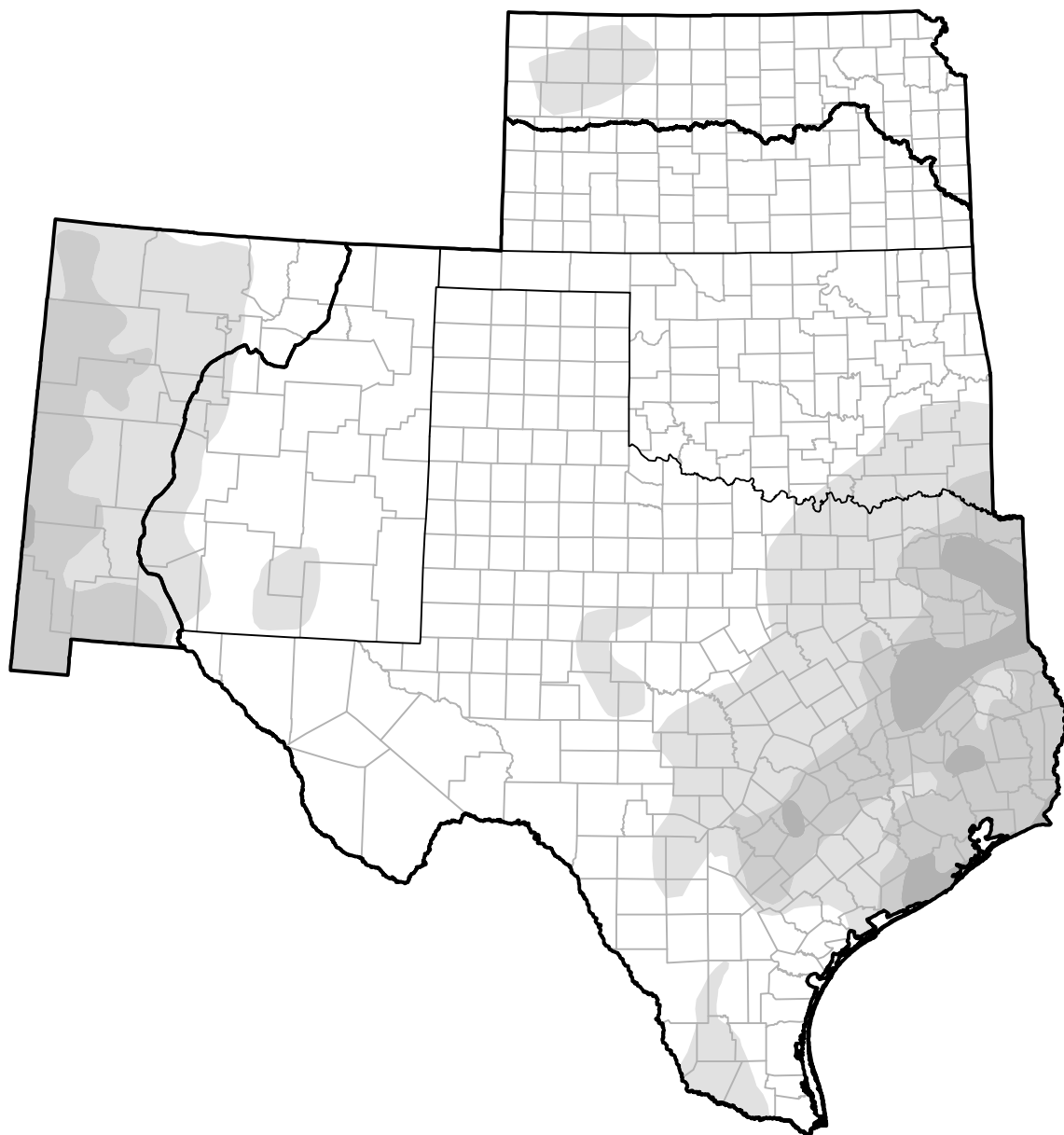


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	61.77	22.15	13.53	2.55	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-06-2015</i>	70.27	21.91	7.64	0.18	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-14-2015</i>	50.45	14.37	23.08	10.41	1.69	0.00
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>08-14-2014</i>	13.54	23.21	24.20	26.46	10.73	1.87

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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