

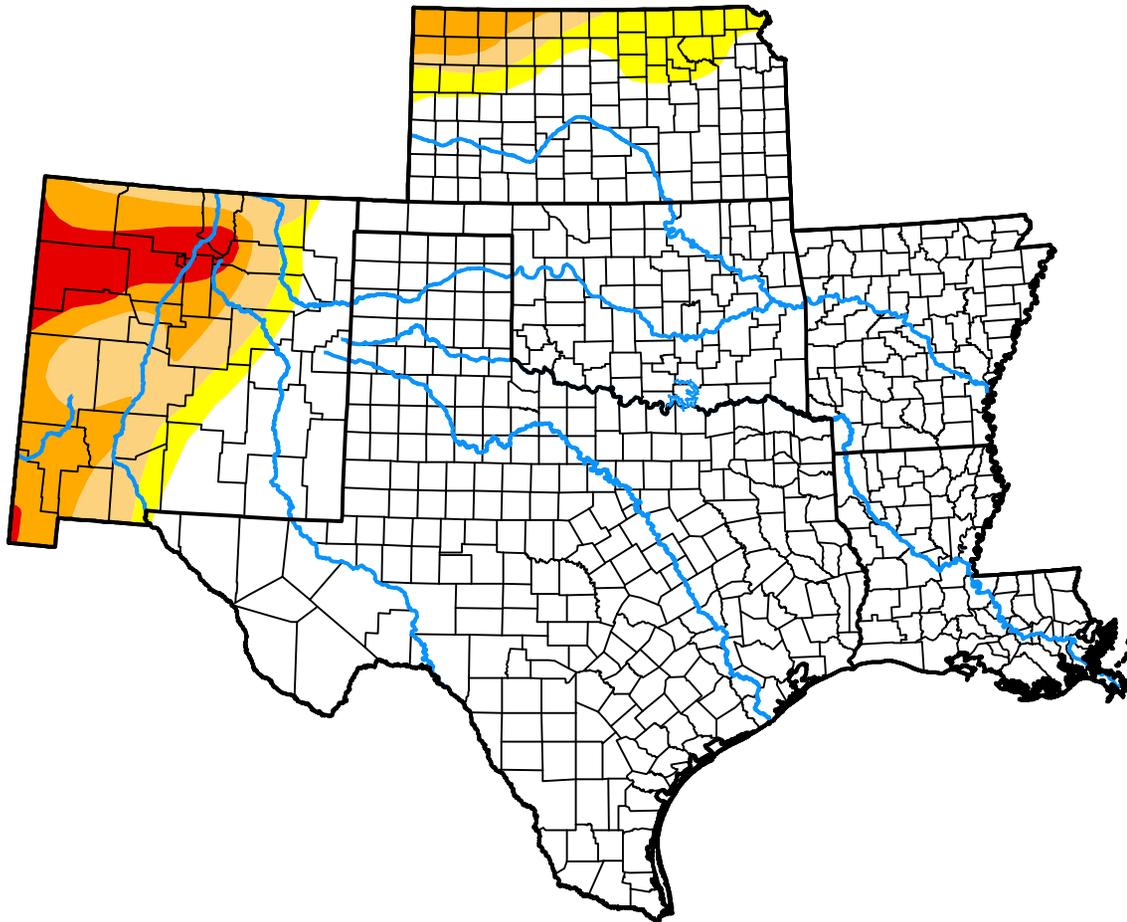
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

**December 7, 2004**  
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 9, 2004)  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	82.67	17.33	13.18	7.89	2.46	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-30-2004</i>	82.67	17.33	13.22	7.89	2.46	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-07-2004</i>	80.52	19.48	14.76	10.71	1.51	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	40.28	59.72	44.96	34.11	20.79	4.35
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	71.71	28.29	14.45	10.50	1.47	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-09-2003</i>	40.61	59.39	45.41	31.02	17.74	2.46



**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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