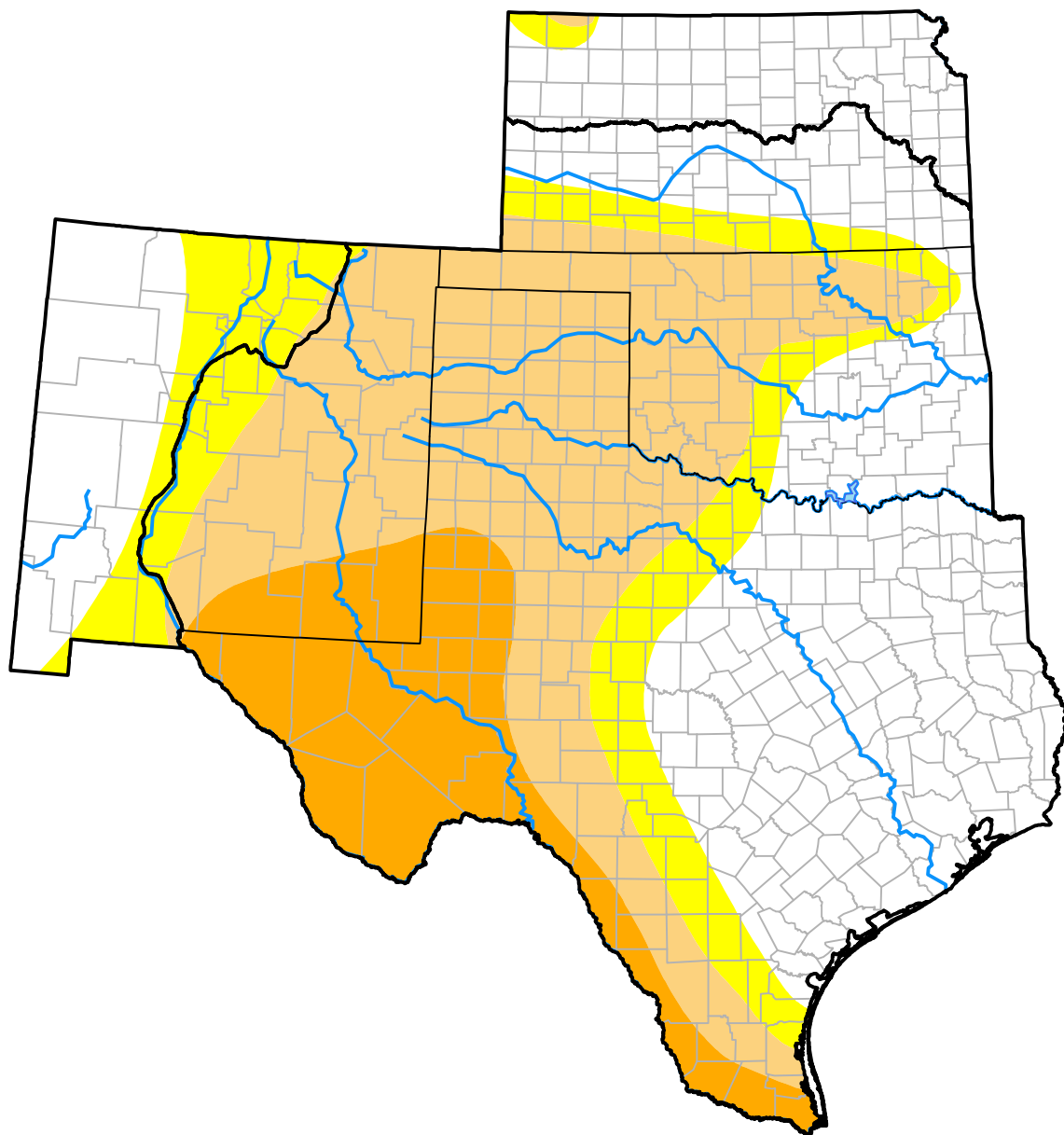


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**October 30, 2001**  
*(Released Thursday, Nov. 1, 2001)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 37.87 | 13.60 | 33.25 | 15.27 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>10-25-2001</i>              | 42.71 | 19.59 | 22.94 | 14.76 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-02-2001</i>           | 23.10 | 18.69 | 37.69 | 18.45 | 2.07 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2001</i> | 68.19 | 21.50 | 9.34  | 0.97  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-27-2001</i>    | 46.30 | 25.39 | 17.64 | 10.67 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>11-02-2000</i>           | 18.56 | 22.37 | 43.30 | 13.53 | 2.24 | 0.00 |

### 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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