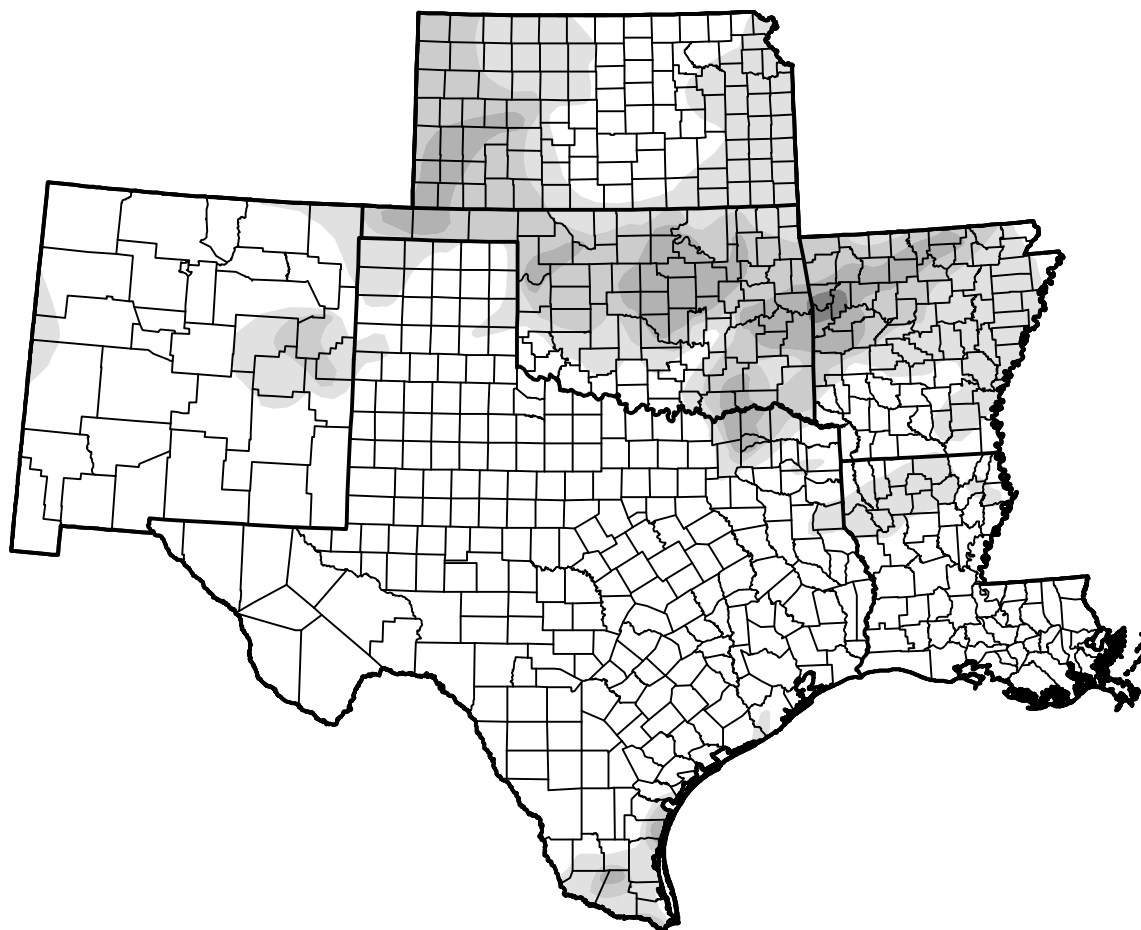


U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	68.53	31.47	14.92	5.34	0.19	0.00
Last Week <i>02-14-2017</i>	68.24	31.76	16.18	5.91	0.75	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-22-2016</i>	46.41	53.59	30.65	16.05	2.50	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	55.81	44.19	20.89	9.33	0.79	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	80.28	19.72	3.07	0.33	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-23-2016</i>	85.07	14.93	0.33	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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