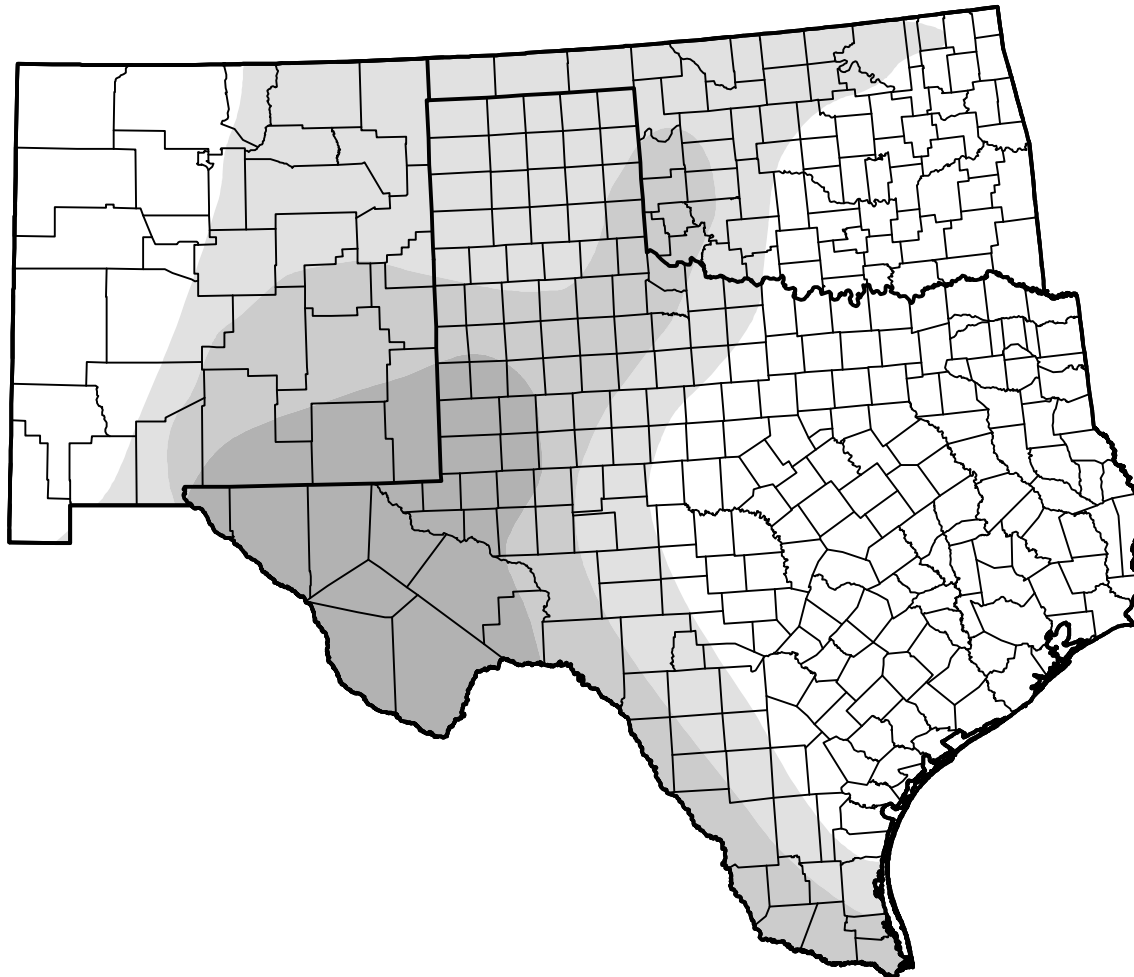


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**October 16, 2001**  
*(Released Thursday, Oct. 18, 2001)*  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	46.29	26.02	15.51	12.17	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-09-2001</i>	44.94	26.75	17.64	10.67	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-17-2001</i>	33.99	35.53	18.94	11.54	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2001</i>	68.19	21.50	9.34	0.97	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	46.30	25.39	17.64	10.67	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-17-2000</i>	8.07	5.47	30.02	47.08	9.37	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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