

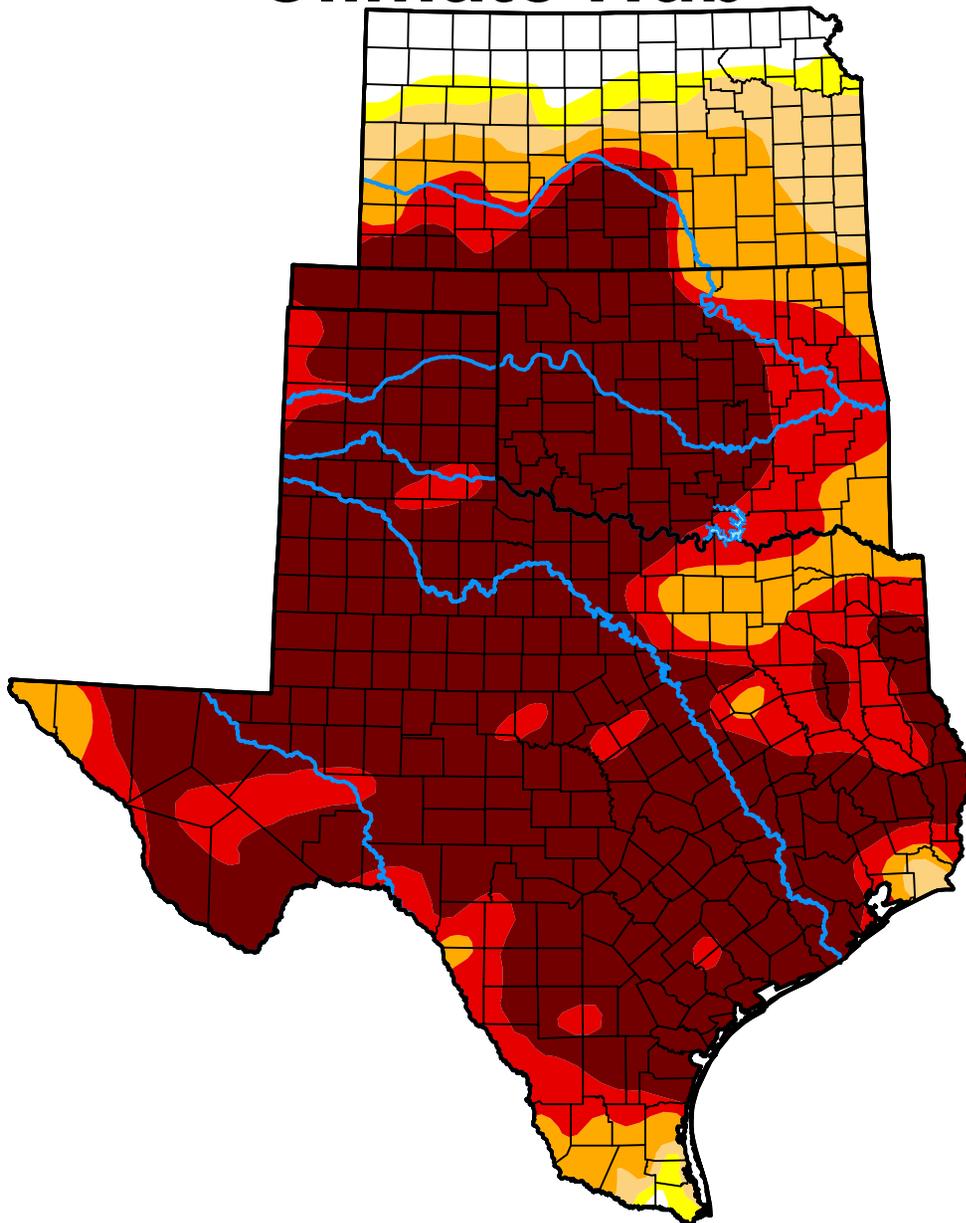
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

**August 2, 2011**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	4.88	95.12	93.05	88.28	77.50	60.33
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-26-2011</i>	5.82	94.18	90.64	85.52	73.05	58.82
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-03-2011</i>	6.14	93.86	86.55	72.58	53.41	17.43
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2011</i>	13.56	86.44	50.13	24.06	8.29	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2010</i>	75.52	24.48	2.25	0.63	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-03-2010</i>	90.56	9.44	2.27	0.37	0.00	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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