

U.S. Drought Monitor

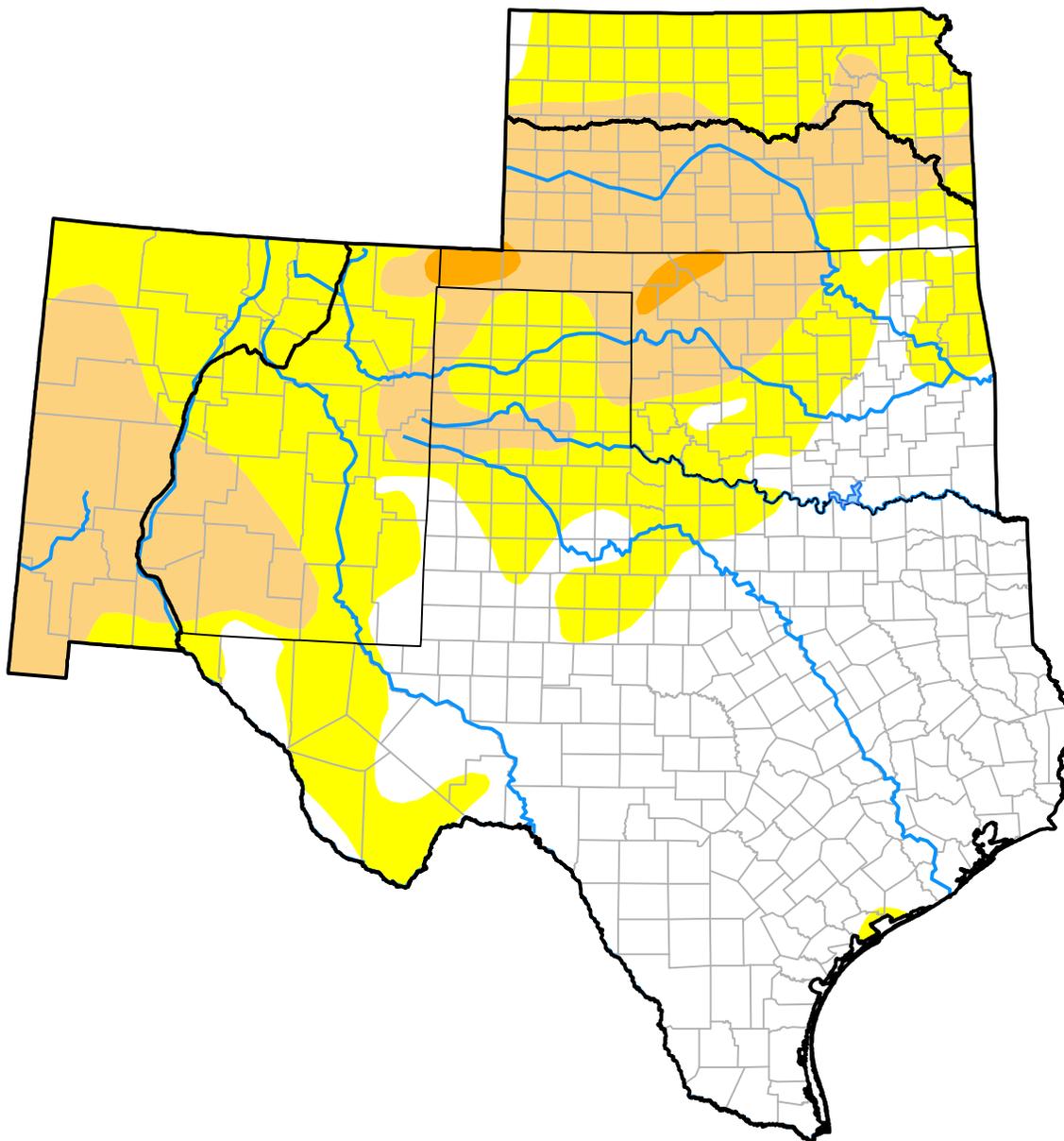
Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 49.01 | 31.98 | 18.11 | 0.90 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>04-07-2016</i> | 47.94 | 33.48 | 18.58 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>01-14-2016</i> | 96.56 | 3.44 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i> | 90.39 | 9.61 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i> | 43.19 | 29.88 | 15.77 | 7.38 | 3.79 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>04-16-2015</i> | 39.47 | 13.54 | 19.78 | 12.47 | 11.16 | 3.58 |



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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