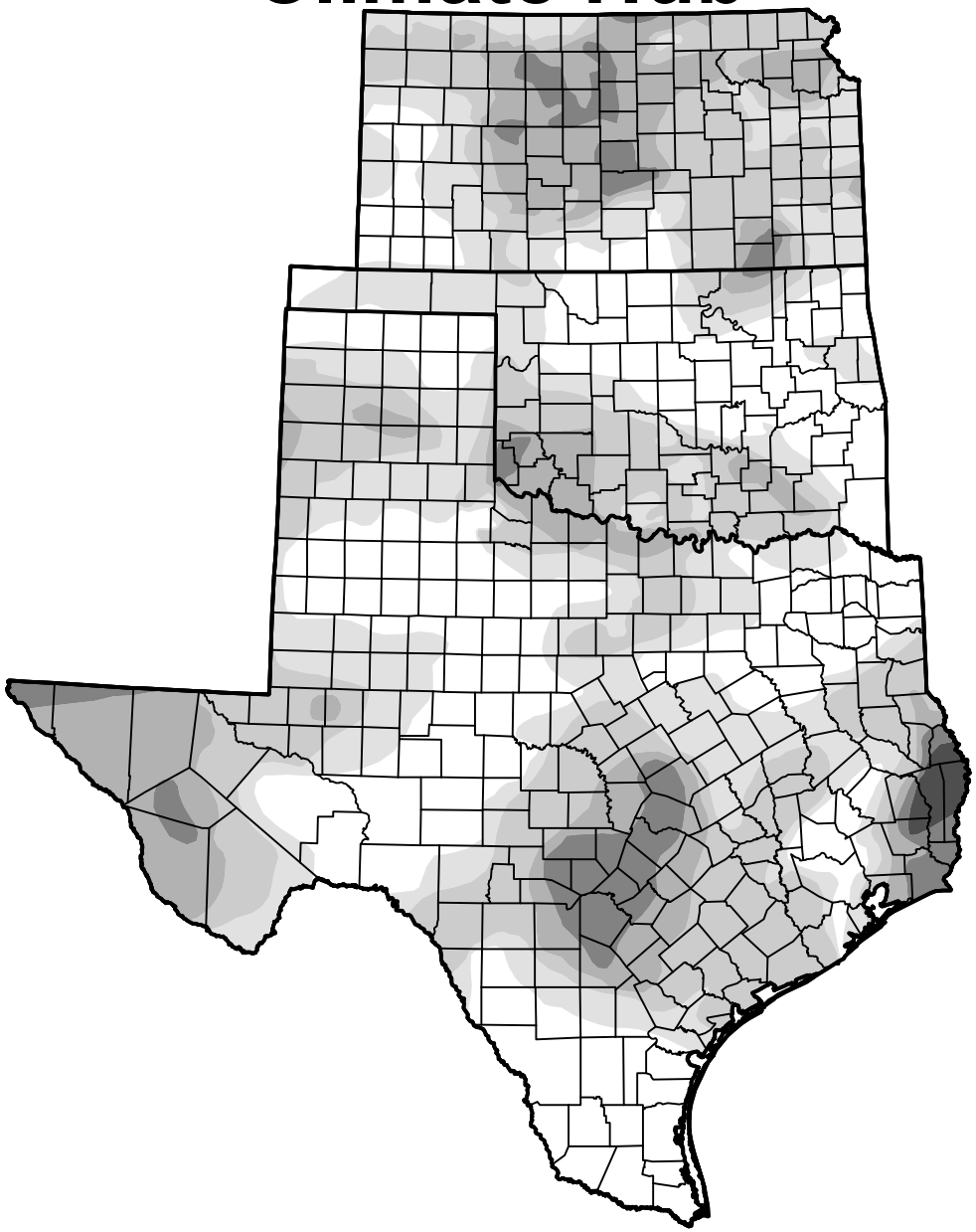
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	30.70	69.30	45.36	19.27	5.63	0.55
Last Week *11-28-2023*	29.95	70.05	46.40	21.97	5.47	0.96
3 Months Ago *09-05-2023*	9.84	90.16	75.47	55.91	30.23	9.70
Start of Calendar Year *01-03-2023*	18.73	81.27	63.39	44.03	25.35	10.23
Start of Water Year *09-26-2023*	11.34	88.66	71.74	52.07	30.40	8.38
One Year Ago *12-06-2022*	16.39	83.61	65.55	46.53	27.89	11.29

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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