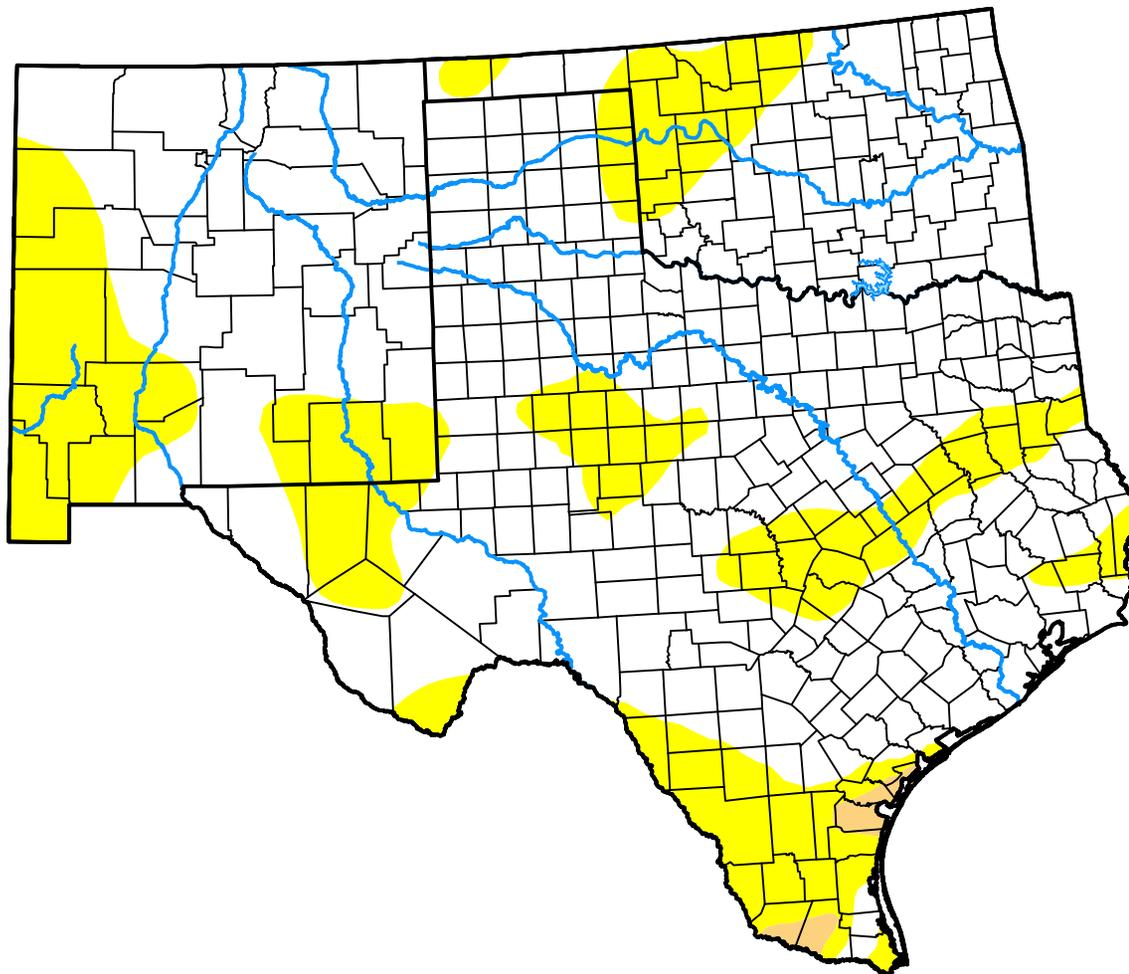


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	73.79	26.21	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-23-2016</i>	80.05	19.95	0.46	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-01-2015</i>	88.74	11.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	90.39	9.61	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	43.19	56.81	26.94	11.17	3.79	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-03-2015</i>	26.15	73.85	53.01	28.17	12.05	2.84

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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