

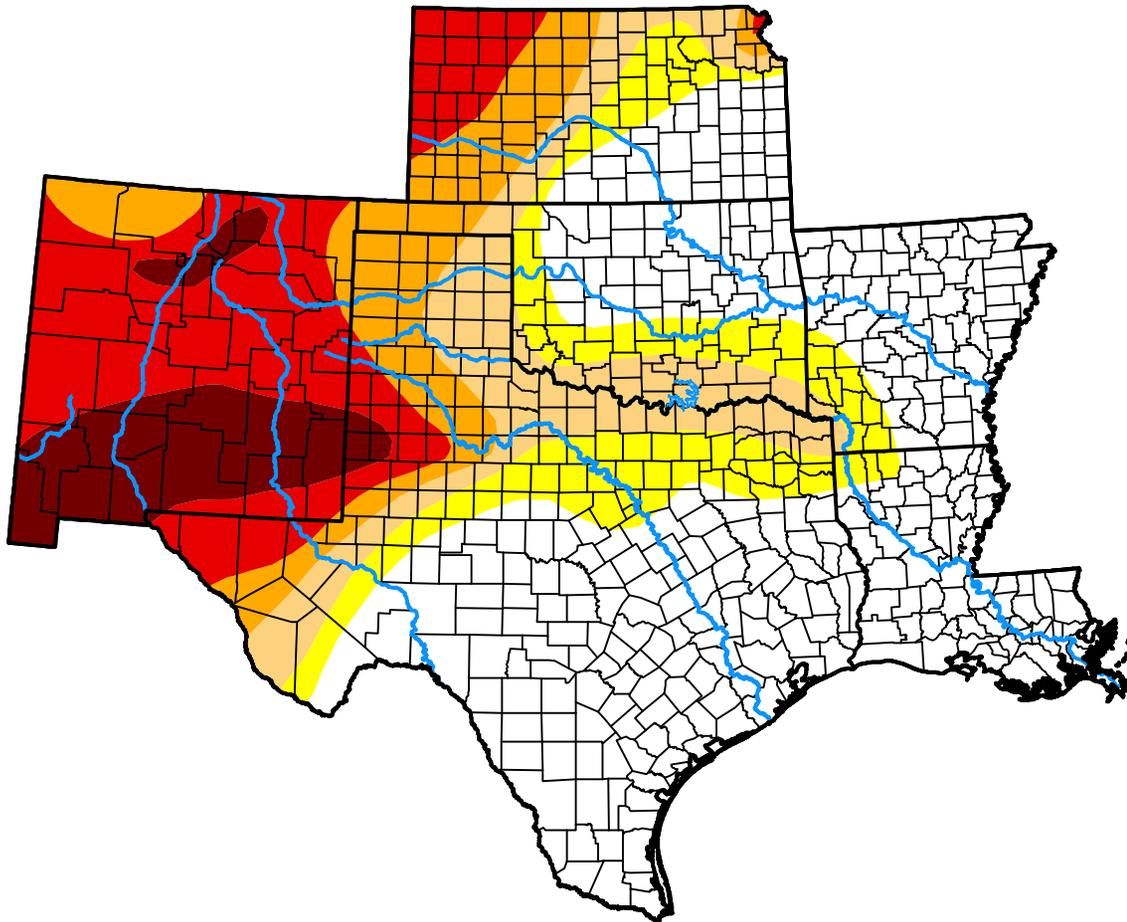
U.S. Drought Monitor

SCIPP

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 45.57 | 11.24 | 10.75 | 9.73 | 15.39 | 7.32 |
| Last Week <i>02-10-2004</i> | 45.39 | 11.49 | 10.99 | 9.16 | 15.65 | 7.32 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>11-18-2003</i> | 38.57 | 17.10 | 15.16 | 11.34 | 15.58 | 2.26 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i> | 40.28 | 14.76 | 10.85 | 13.32 | 16.44 | 4.35 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i> | 43.25 | 19.38 | 10.13 | 12.05 | 15.19 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>02-18-2003</i> | 65.00 | 11.81 | 14.54 | 7.46 | 1.19 | 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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