

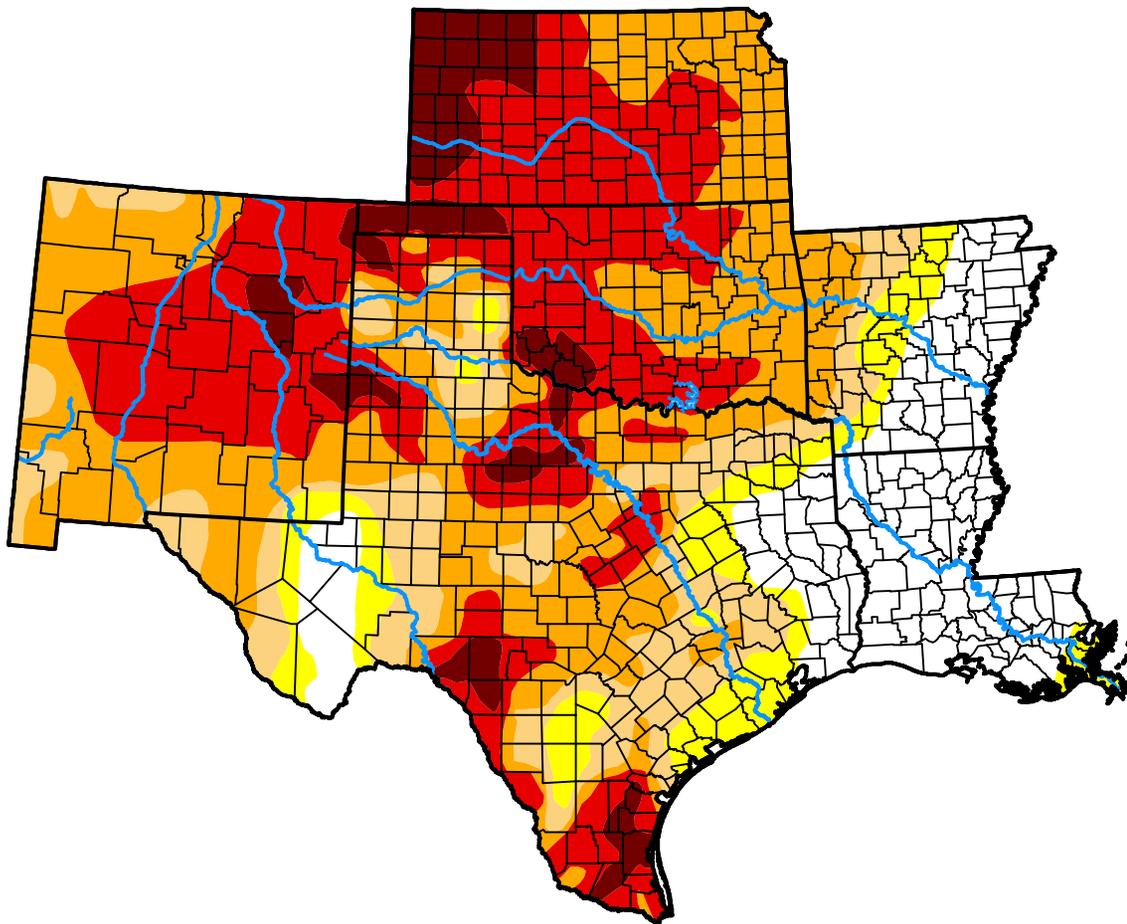
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## SCIPP

**February 26, 2013**  
 (Released Thursday, Feb. 28, 2013)  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	15.86	7.80	13.41	28.58	27.31	7.05
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-19-2013</i>	16.19	8.09	13.00	23.40	26.61	12.71
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-27-2012</i>	7.42	10.16	14.97	31.01	24.69	11.75
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	7.42	9.25	11.07	29.03	29.40	13.83
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	9.75	6.51	18.04	27.73	23.78	14.18
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-28-2012</i>	24.14	9.26	19.07	22.54	16.89	8.11



### 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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