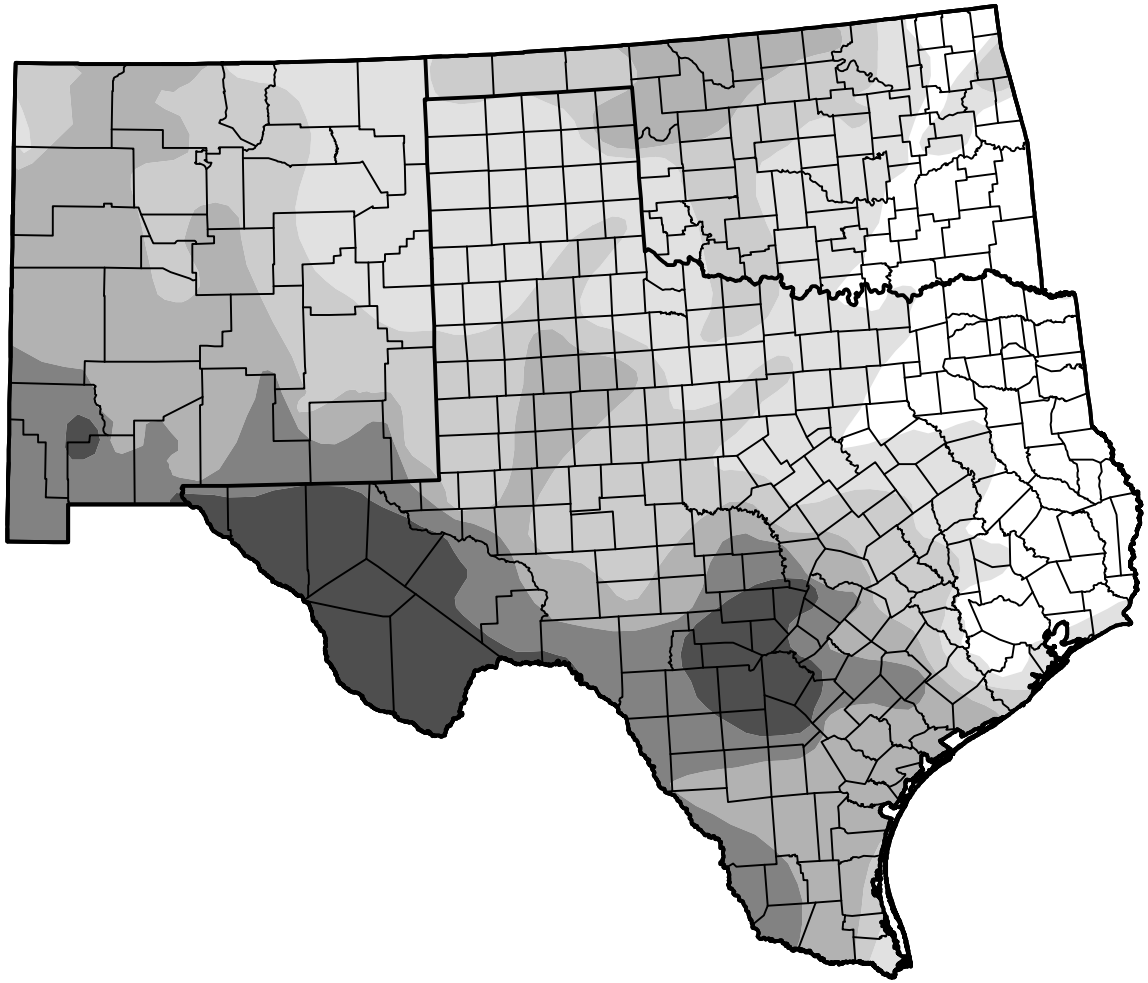
U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.55	22.90	22.38	22.46	11.52	8.19
Last Week *03-11-2025*	15.86	28.51	22.09	17.67	10.66	5.22
3 Months Ago *12-17-2024*	40.51	21.18	20.42	8.97	5.27	3.66
Start of Calendar Year *01-07-2025*	43.66	20.78	17.81	8.61	5.47	3.66
Start of Water Year *10-01-2024*	26.19	35.21	18.56	12.36	5.73	1.95
One Year Ago *03-19-2024*	40.54	21.98	20.13	11.18	5.23	0.93

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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