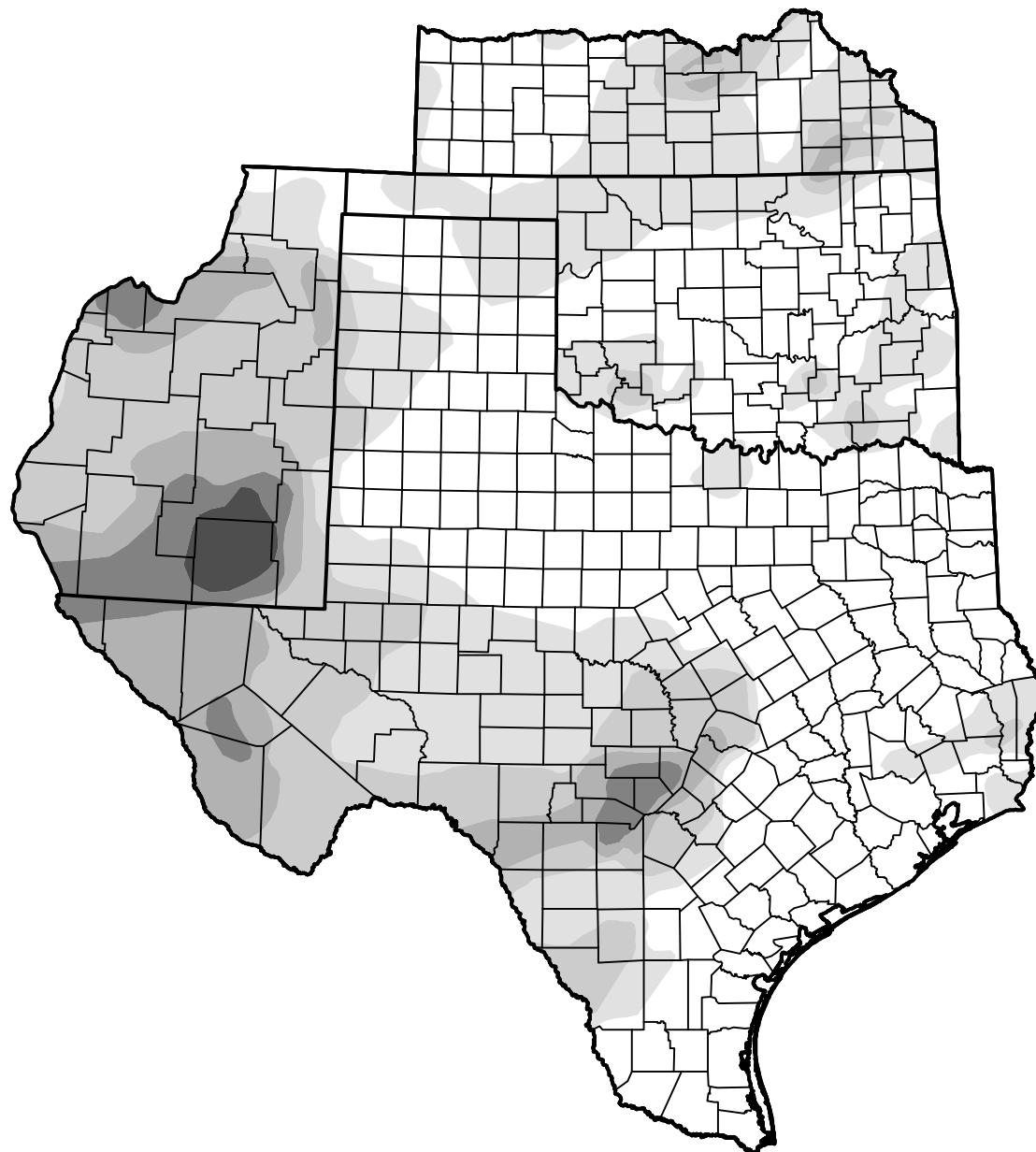


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	45.91	24.67	17.03	8.06	3.36	0.97
Last Week <i>03-12-2024</i>	44.92	25.66	16.79	8.27	3.38	0.97
3 Months Ago <i>12-19-2023</i>	29.81	22.29	23.83	14.42	8.17	1.49
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2024</i>	35.85	20.06	21.50	13.90	7.31	1.38
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2023</i>	9.93	14.80	20.48	22.90	22.87	9.02
One Year Ago <i>03-21-2023</i>	20.51	14.79	18.15	23.73	13.21	9.60

Intensity:



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