

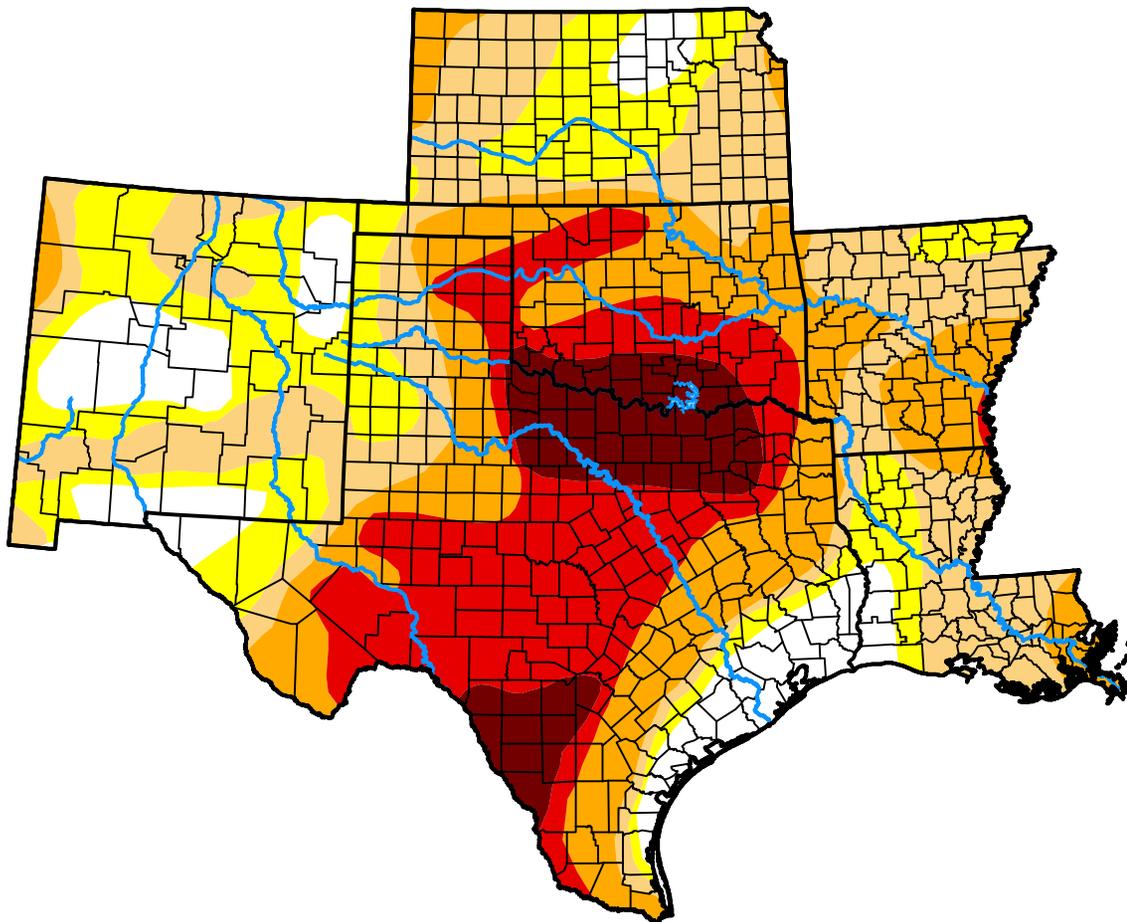
U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	10.43	89.57	70.96	46.78	24.75	7.49
Last Week <i>08-15-2006</i>	6.34	93.66	77.28	47.76	23.06	6.18
3 Months Ago <i>05-23-2006</i>	12.20	87.80	63.87	40.06	23.40	3.81
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>08-23-2005</i>	59.85	40.15	22.02	10.66	1.34	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>

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