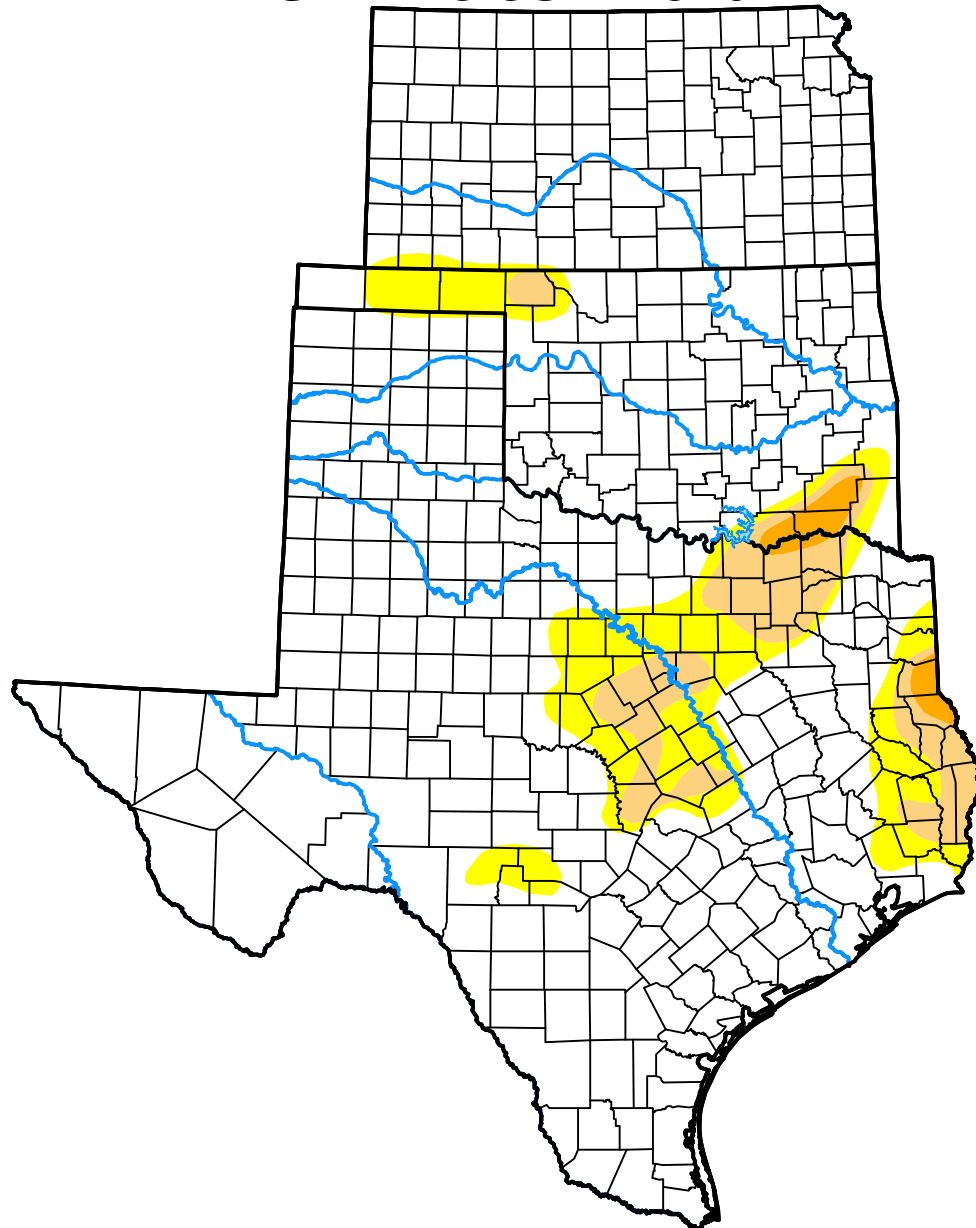


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	85.92	14.08	5.70	0.86	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-13-2010	87.90	12.10	5.47	1.06	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-20-2010	94.41	5.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2009	82.78	17.22	4.44	1.47	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2009	76.66	23.34	17.67	13.94	7.82	1.99
One Year Ago 07-21-2009	43.72	56.28	28.64	18.81	15.66	10.48

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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