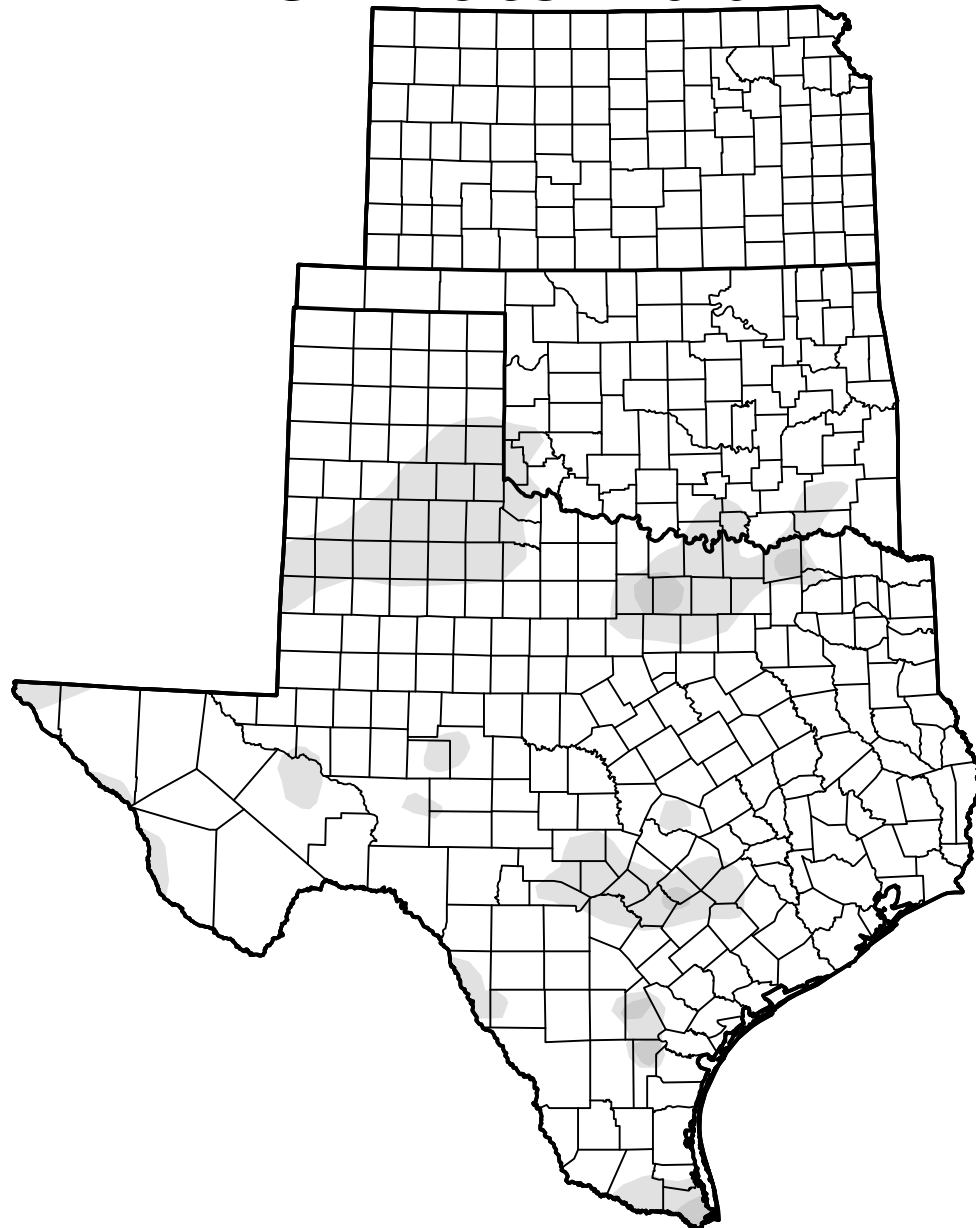


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southern Plains

### Climate Hub



**June 6, 2017**  
 (Released Thursday, Jun. 8, 2017)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 88.53 | 11.47 | 0.74  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-30-2017</i>              | 77.61 | 22.39 | 2.35  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>03-07-2017</i>           | 52.99 | 47.01 | 23.16 | 9.49  | 0.64  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-03-2017</i> | 56.13 | 43.87 | 23.99 | 13.27 | 0.95  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2016</i>    | 89.65 | 10.35 | 3.58  | 0.51  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>06-07-2016</i>           | 98.46 | 1.54  | 0.00  | 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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