

U.S. Drought Monitor

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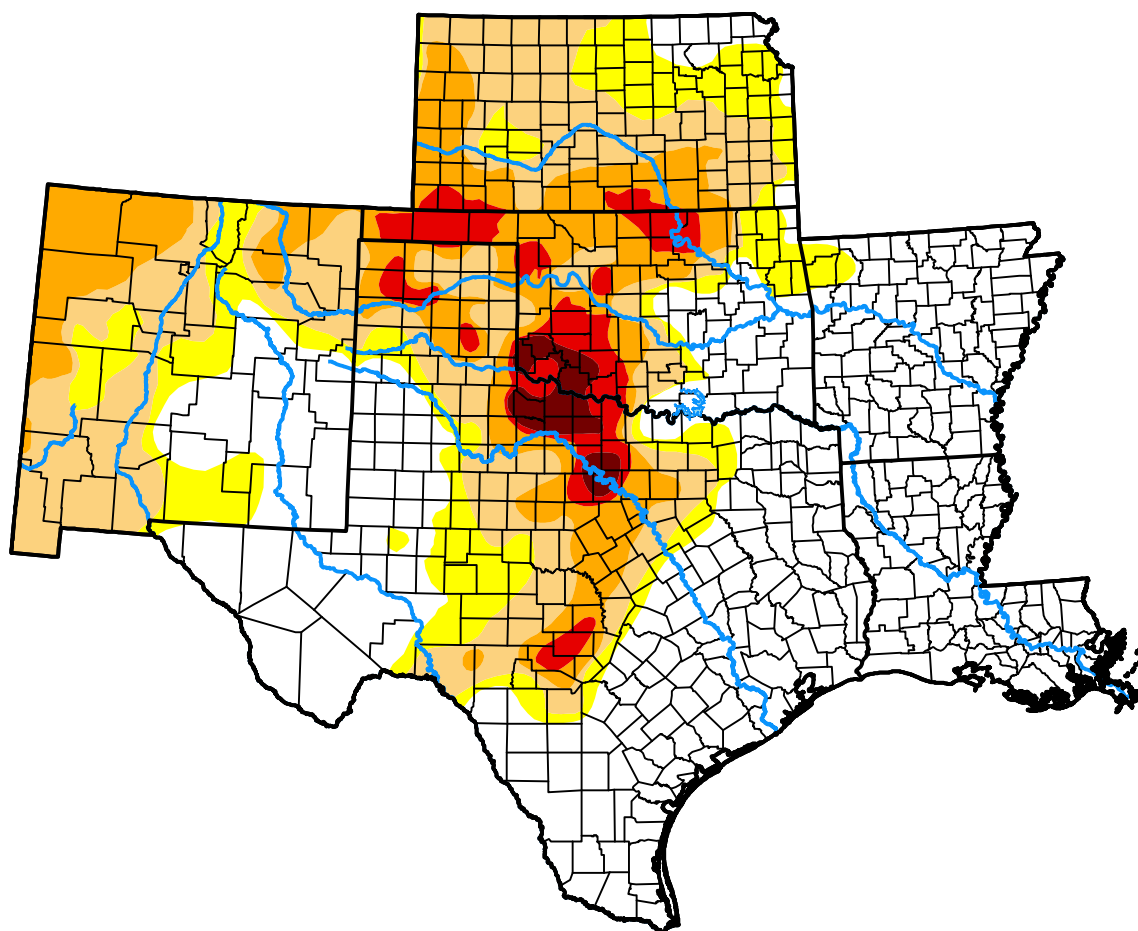
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	48.88	12.56	20.00	13.17	4.09	1.29
Last Week <i>04-21-2015</i>	45.82	13.34	18.89	13.49	6.49	1.97
3 Months Ago <i>01-27-2015</i>	31.86	26.47	18.82	14.77	6.19	1.89
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	28.40	27.01	21.55	14.81	6.29	1.94
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	29.57	23.45	20.14	18.04	7.18	1.63
One Year Ago <i>04-29-2014</i>	15.83	12.83	17.73	24.12	19.11	10.38



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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