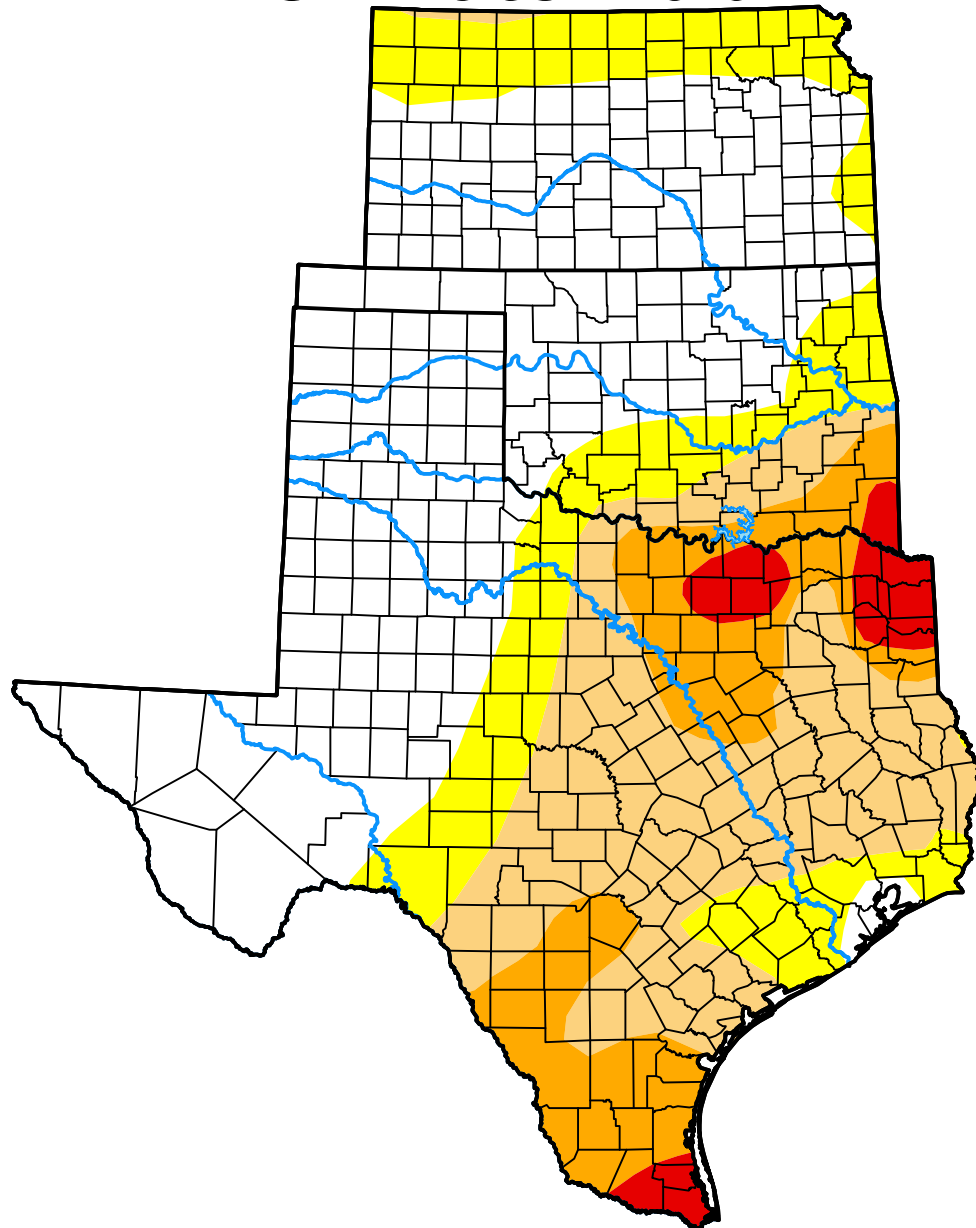


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	47.01	17.18	21.48	11.22	3.11	0.00
Last Week 07-12-2005	51.93	9.52	20.71	13.69	4.14	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-19-2005	88.37	6.88	4.29	0.46	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-04-2005	93.18	4.36	1.22	1.25	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-28-2004	94.62	2.87	1.17	1.34	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 07-20-2004	74.18	19.89	3.92	2.01	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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