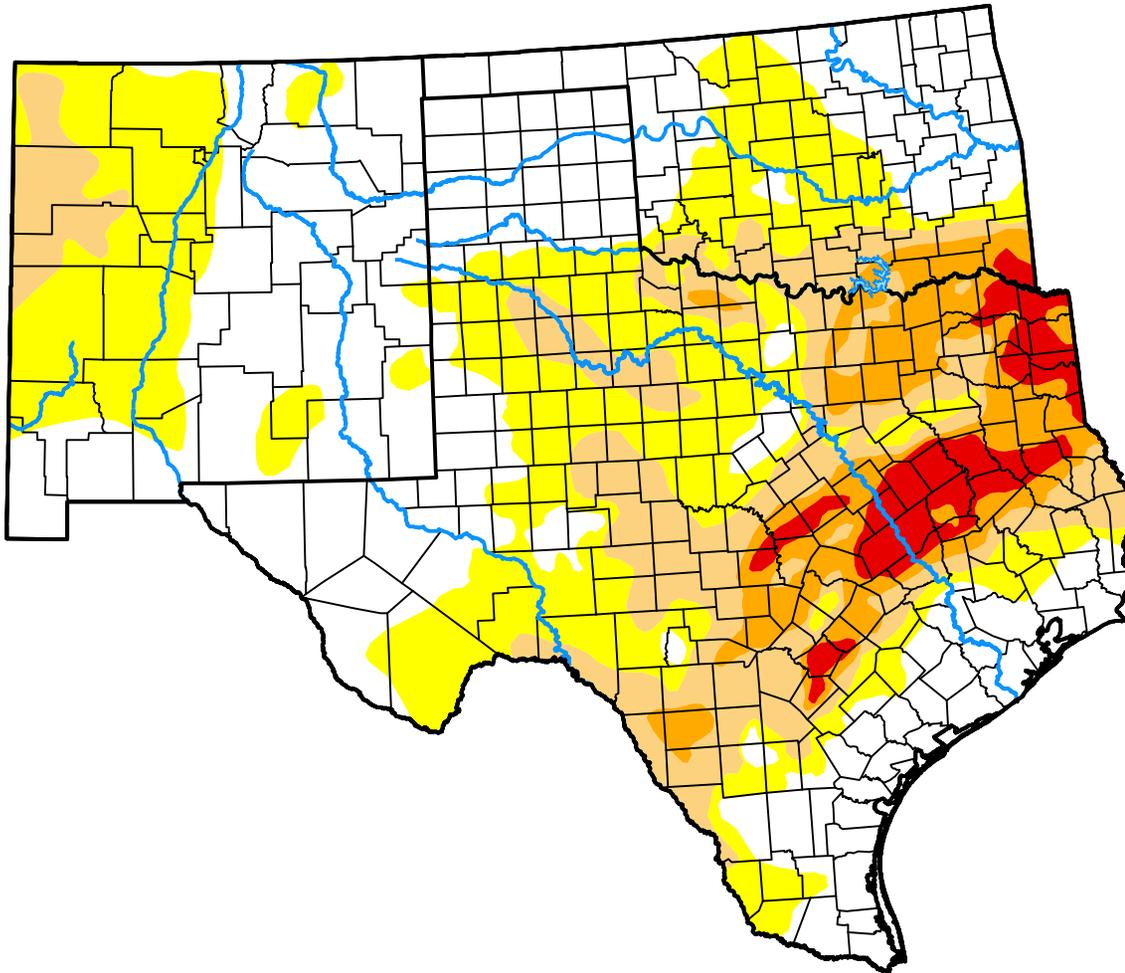


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	43.19	56.81	26.94	11.17	3.79	0.00
Last Week <i>09-22-2015</i>	44.35	55.65	21.94	8.66	2.84	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-30-2015</i>	83.53	16.47	5.87	1.10	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	27.08	72.92	52.85	28.94	11.11	2.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	22.55	77.45	56.30	34.05	11.89	2.28
One Year Ago <i>09-30-2014</i>	22.55	77.45	56.30	34.05	11.89	2.28

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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