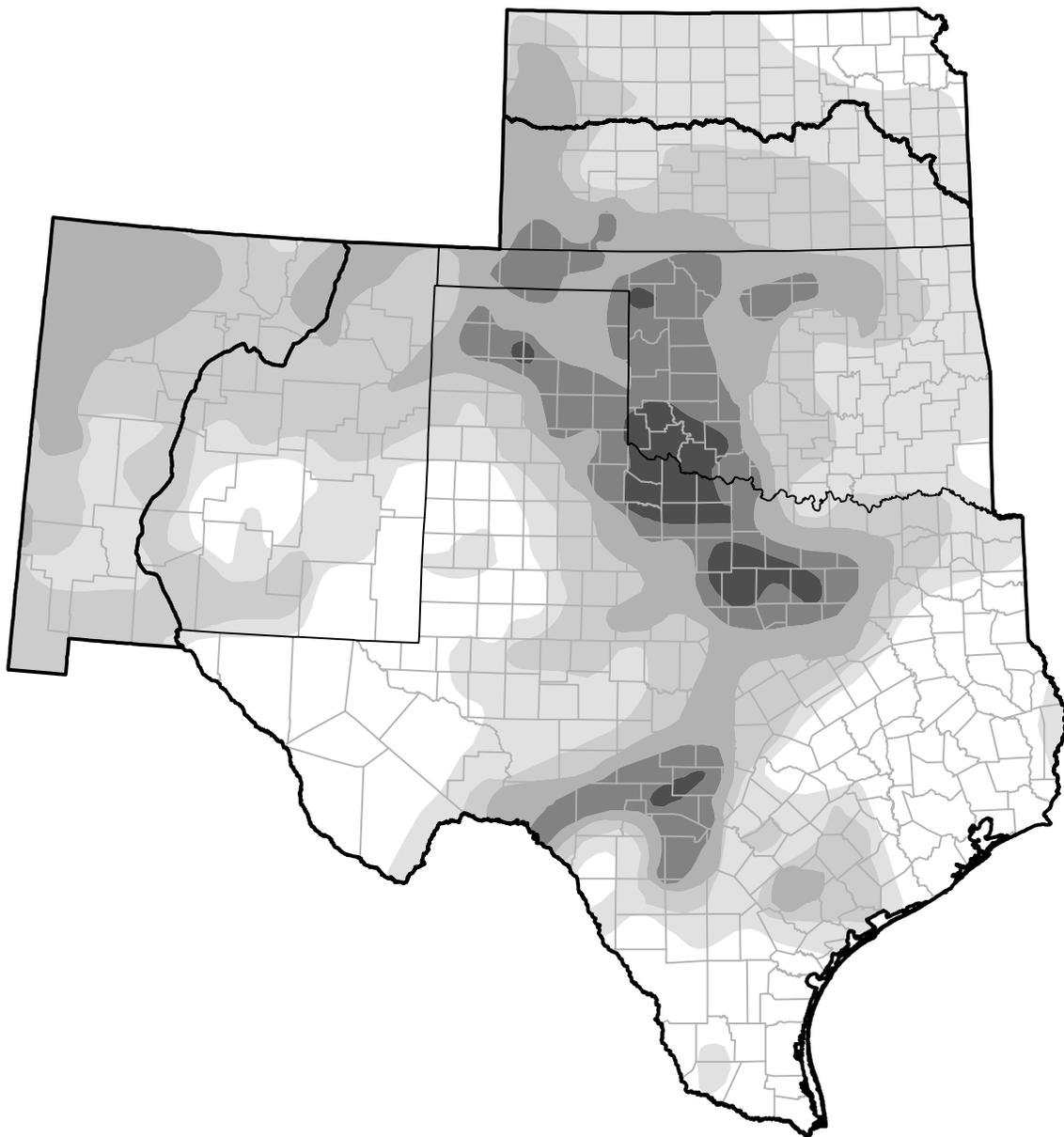


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 26.15 | 20.84 | 24.84 | 16.12 | 9.21 | 2.84 |
| Last Week <i>02-26-2015</i> | 26.18 | 20.59 | 22.72 | 16.94 | 10.10 | 3.47 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>12-04-2014</i> | 26.72 | 21.63 | 24.84 | 17.50 | 7.04 | 2.27 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i> | 27.08 | 20.07 | 23.91 | 17.83 | 8.39 | 2.72 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i> | 22.54 | 21.15 | 22.26 | 22.16 | 9.62 | 2.28 |
| One Year Ago <i>03-06-2014</i> | 5.42 | 20.31 | 33.88 | 27.24 | 12.15 | 0.99 |

Intensity:



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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