

U.S. Drought Monitor

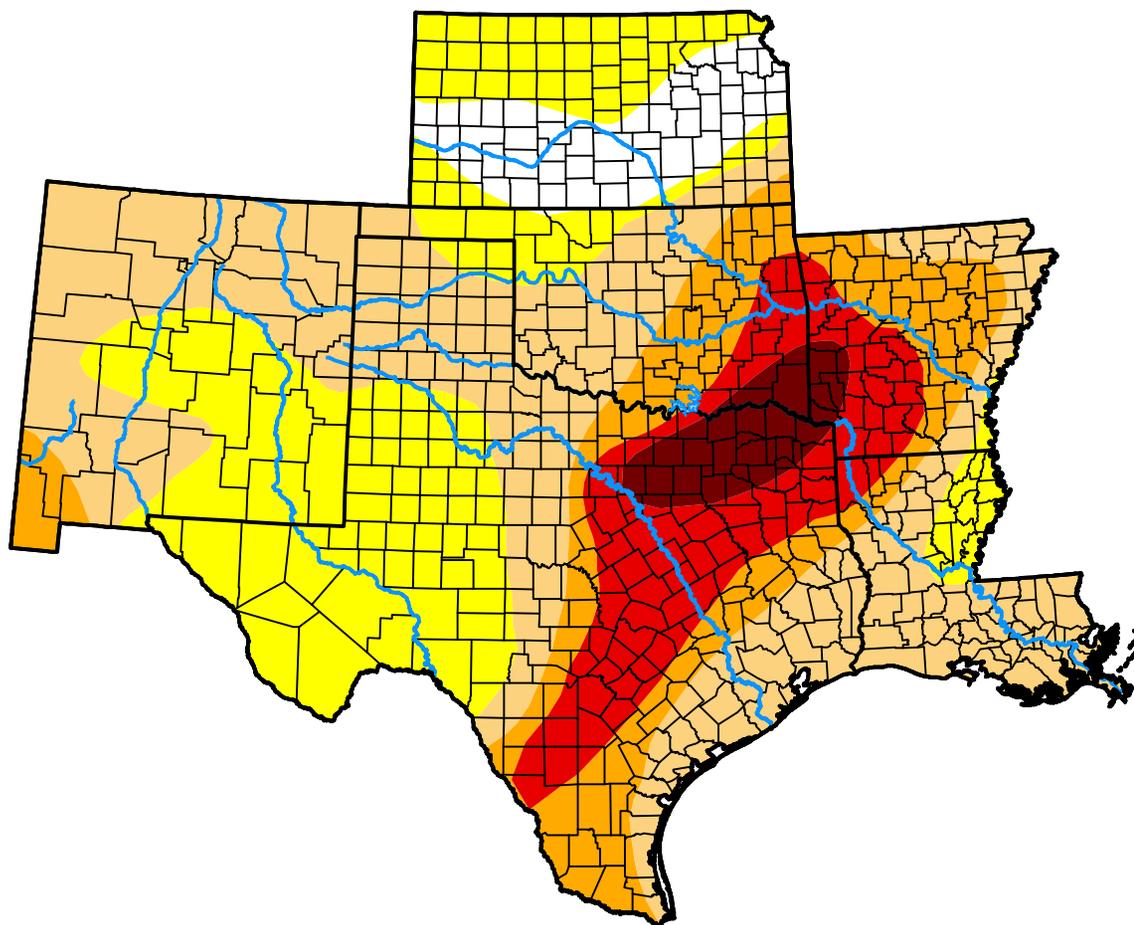
SCIPP

January 17, 2006
 (Released Thursday, Jan. 19, 2006)

Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	6.21	93.79	65.11	29.07	14.89	3.59
Last Week <i>01-10-2006</i>	13.36	86.64	55.11	28.28	14.89	3.08
3 Months Ago <i>10-18-2005</i>	56.89	43.11	16.08	2.55	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	16.08	83.92	49.05	27.70	11.56	2.88
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	62.46	37.54	14.98	2.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-18-2005</i>	82.41	17.59	13.37	7.26	2.34	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>

Author:

Mark Svoboda
 National Drought Mitigation Center

