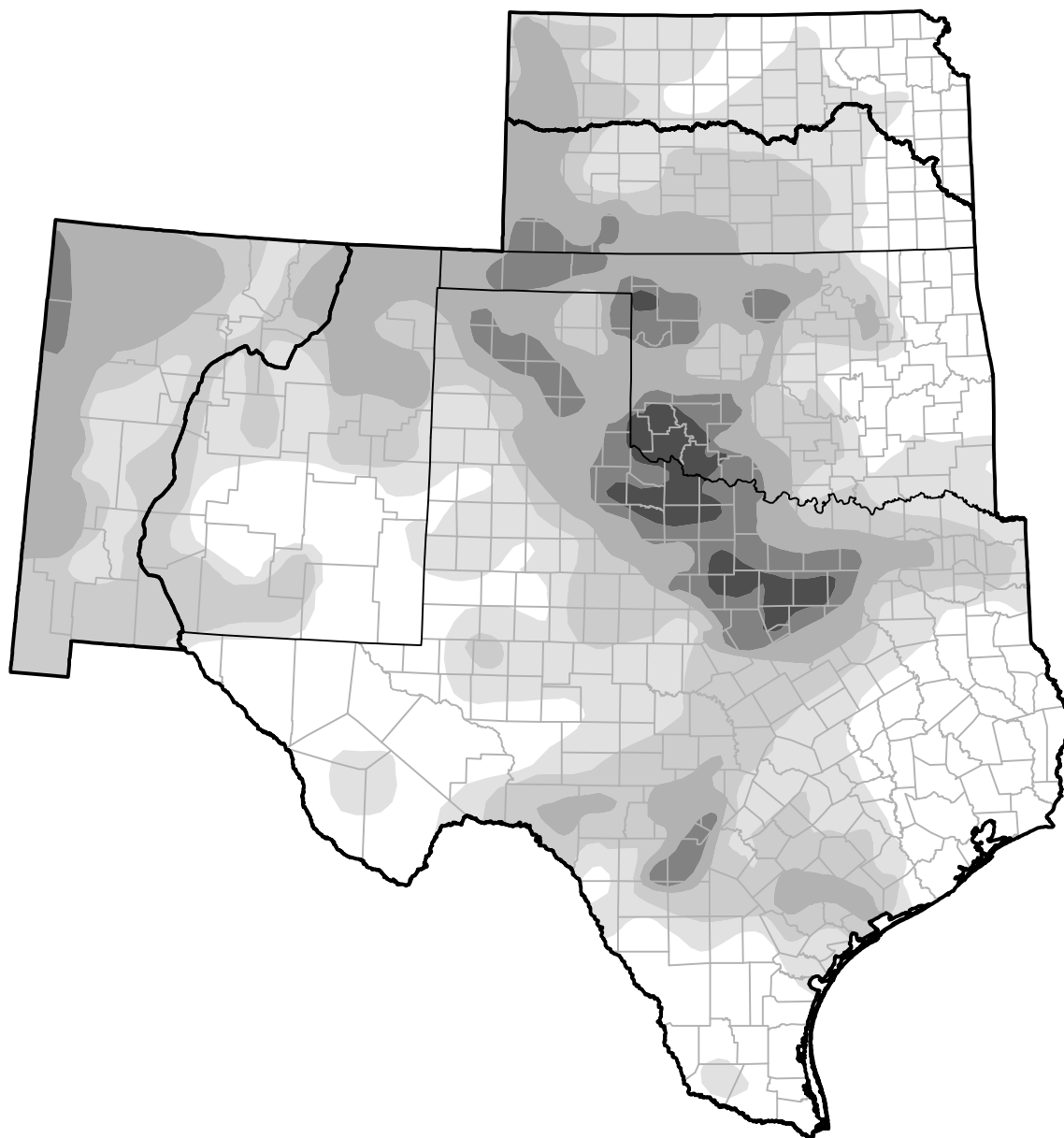


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**November 25, 2014**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 28.13 | 21.34 | 24.07 | 17.73 | 6.47  | 2.27 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-20-2014</i>              | 25.44 | 22.55 | 23.51 | 19.08 | 6.40  | 3.01 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-28-2014</i>           | 13.46 | 21.37 | 24.85 | 26.52 | 11.85 | 1.95 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-02-2014</i> | 24.42 | 24.25 | 27.44 | 18.72 | 4.35  | 0.82 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2014</i>    | 22.54 | 21.15 | 22.26 | 22.16 | 9.62  | 2.28 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-27-2013</i>           | 21.91 | 25.49 | 28.17 | 19.34 | 4.17  | 0.92 |

### 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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