

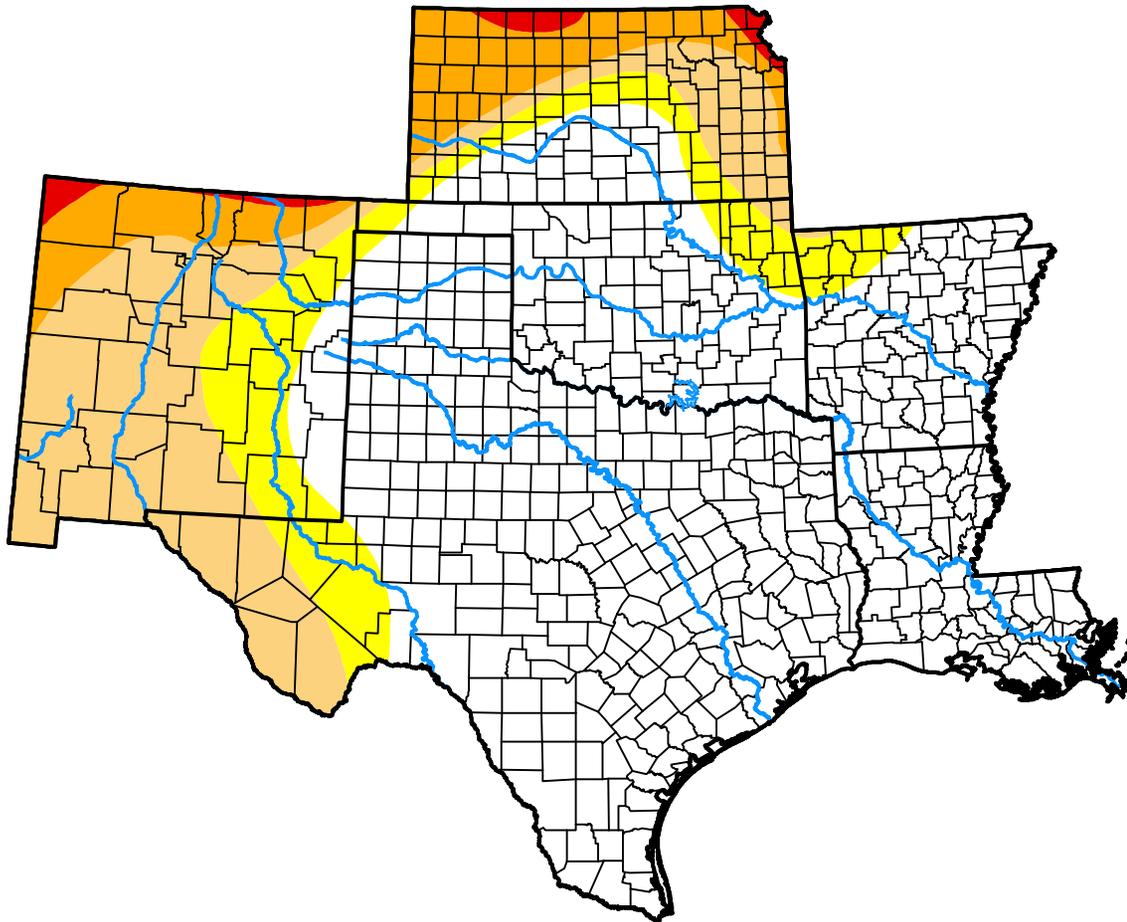
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

**January 21, 2003**  
*(Released Thursday, Jan. 23, 2003)*  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.53	34.47	24.68	8.08	1.04	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-14-2003</i>	64.31	35.69	24.96	8.24	1.10	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-22-2002</i>	47.70	52.30	36.39	12.02	3.59	0.02
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	66.53	33.47	23.62	7.04	0.96	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	30.58	69.42	38.10	14.37	5.03	0.74
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-22-2002</i>	45.49	54.51	37.73	12.52	4.86	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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