

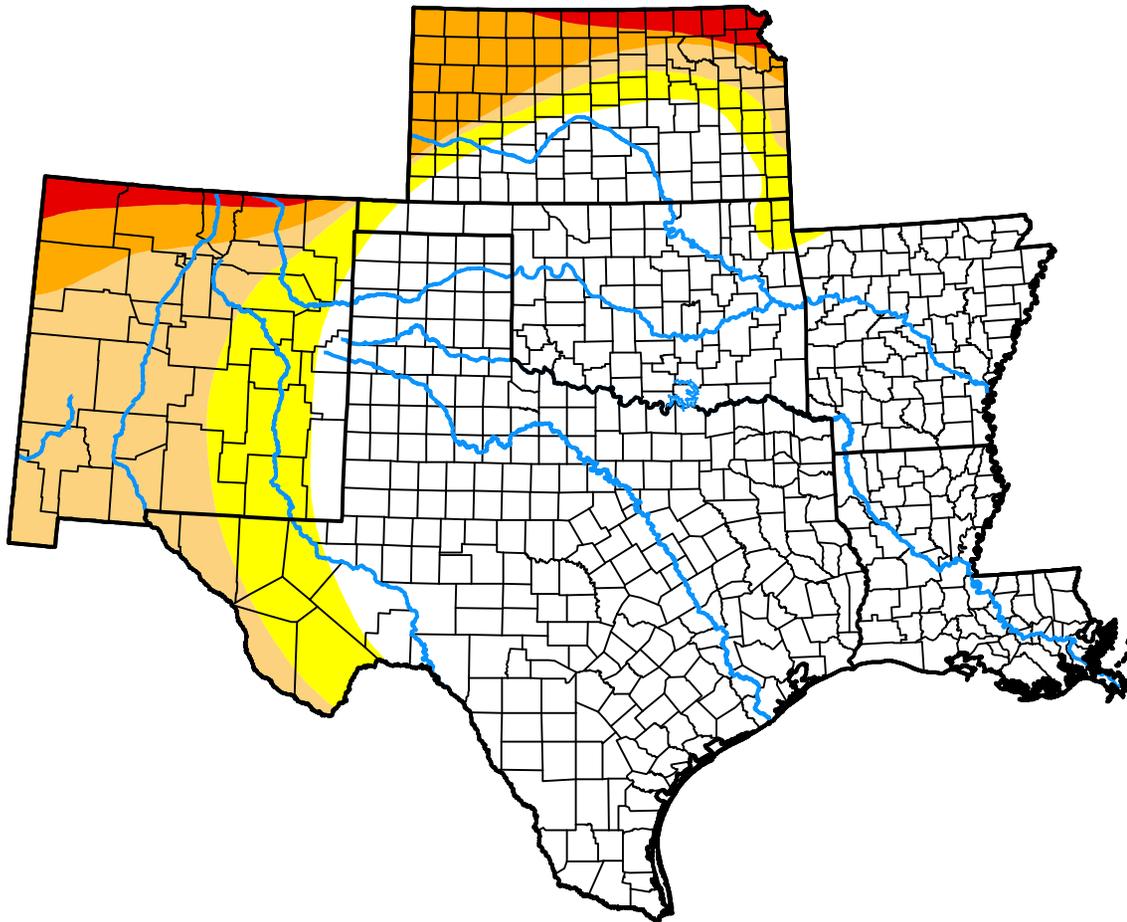
U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	69.38	30.62	20.37	7.73	1.85	0.00
Last Week <i>02-25-2003</i>	69.34	30.66	20.41	7.45	1.07	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-03-2002</i>	62.11	37.89	25.31	7.71	0.74	0.01
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2002</i>	66.53	33.47	23.62	7.04	0.96	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>03-05-2002</i>	49.20	50.80	31.67	9.94	1.59	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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