

# U.S. Drought Monitor

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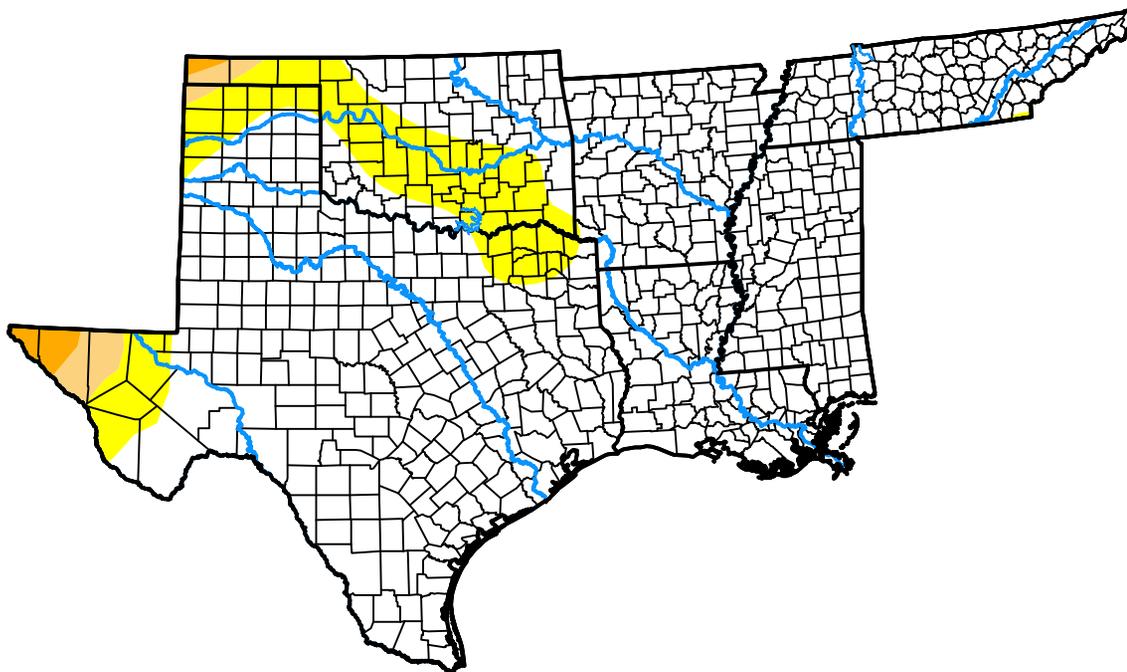
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	86.59	13.41	2.18	0.76	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-11-2004</i>	86.84	13.16	2.18	0.76	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-17-2004</i>	68.00	32.00	20.59	9.86	3.71	0.50
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	62.04	37.96	22.76	12.25	3.81	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	68.73	31.27	12.15	5.76	1.55	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-20-2003</i>	29.00	71.00	54.15	15.07	0.00	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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