

U.S. Drought Monitor

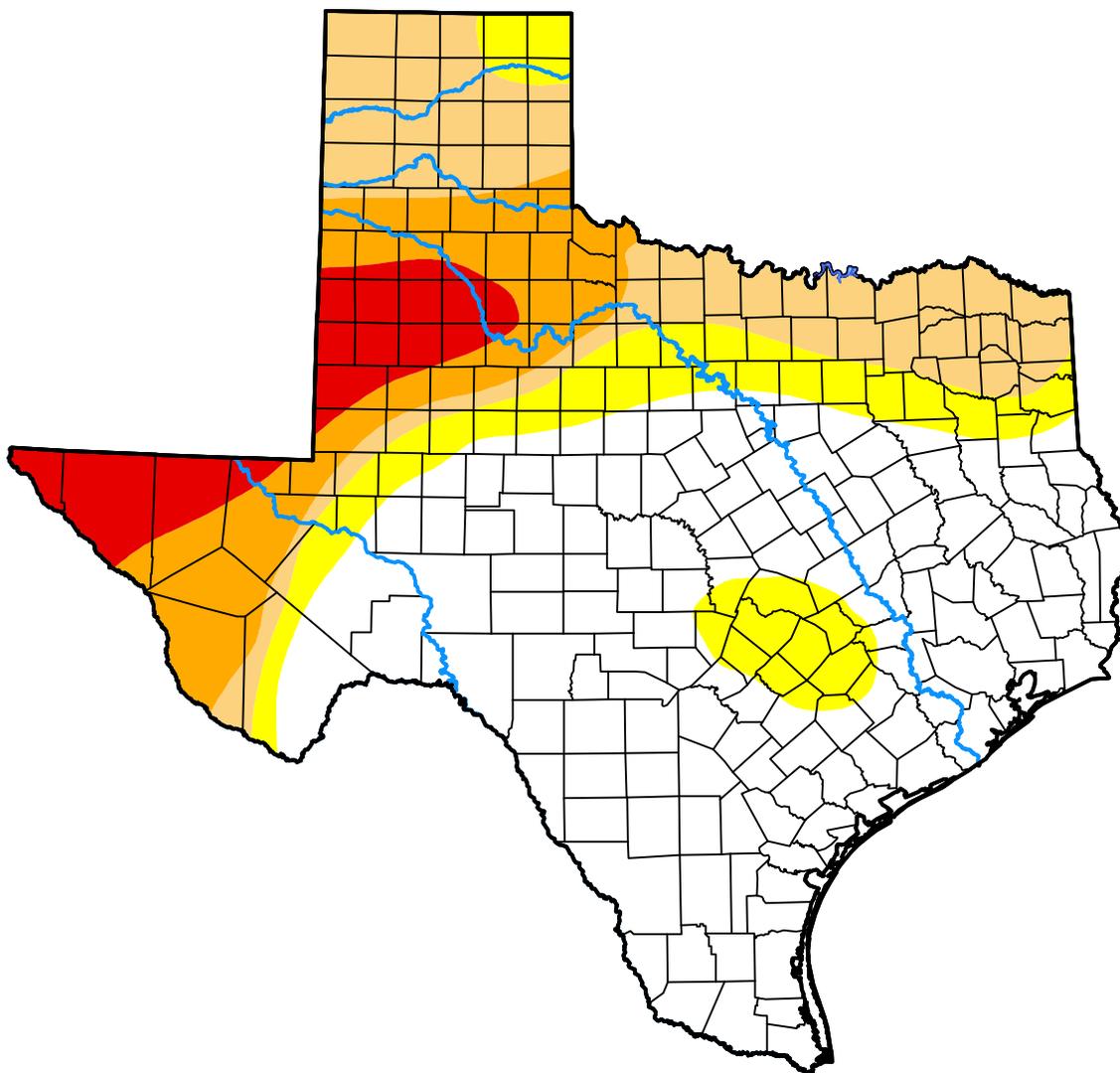
Texas

December 16, 2003
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	53.16	46.83	34.22	18.14	6.95	0.00
Last Week <i>12-11-2003</i>	52.22	47.77	35.01	17.82	6.84	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-18-2003</i>	47.06	52.93	26.88	14.25	3.12	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	86.62	13.38	7.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i>	58.24	41.75	21.40	11.40	3.06	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-19-2002</i>	86.06	13.93	8.00	0.00	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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