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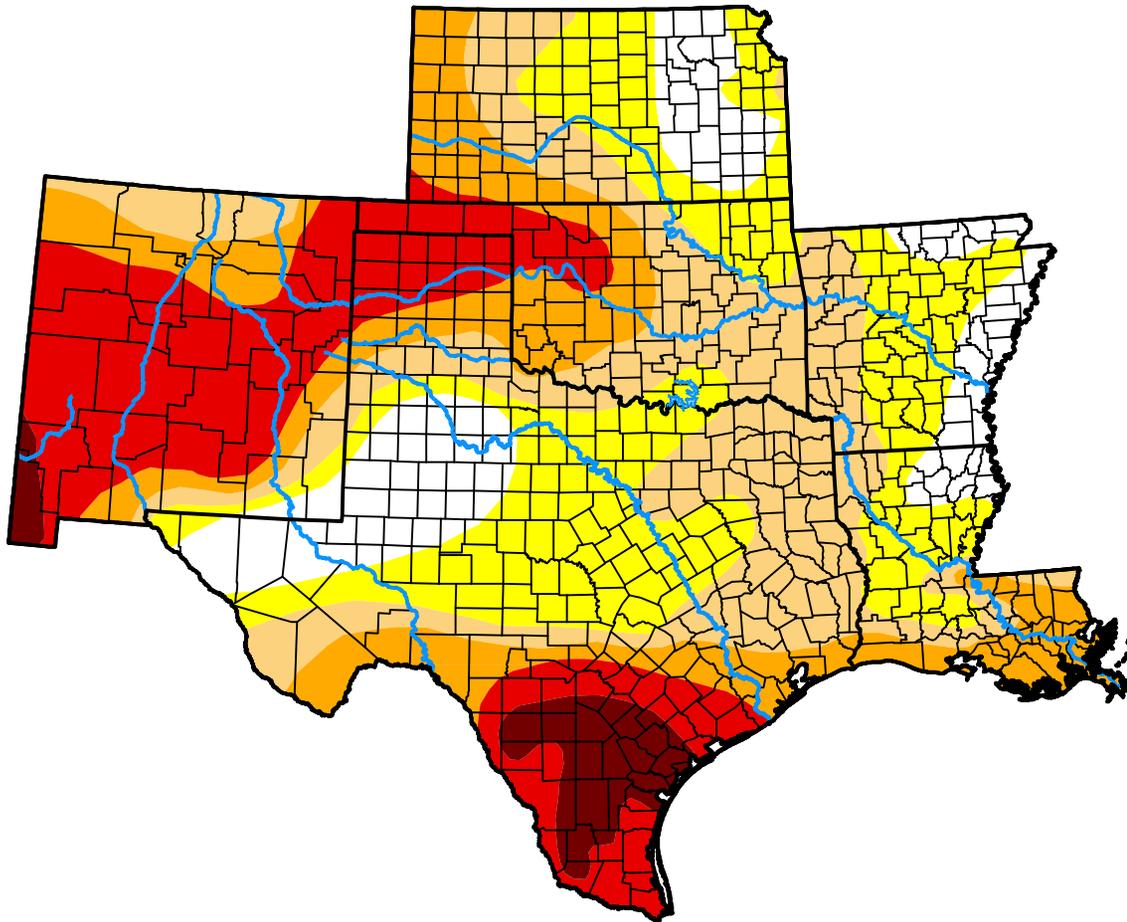
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	12.20	87.80	63.87	40.06	23.40	3.81
Last Week <i>05-16-2006</i>	12.28	87.72	58.70	39.77	22.97	3.81
3 Months Ago <i>02-21-2006</i>	7.77	92.23	78.73	51.31	24.44	3.01
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>05-24-2005</i>	46.44	53.56	19.90	3.42	0.00	0.00



Intensity:



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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