

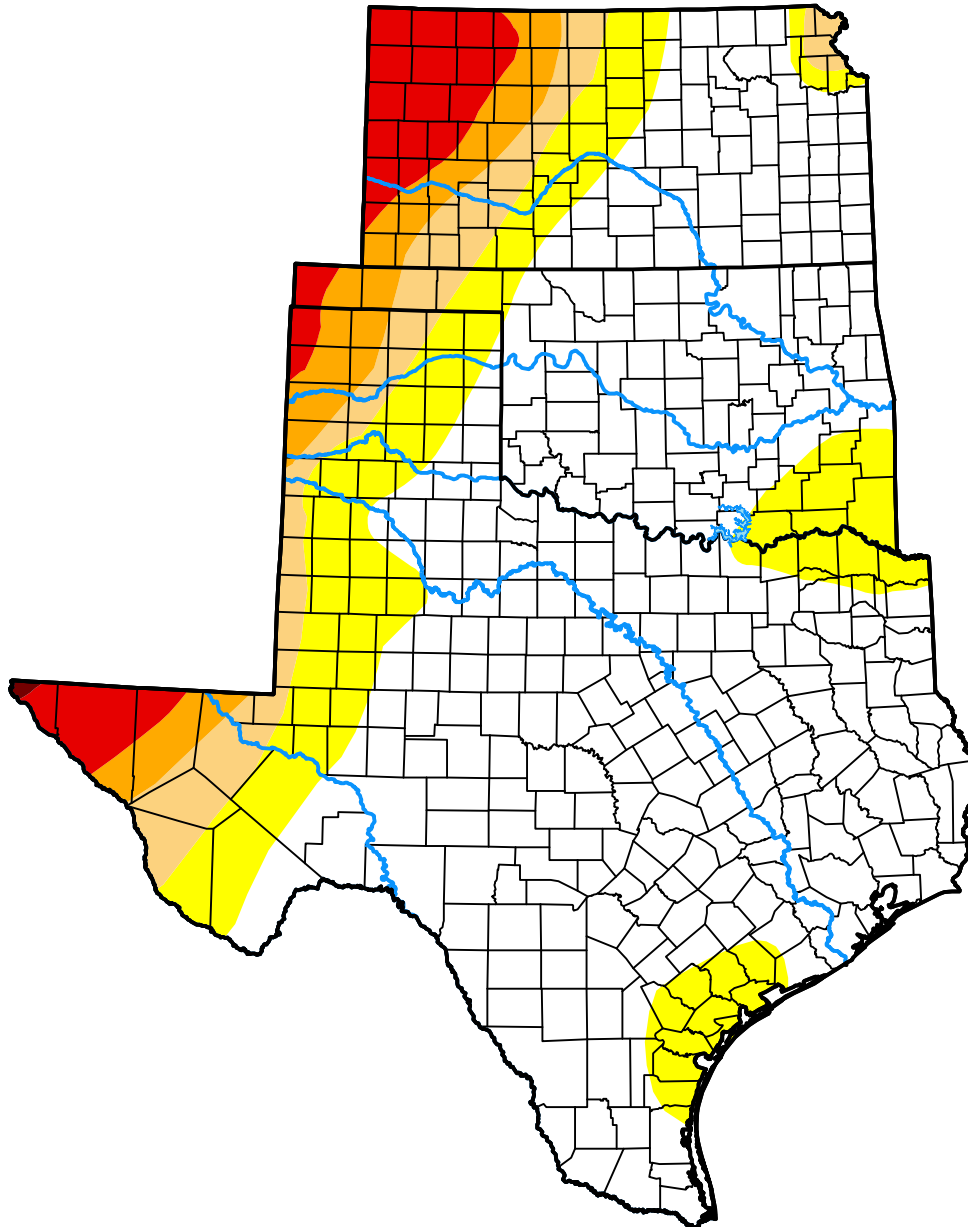
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

**March 30, 2004**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	67.35	16.47	6.30	4.76	5.06	0.06
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-23-2004</i>	67.35	16.47	6.23	4.83	5.06	0.06
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	39.59	20.77	16.54	14.38	8.72	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2003</i>	39.59	20.77	16.54	14.38	8.72	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2003</i>	42.24	29.68	14.38	11.56	2.15	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-01-2003</i>	61.51	29.09	5.20	3.64	0.55	0.00



***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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