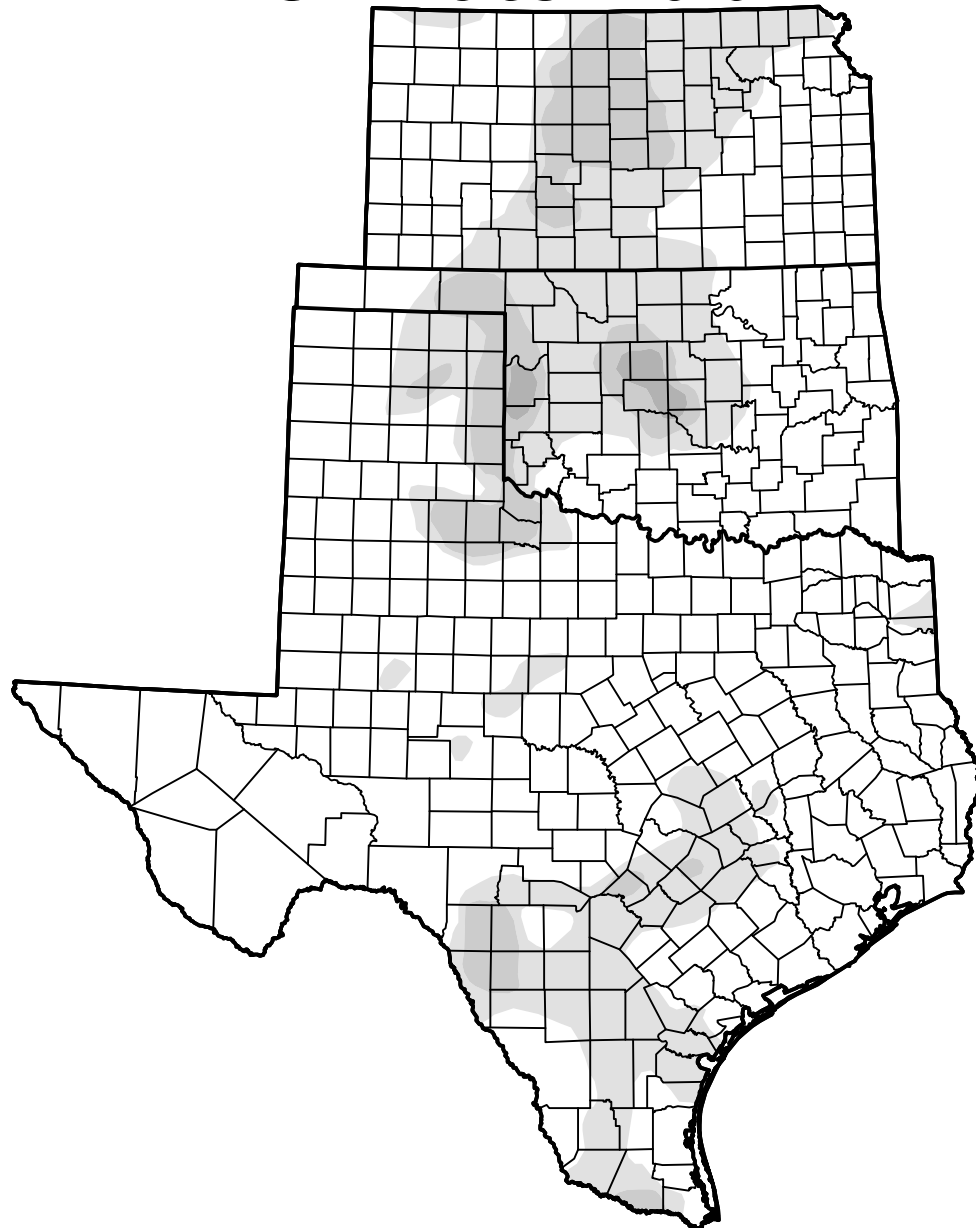


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	71.79	28.21	7.76	0.58	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-01-2017	65.20	34.80	10.34	1.08	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-09-2017	83.68	16.32	2.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	56.13	43.87	23.99	13.27	0.95	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	89.65	10.35	3.58	0.51	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-09-2016	62.99	37.01	7.76	0.68	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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