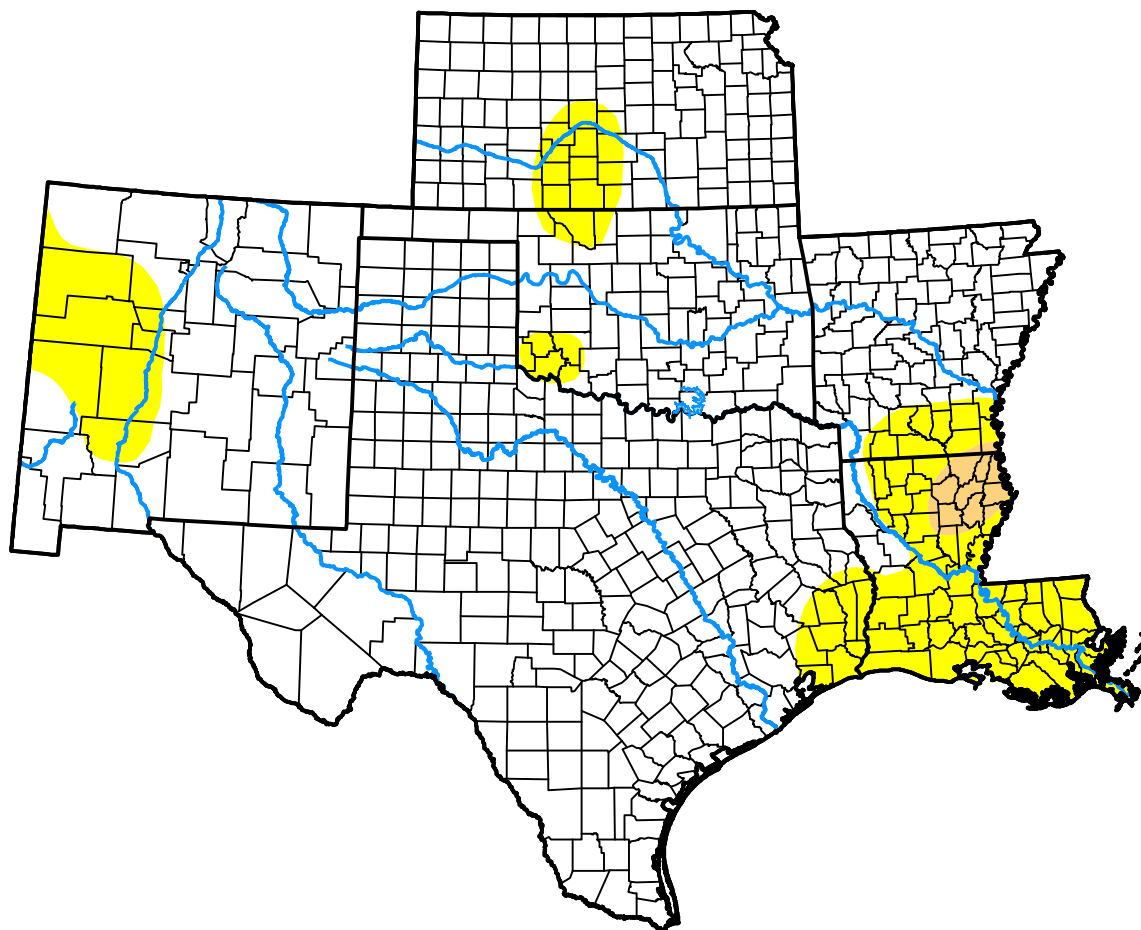


U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	84.62	15.38	0.93	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-13-2010</i>	83.54	16.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-19-2010</i>	75.77	24.23	4.98	1.42	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	80.56	19.44	4.82	1.39	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	77.35	22.65	12.11	9.11	5.11	1.30
One Year Ago <i>04-21-2009</i>	44.14	55.86	34.99	22.57	9.43	4.65

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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