

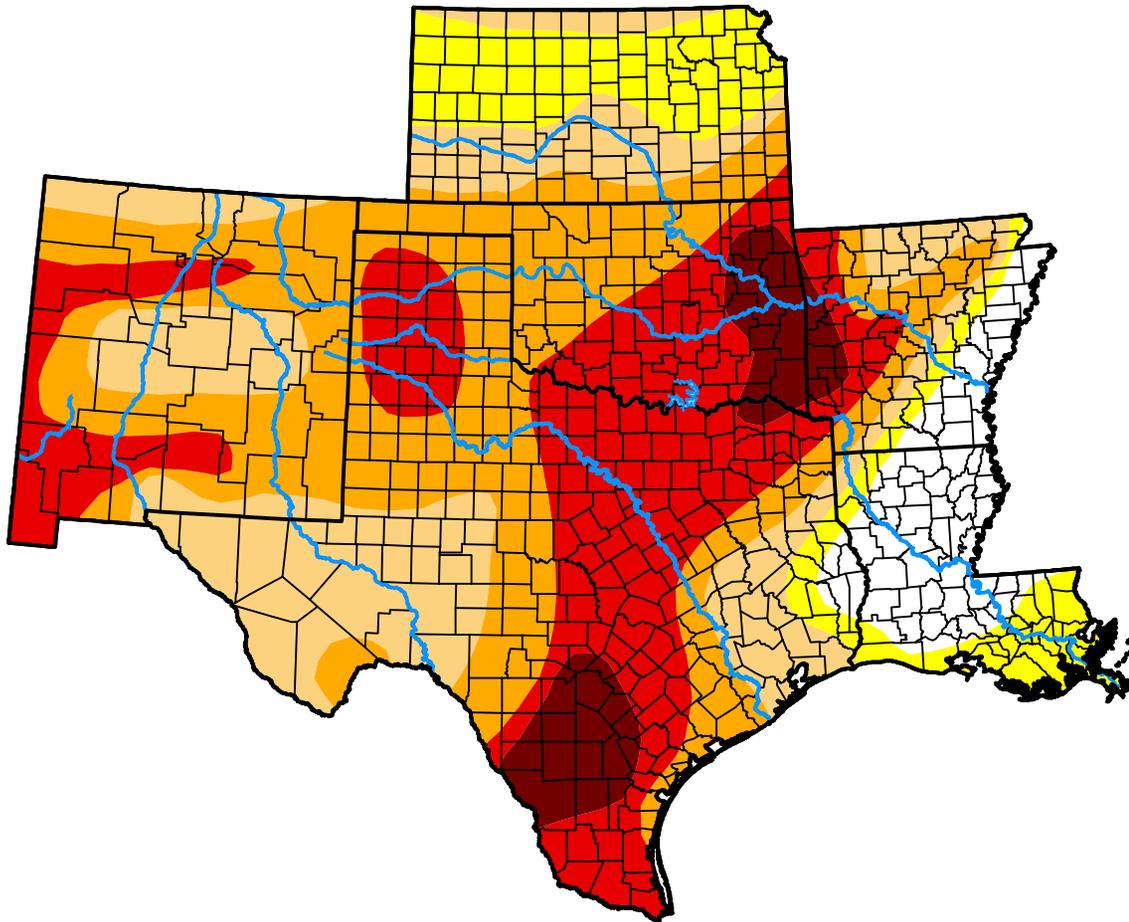
U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	7.09	92.91	82.57	59.90	30.25	5.75
Last Week <i>02-28-2006</i>	7.16	92.84	80.62	53.15	27.11	5.75
3 Months Ago <i>12-06-2005</i>	20.10	79.90	46.79	17.67	3.86	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>03-08-2005</i>	83.05	16.95	7.46	3.31	0.43	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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