

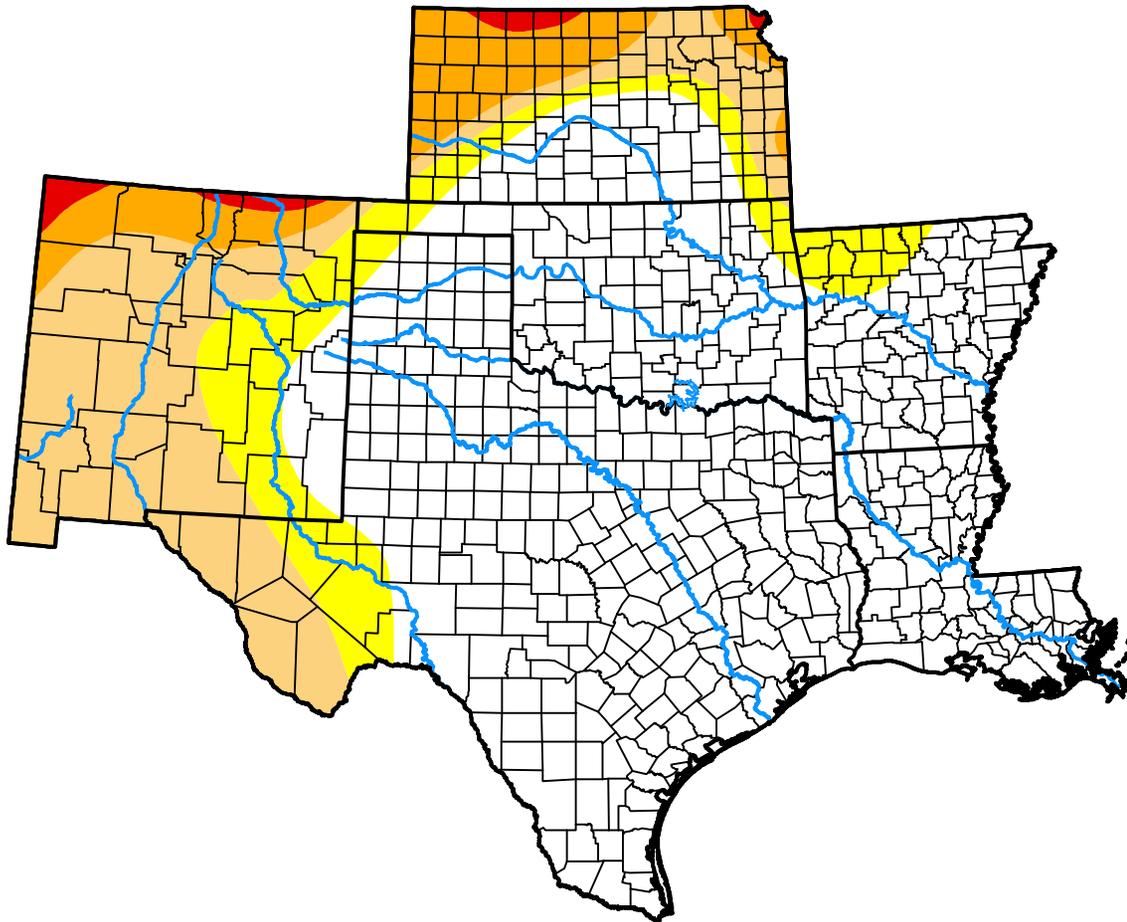
U.S. Drought Monitor

SCIPP

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	66.53	33.47	23.62	7.04	0.96	0.00
Last Week <i>12-24-2002</i>	64.33	35.67	24.77	7.80	0.84	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-01-2002</i>	30.58	69.42	38.10	14.37	5.03	0.74
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>01-01-2002</i>	45.73	54.27	37.51	12.56	4.95	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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