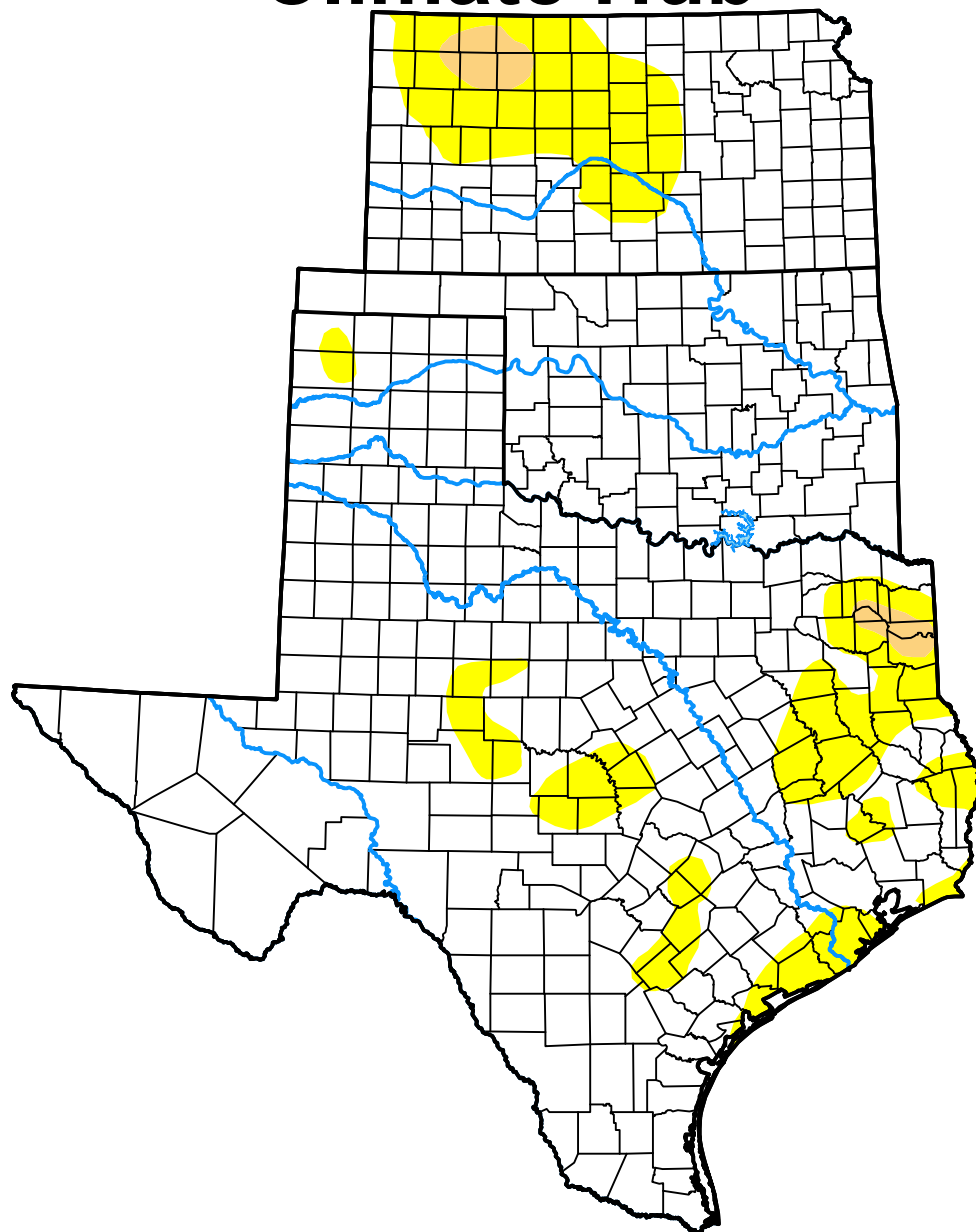


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	85.15	13.75	1.10	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-21-2015	93.05	6.26	0.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-28-2015	44.03	13.14	19.65	14.93	6.26	1.98
Start of Calendar Year 12-30-2014	29.97	23.86	19.37	15.28	8.55	2.97
Start of Water Year 09-30-2014	23.45	24.07	20.13	21.22	8.64	2.49
One Year Ago 07-29-2014	12.50	20.98	28.89	22.86	12.13	2.62

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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