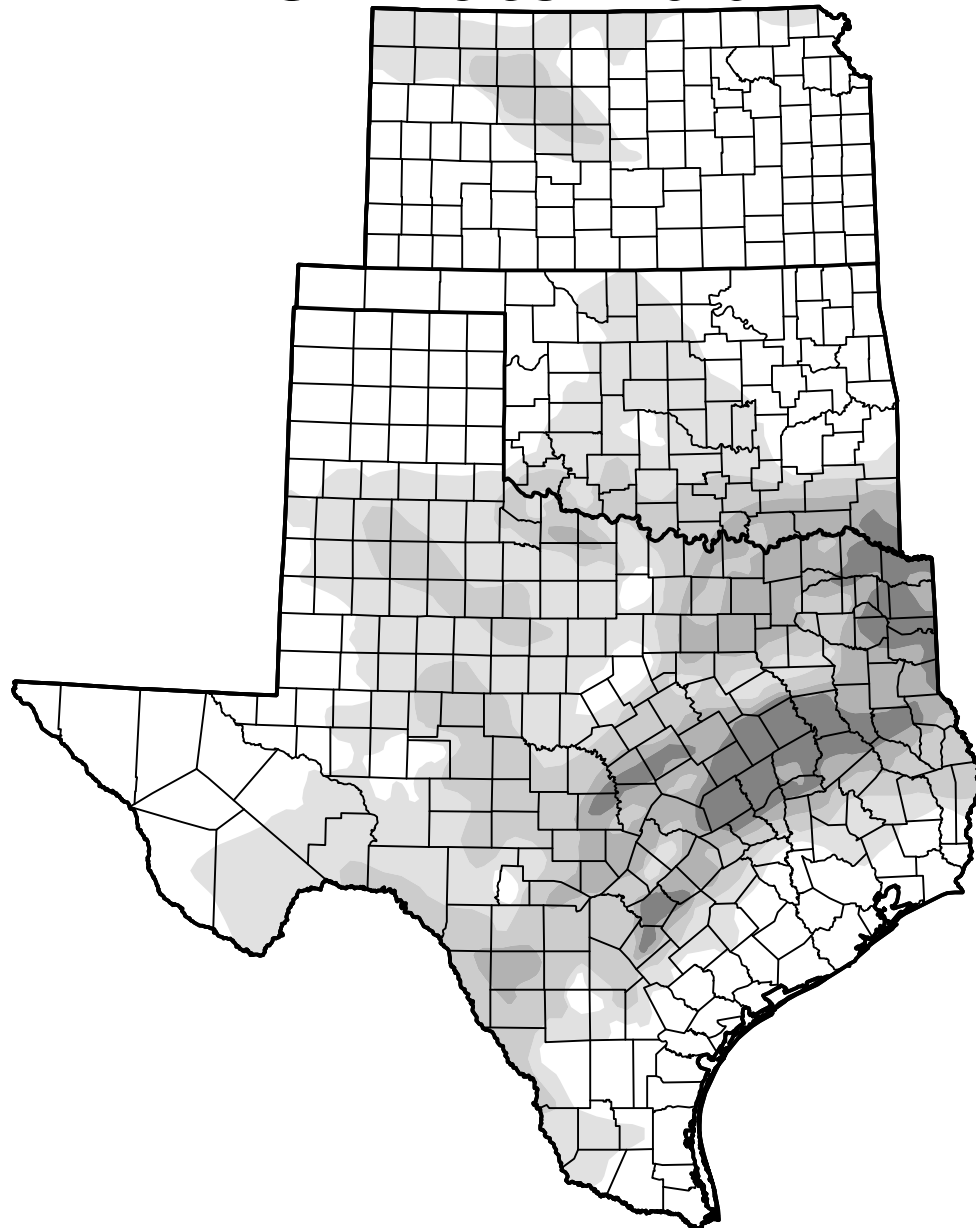


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	46.66	25.29	15.82	8.08	4.14	0.00
Last Week <i>09-22-2015</i>	50.30	27.68	12.54	6.36	3.11	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-30-2015</i>	94.87	4.28	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	29.97	23.86	19.37	15.28	8.55	2.97
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	23.45	24.07	20.13	21.22	8.64	2.49
One Year Ago <i>09-30-2014</i>	23.45	24.07	20.13	21.22	8.64	2.49

Intensity:

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

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