

# U.S. Drought Monitor

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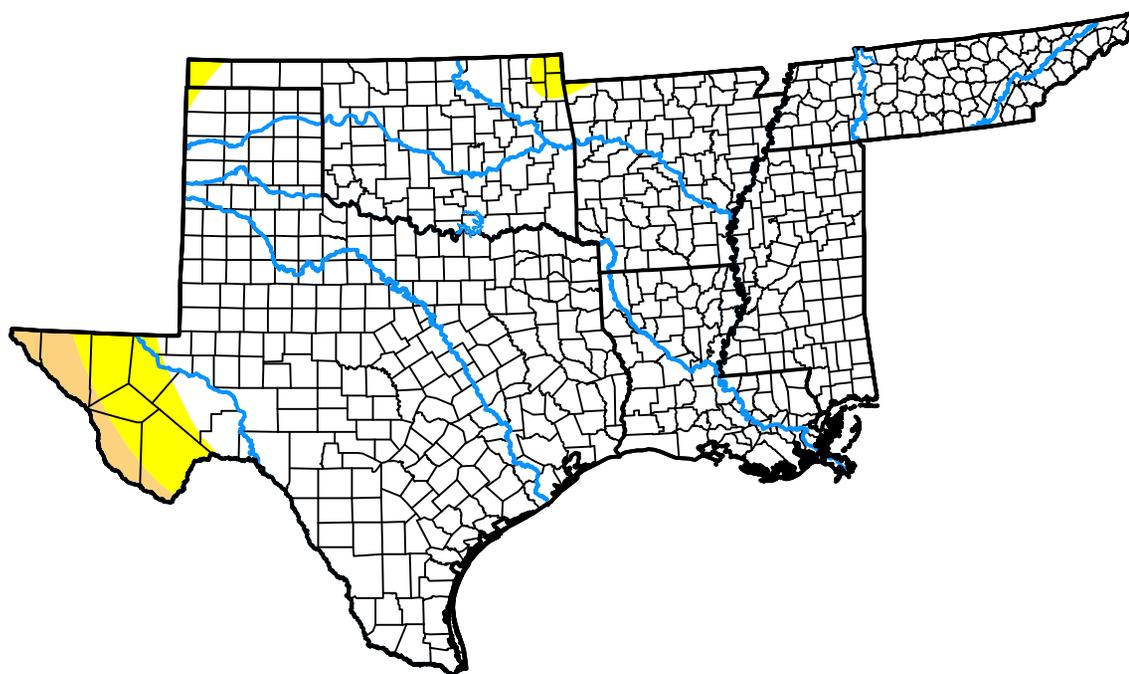
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	94.21	5.79	1.67	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-25-2003</i>	94.22	5.78	1.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-03-2002</i>	87.43	12.57	4.57	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2002</i>	90.71	9.29	3.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2002</i>	51.12	48.88	14.61	3.41	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-05-2002</i>	66.18	33.82	18.72	9.65	1.93	0.00



### Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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