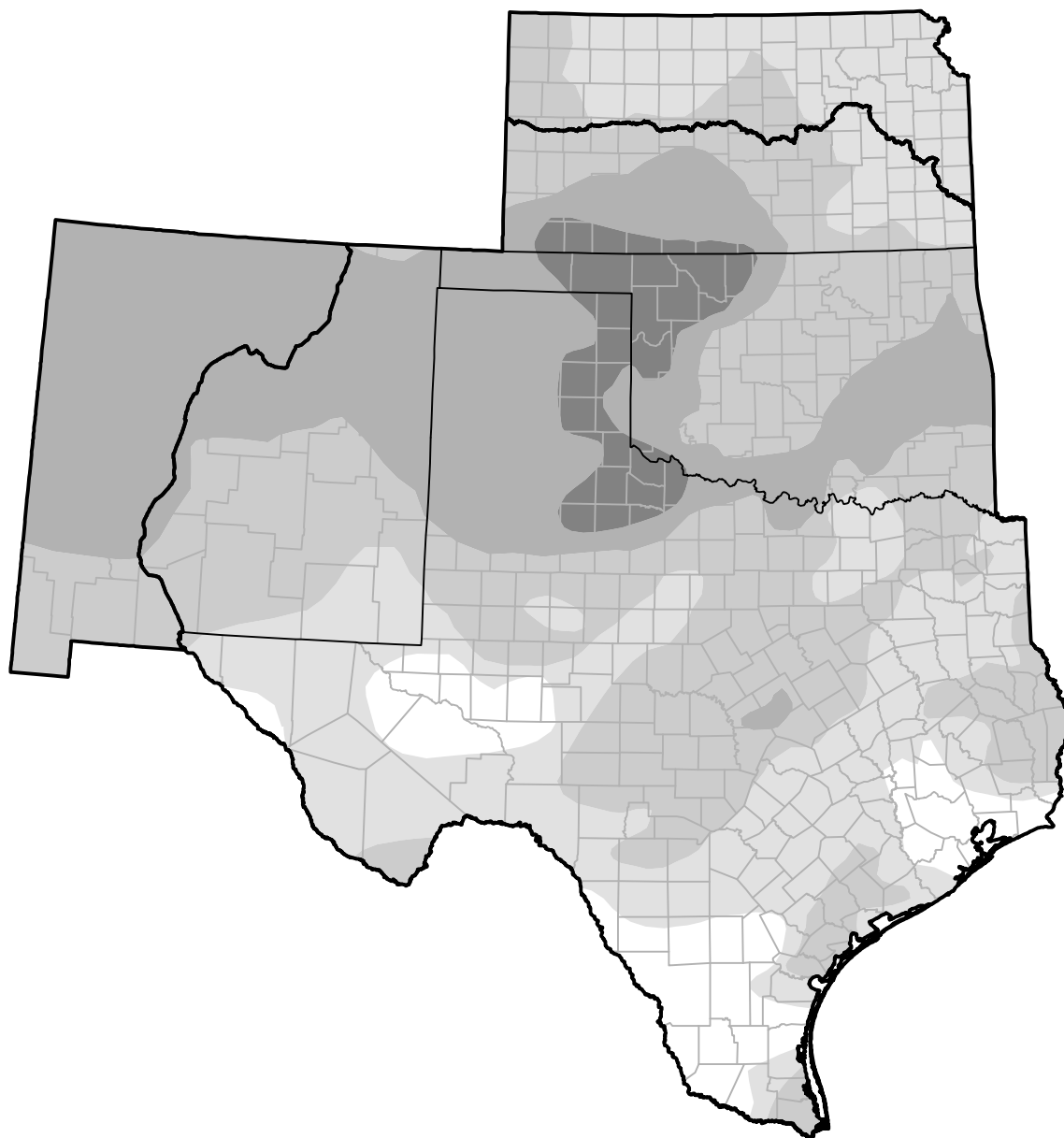


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	8.42	22.70	34.92	29.27	4.70	0.00
Last Week <i>01-18-2018</i>	12.08	27.50	40.50	16.90	3.02	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-26-2017</i>	82.75	15.55	1.71	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2018</i>	21.24	35.22	32.89	10.59	0.06	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	73.50	23.96	2.52	0.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-26-2017</i>	77.69	7.57	9.38	4.77	0.60	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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