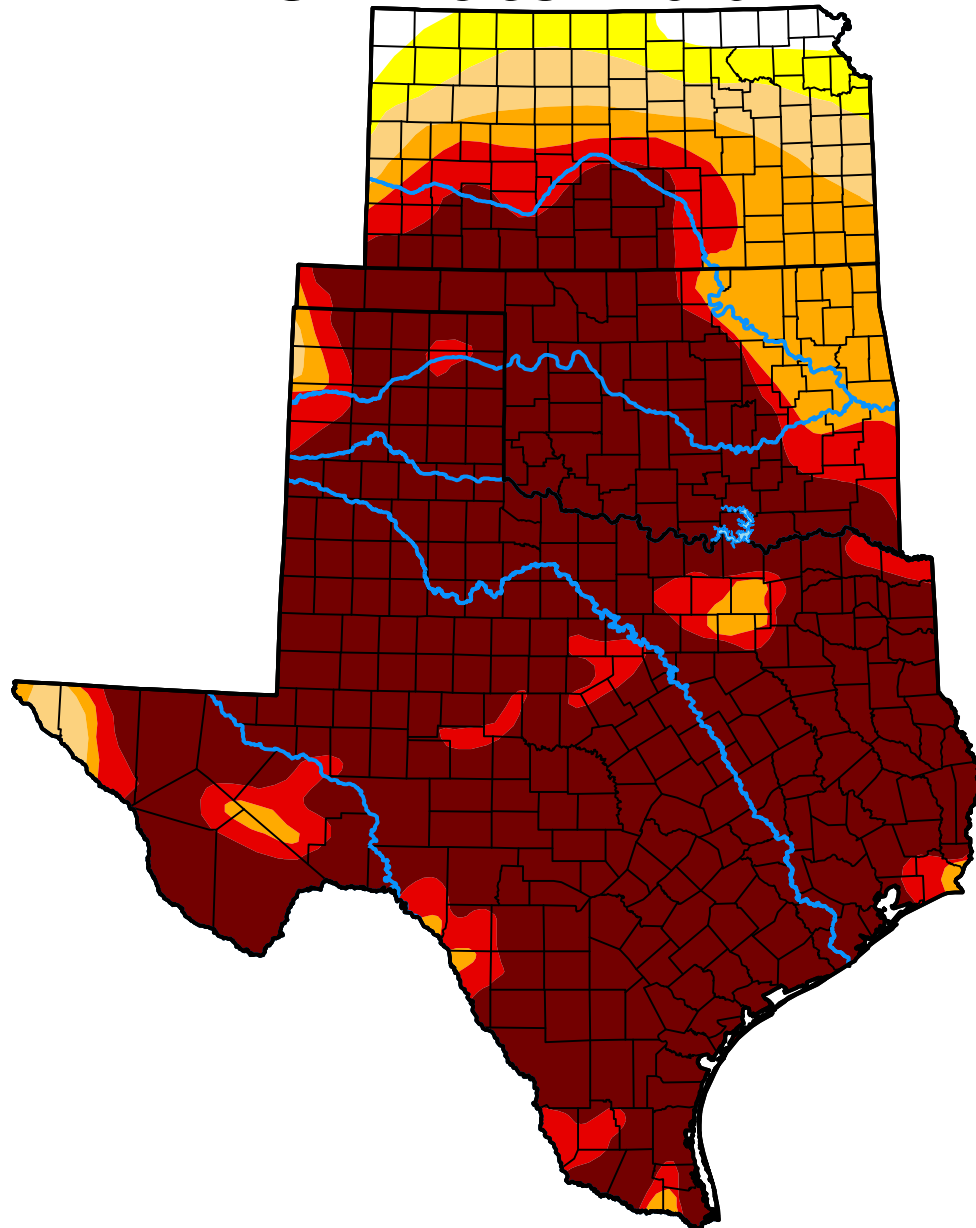


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains

Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	1.46	98.54	95.07	90.39	81.32	71.09
Last Week <i>09-27-2011</i>	3.23	96.77	93.30	89.37	80.26	69.08
3 Months Ago <i>07-05-2011</i>	4.39	95.61	86.86	76.82	67.43	51.18
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	13.56	86.44	50.13	24.06	8.29	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2011</i>	3.23	96.77	93.30	89.37	80.26	69.08
One Year Ago <i>10-05-2010</i>	75.55	24.45	2.25	0.64	0.01	0.00

Intensity:



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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