

# U.S. Drought Monitor

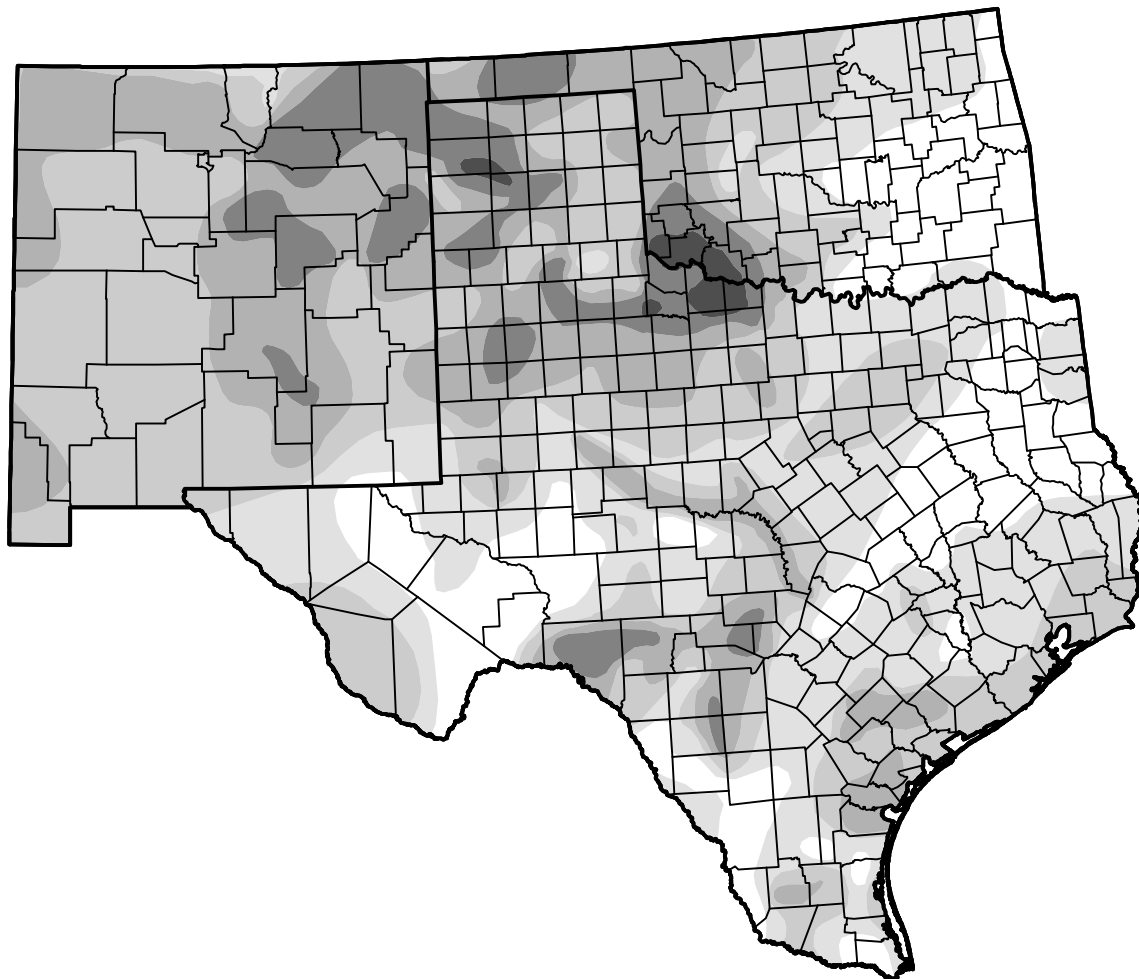
## Southern Plains RDEWS

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	15.88	22.71	30.99	21.29	8.31	0.82
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-21-2014</i>	18.99	27.34	29.40	18.59	4.85	0.82
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-29-2013</i>	16.01	25.66	33.06	21.23	3.69	0.36
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	24.42	24.25	27.44	18.72	4.35	0.82
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	7.61	24.66	40.40	23.42	3.61	0.29
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-29-2013</i>	6.08	8.18	16.05	36.00	23.56	10.13



**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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