

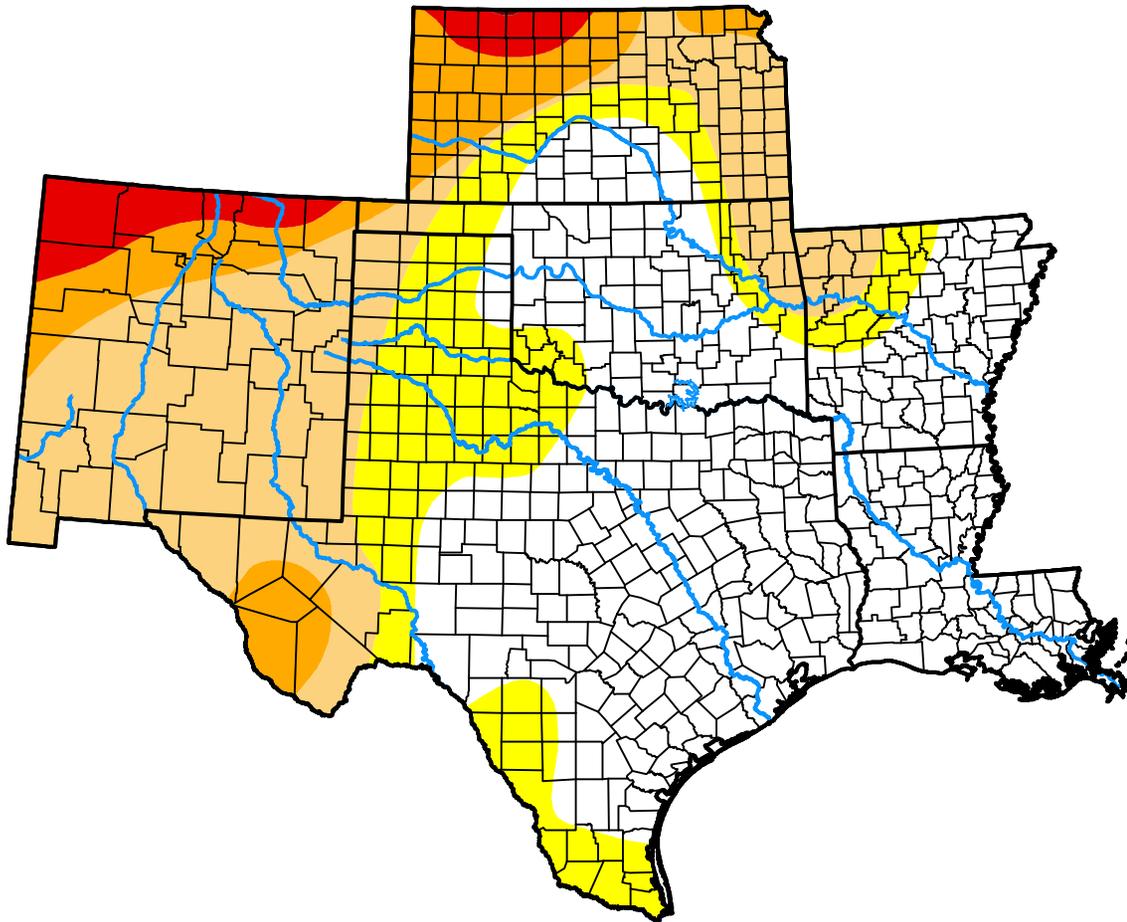
U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	47.70	52.30	36.39	12.02	3.59	0.02
Last Week <i>10-15-2002</i>	47.12	52.88	37.17	11.82	3.46	0.03
3 Months Ago <i>07-23-2002</i>	41.24	58.76	43.65	26.53	17.35	4.28
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	45.73	54.27	37.51	12.56	4.95	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	30.58	69.42	38.10	14.37	5.03	0.74
One Year Ago <i>10-23-2001</i>	55.70	44.30	27.53	10.55	0.00	0.00



Intensity:

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

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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