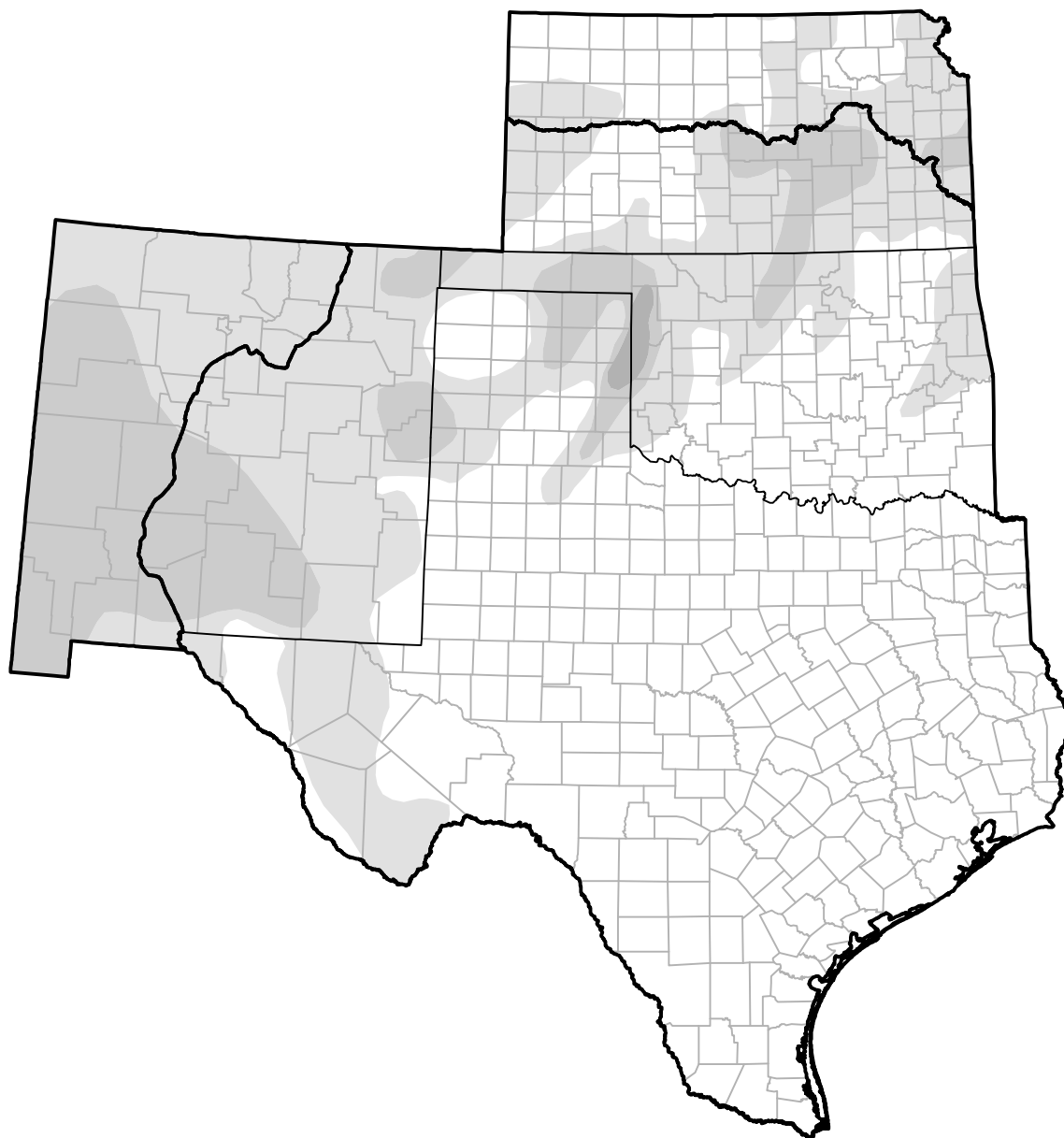


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	59.97	25.53	14.09	0.41	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-21-2016</i>	56.23	27.95	15.37	0.46	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-28-2016</i>	96.41	3.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	90.39	9.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	43.19	29.88	15.77	7.38	3.79	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-30-2015</i>	45.51	12.77	20.48	14.29	5.15	1.81

Intensity:

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

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