

U.S. Drought Monitor

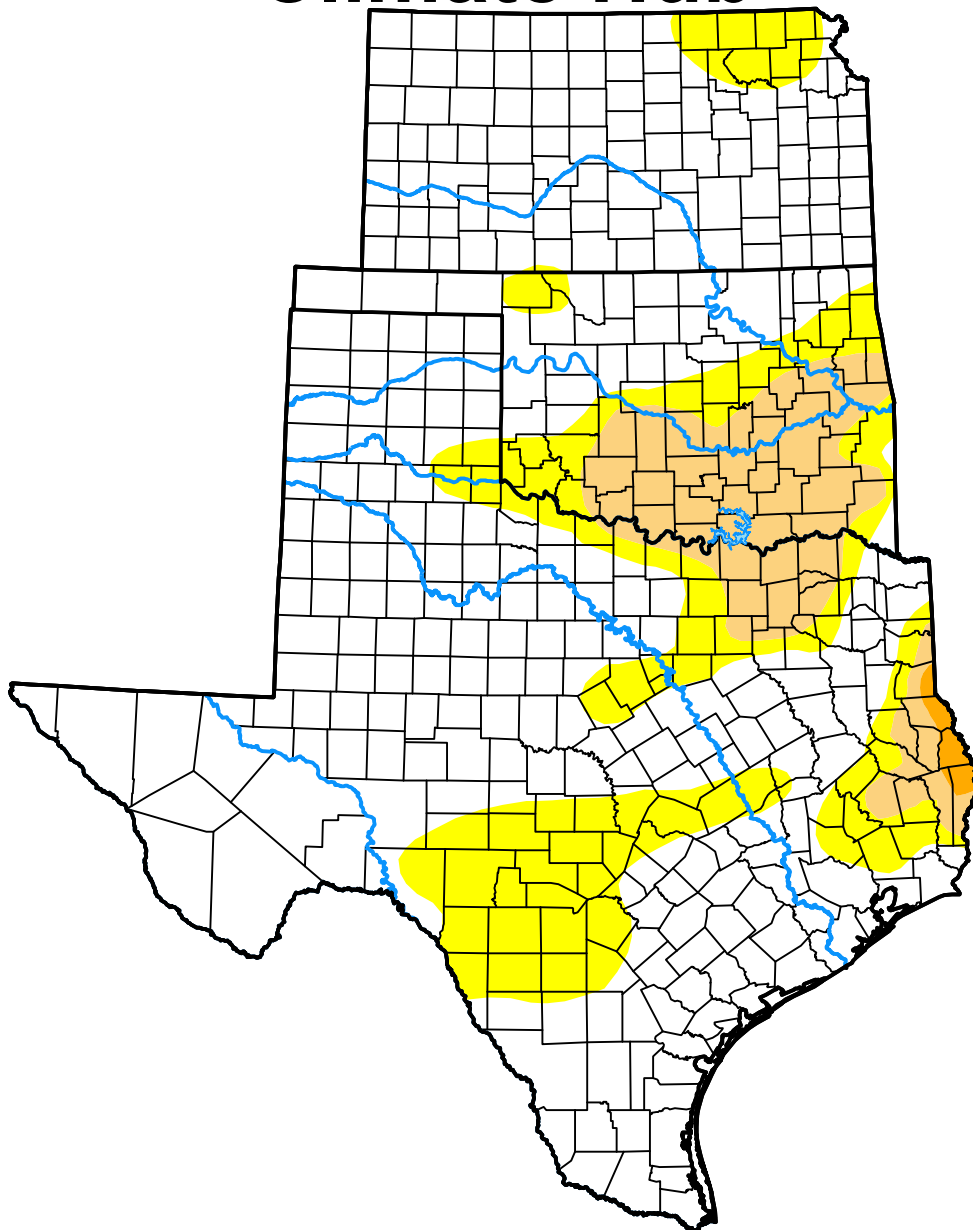
USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| Current | 73.08 | 26.92 | 9.63 | 0.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>08-17-2010</i> | 80.28 | 19.72 | 3.54 | 0.43 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>05-25-2010</i> | 91.17 | 8.83 | 3.34 | 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>08-25-2009</i> | 63.24 | 36.76 | 23.15 | 18.31 | 16.81 | 11.95 |



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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