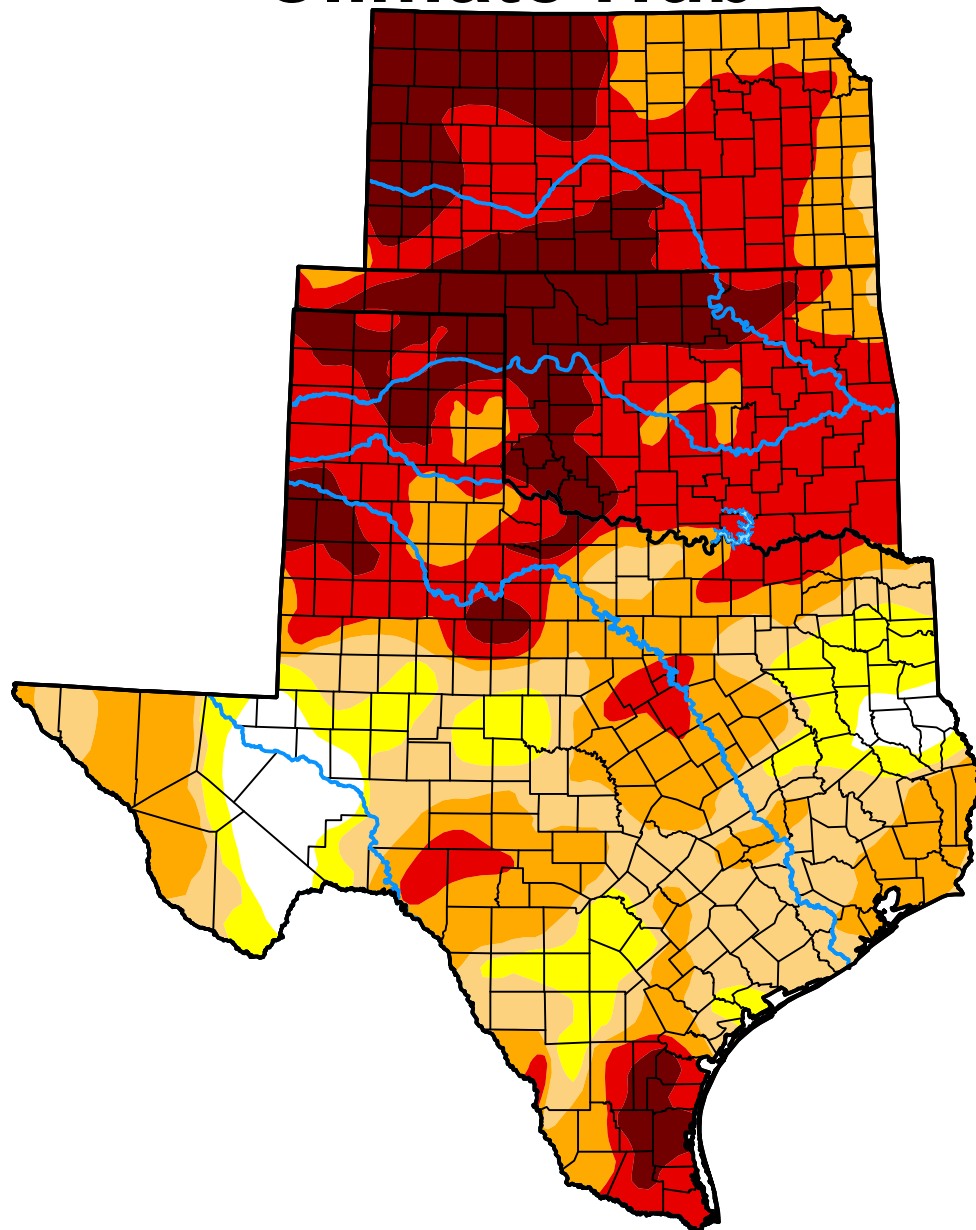


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	3.92	96.08	87.62	70.77	46.03	17.71
Last Week <i>11-20-2012</i>	5.49	94.51	84.65	67.08	41.97	17.07
3 Months Ago <i>08-28-2012</i>	6.48	93.52	82.53	61.53	42.30	19.12
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	10.87	89.13	84.64	66.92	49.90	21.26
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	5.80	94.20	86.49	72.94	49.21	20.41
One Year Ago <i>11-29-2011</i>	4.25	95.75	92.36	78.16	62.68	35.73

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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