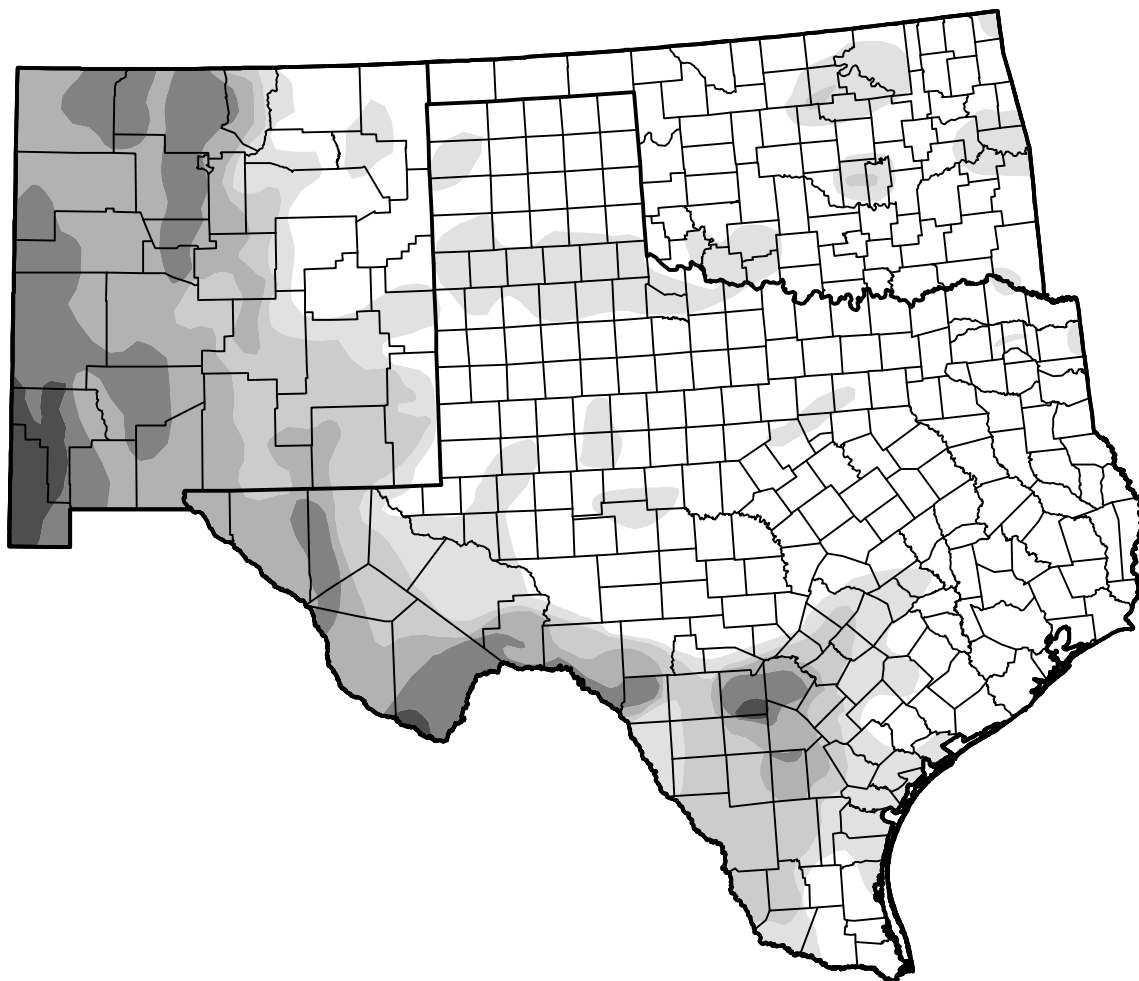


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.21	15.82	9.53	12.40	7.80	1.25
Last Week <i>08-26-2025</i>	57.34	12.03	9.19	12.40	7.80	1.25
3 Months Ago <i>06-03-2025</i>	49.17	8.82	7.29	11.57	13.82	9.33
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-07-2025</i>	43.66	20.78	17.81	8.61	5.47	3.66
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2024</i>	26.19	35.21	18.56	12.36	5.73	1.95
One Year Ago <i>09-03-2024</i>	27.39	33.05	22.21	11.68	4.72	0.96

Intensity:

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

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