

# U.S. Drought Monitor

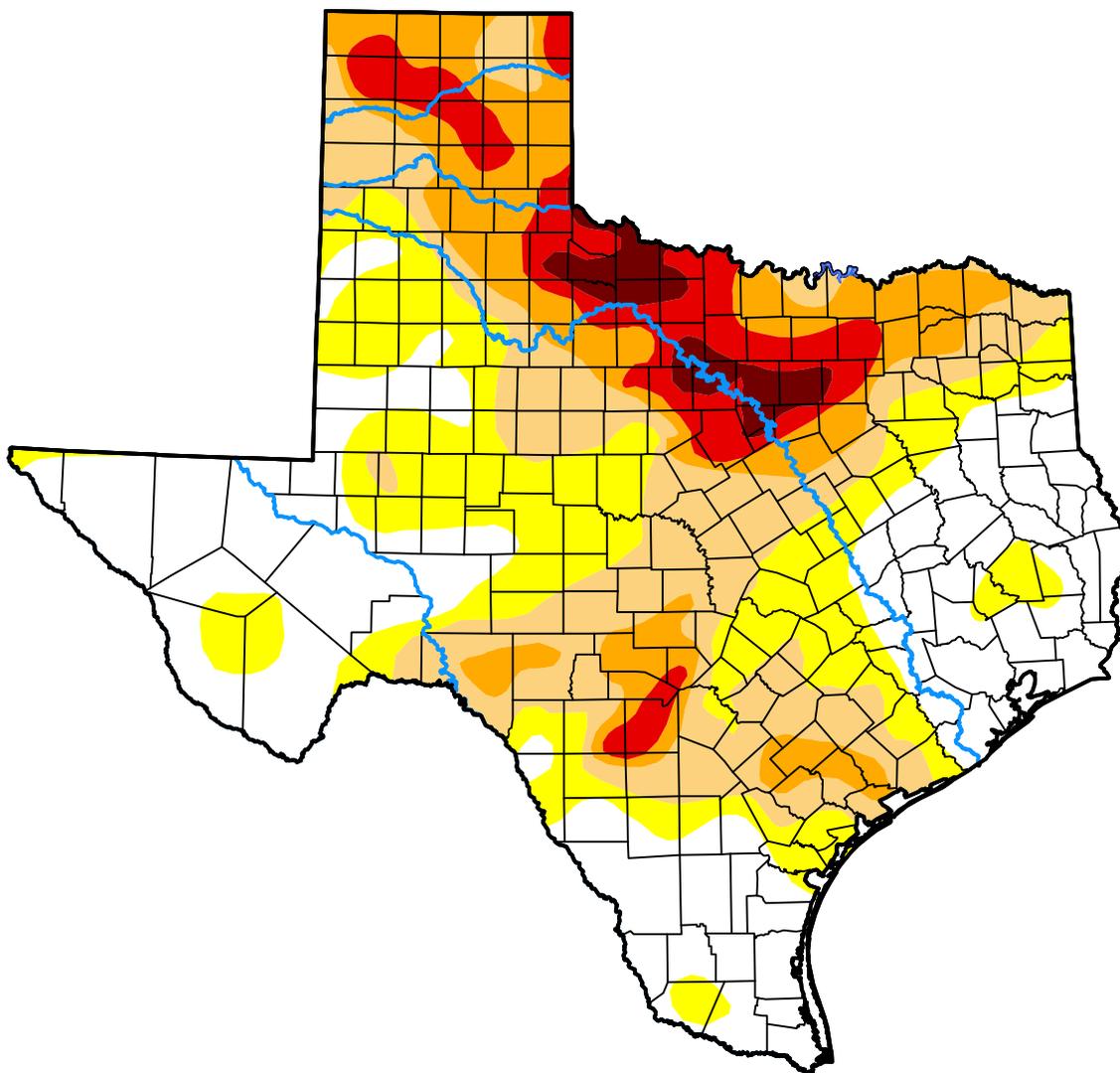
## Texas

**December 16, 2014**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	33.17	66.82	43.91	23.41	10.05	2.57
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-11-2014</i>	33.63	66.37	43.39	23.32	10.05	2.57
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-18-2014</i>	17.71	82.29	56.83	35.00	13.05	1.79
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	28.48	71.52	43.84	21.15	5.82	0.79
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2014</i>	28.91	71.08	48.95	29.54	11.26	2.69
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-19-2013</i>	25.79	74.20	46.80	22.74	6.71	1.17



***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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