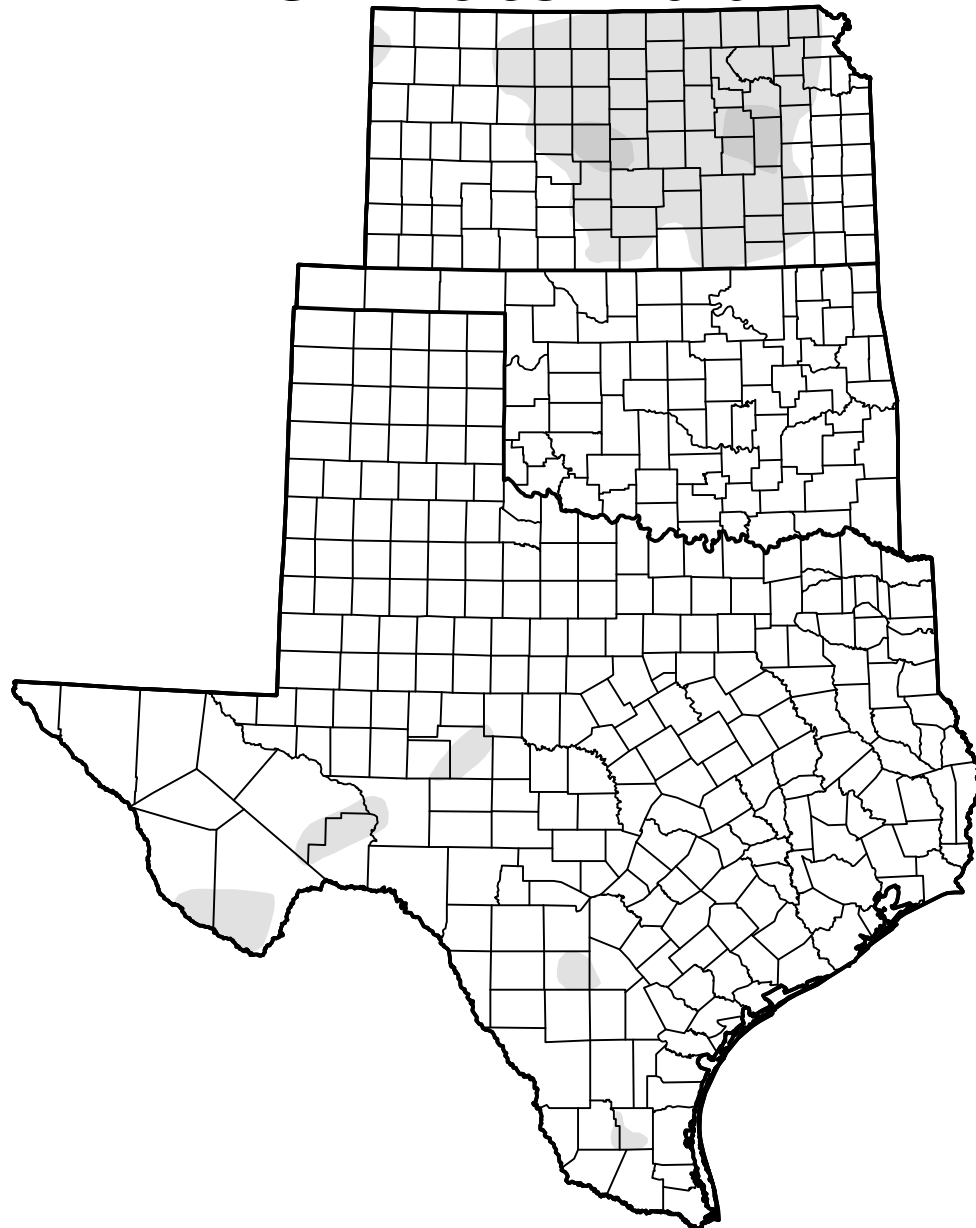


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	88.02	11.98	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-01-2015	84.74	15.26	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-08-2015	62.09	37.91	19.34	9.06	1.59	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2014	29.97	70.03	46.17	26.80	11.52	2.97
Start of Water Year 09-29-2015	46.66	53.34	28.04	12.22	4.14	0.00
One Year Ago 12-09-2014	29.13	70.87	45.57	25.47	10.46	2.59

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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