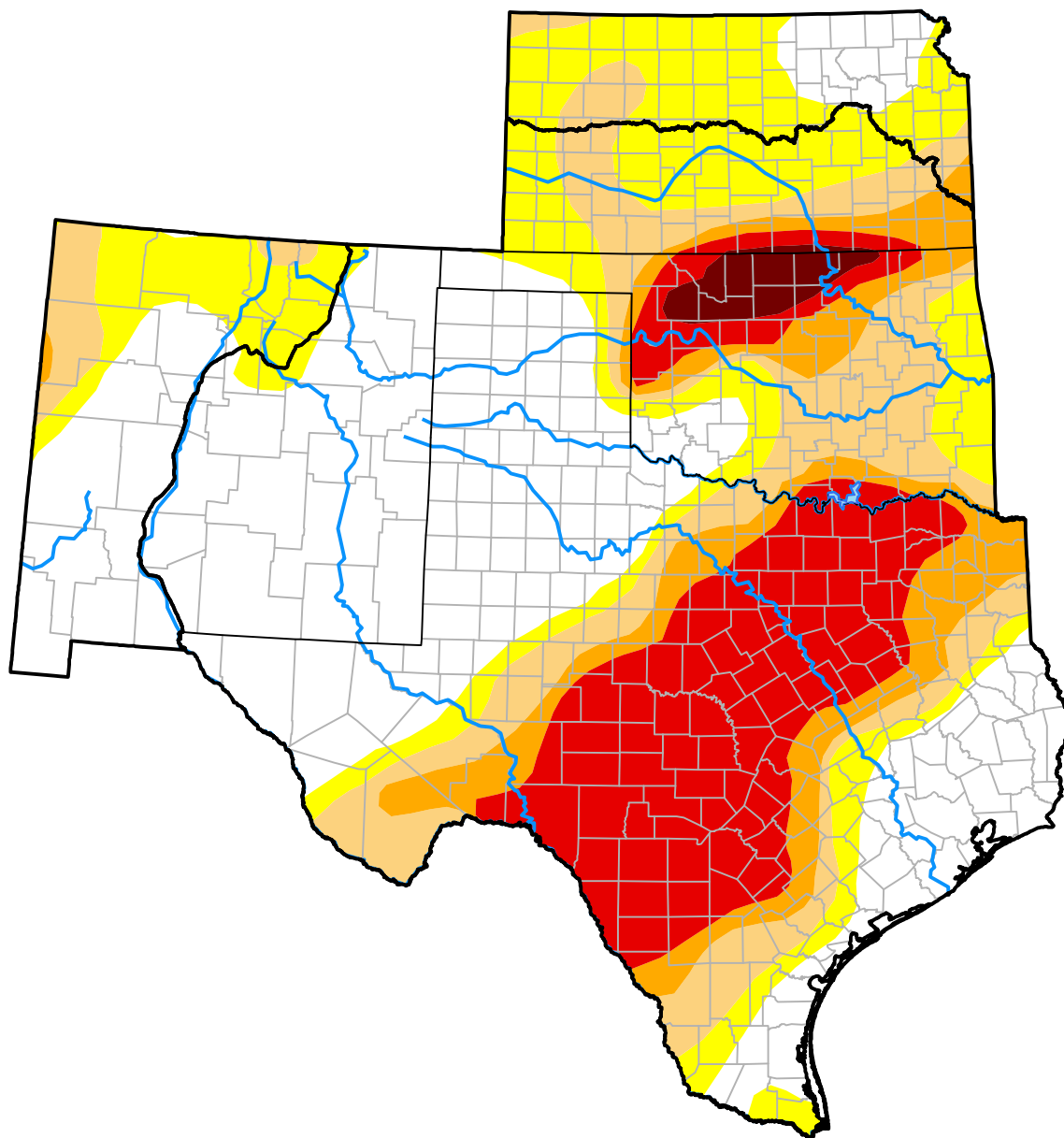


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains RDEWS

**November 28, 2006**  
*(Released Thursday, Nov. 30, 2006)*  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 44.99 | 12.22 | 13.05 | 8.93  | 19.23 | 1.57  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>11-22-2006</i>              | 45.60 | 13.21 | 12.80 | 13.93 | 13.34 | 1.11  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>08-31-2006</i>           | 13.94 | 17.37 | 19.84 | 16.59 | 22.01 | 10.24 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2006</i> | 7.80  | 37.38 | 26.09 | 14.64 | 10.81 | 3.28  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2006</i>    | 35.09 | 16.42 | 15.95 | 18.23 | 13.37 | 0.95  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>12-01-2005</i>           | 14.12 | 46.11 | 20.37 | 16.19 | 3.21  | 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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