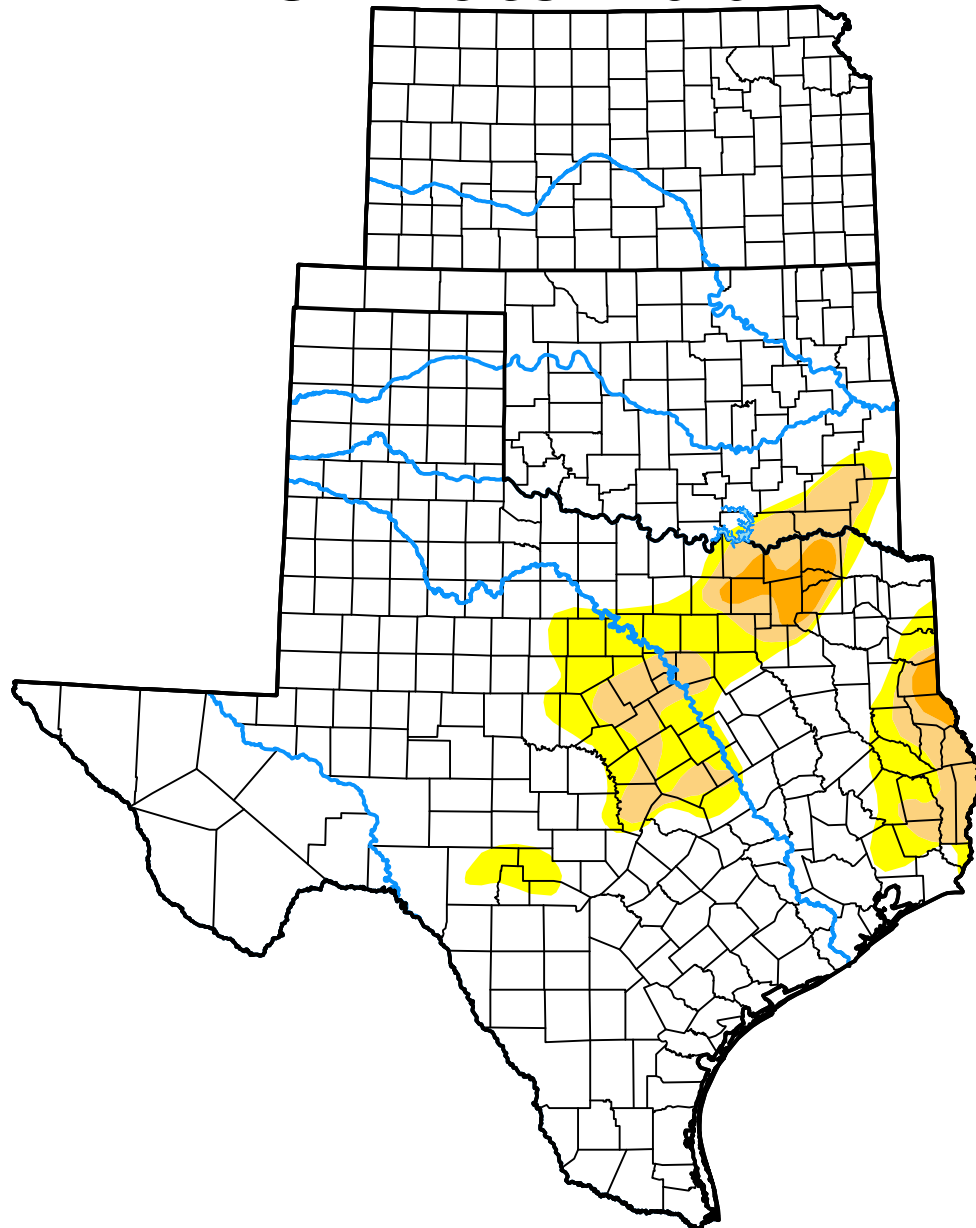


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	87.90	12.10	5.47	1.06	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>06-29-2010</i>	79.35	20.65	9.44	2.52	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-06-2010</i>	97.38	2.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	82.78	17.22	4.44	1.47	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	76.66	23.34	17.67	13.94	7.82	1.99
One Year Ago <i>07-07-2009</i>	48.26	51.74	29.65	18.30	14.20	8.94

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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