

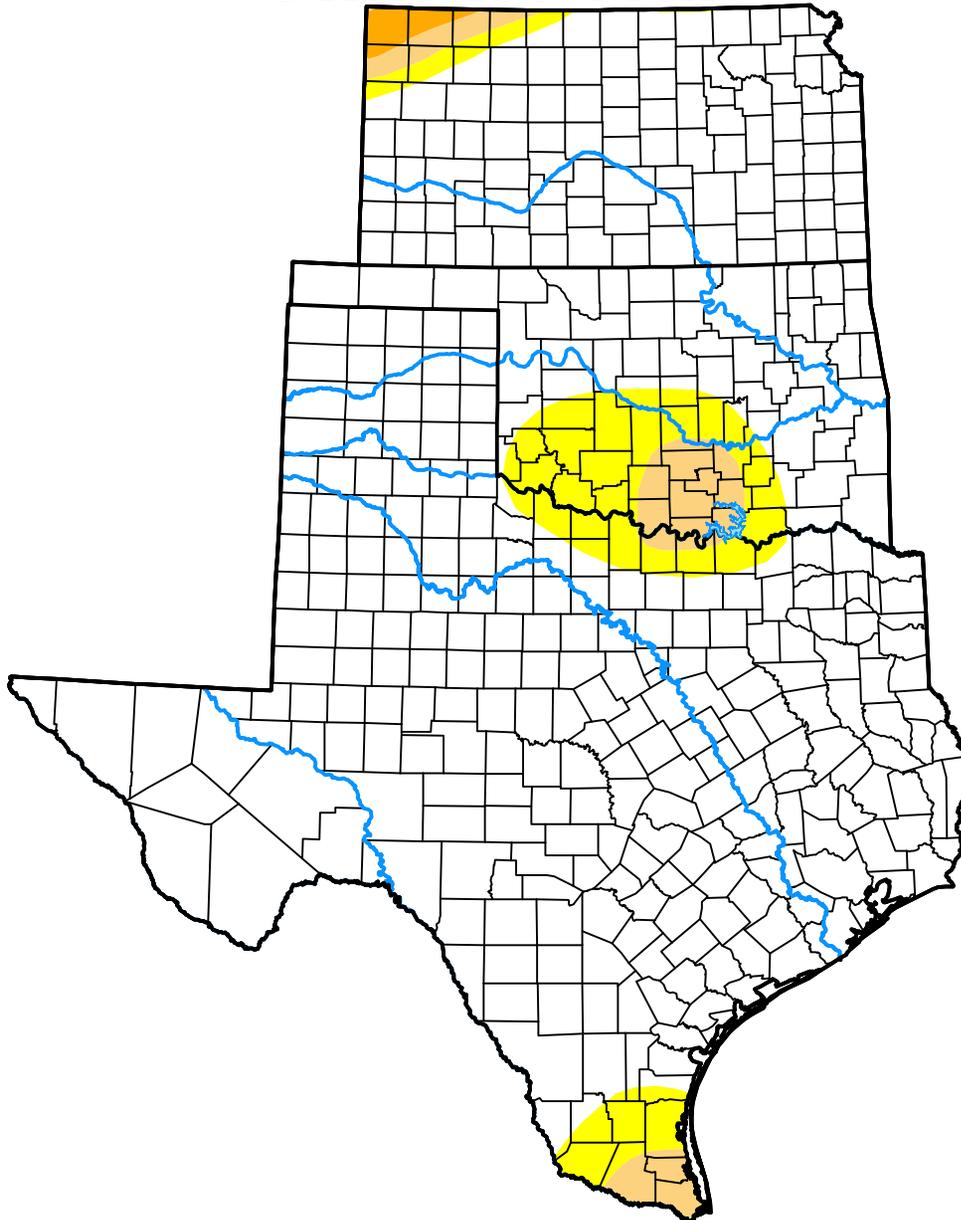
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	89.89	10.11	3.26	0.46	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-05-2005</i>	88.49	11.51	1.97	1.21	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-11-2005</i>	93.30	6.70	2.16	1.47	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2005</i>	93.18	6.82	2.46	1.25	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2004</i>	94.62	5.38	2.51	1.34	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-13-2004</i>	75.72	24.28	12.70	6.32	3.06	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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