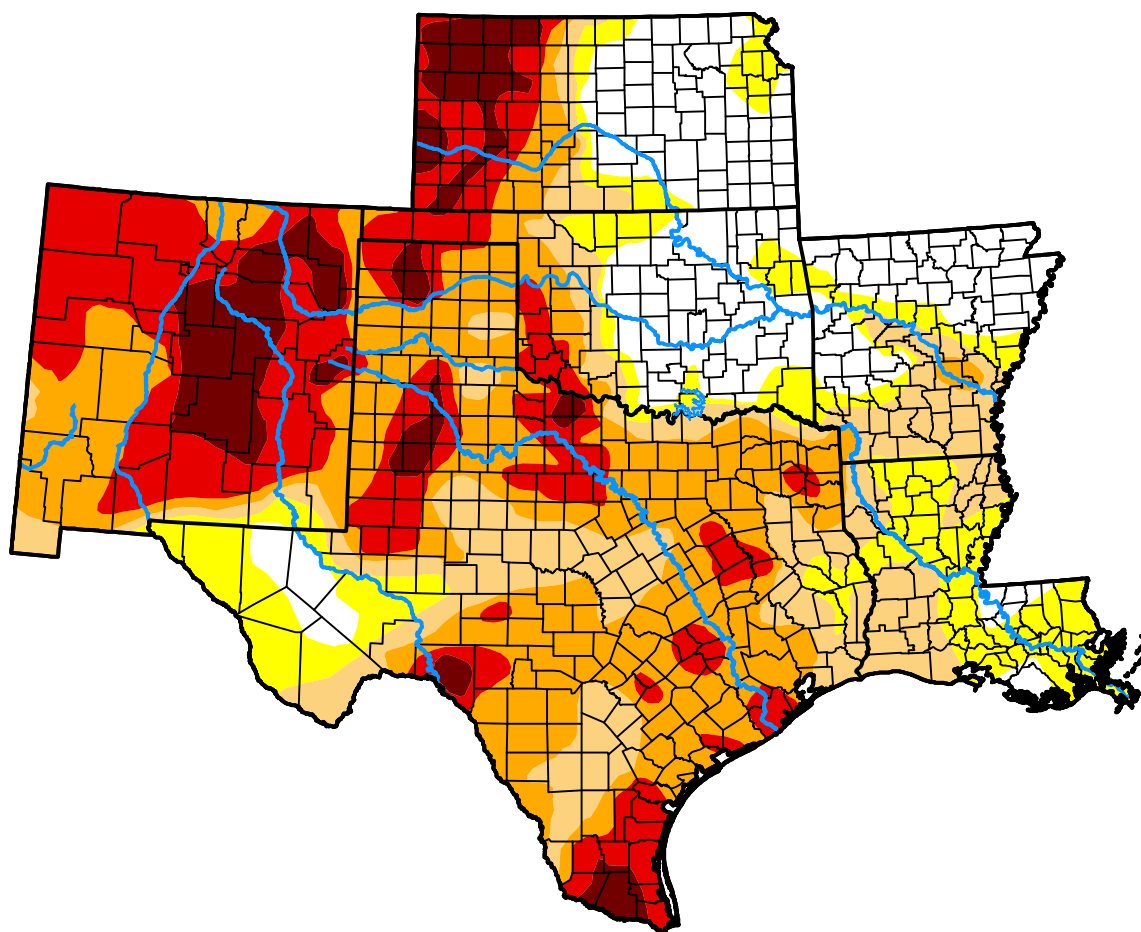


U.S. Drought Monitor

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	17.08	82.92	69.92	52.98	26.52	7.50
Last Week <i>08-06-2013</i>	14.71	85.29	71.21	55.43	30.40	10.15
3 Months Ago <i>05-14-2013</i>	15.96	84.04	75.75	61.85	40.26	17.21
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2013</i>	7.42	92.58	83.33	72.26	43.23	13.83
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	9.75	90.25	83.74	65.69	37.96	14.18
One Year Ago <i>08-14-2012</i>	8.91	91.09	85.74	66.91	38.80	17.20

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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