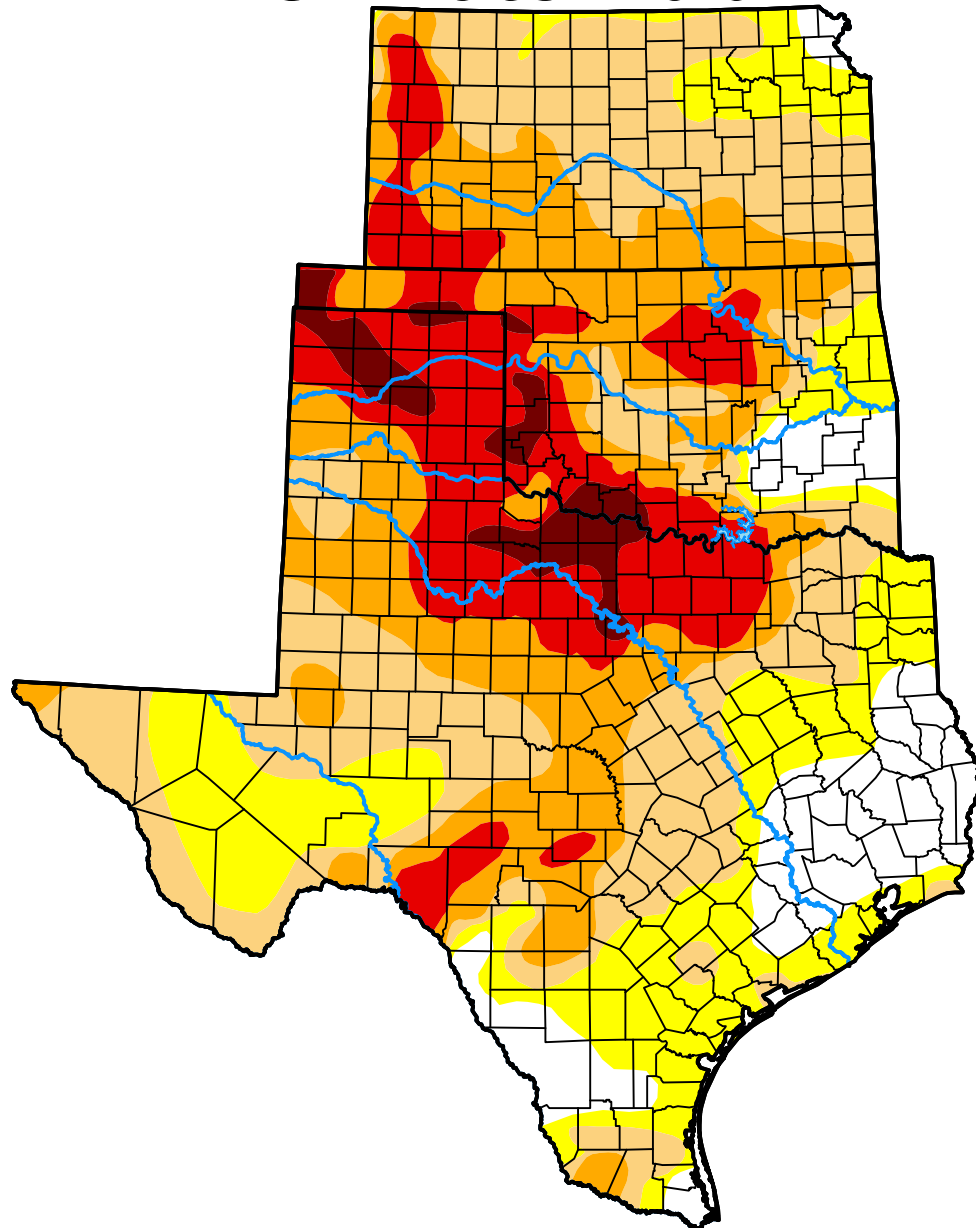


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	10.09	19.48	29.19	22.65	15.11	3.47
Last Week <i>07-08-2014</i>	8.88	21.94	25.73	24.30	15.17	3.99
3 Months Ago <i>04-15-2014</i>	12.34	13.24	23.31	24.73	17.54	8.85
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	27.54	28.96	20.20	17.69	4.71	0.90
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	16.94	22.83	35.04	21.12	3.75	0.32
One Year Ago <i>07-16-2013</i>	5.22	9.46	22.07	27.66	22.46	13.14

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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