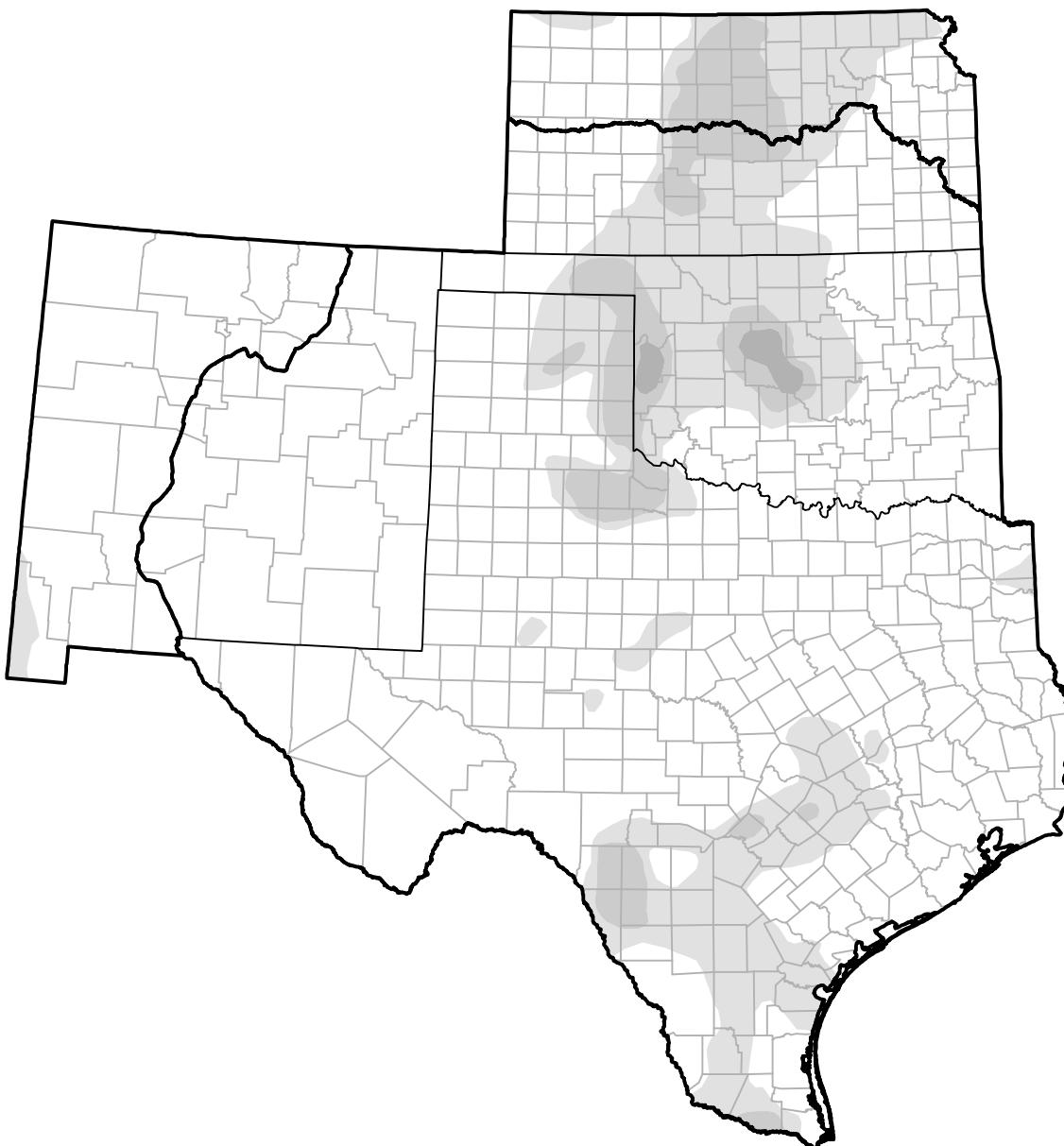


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	81.77	13.64	4.06	0.53	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-03-2017	75.80	15.62	7.60	0.98	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-11-2017	80.16	16.09	3.75	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2017	65.81	16.66	7.86	8.80	0.87	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	78.11	17.59	3.83	0.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-11-2016	43.23	42.49	13.66	0.62	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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