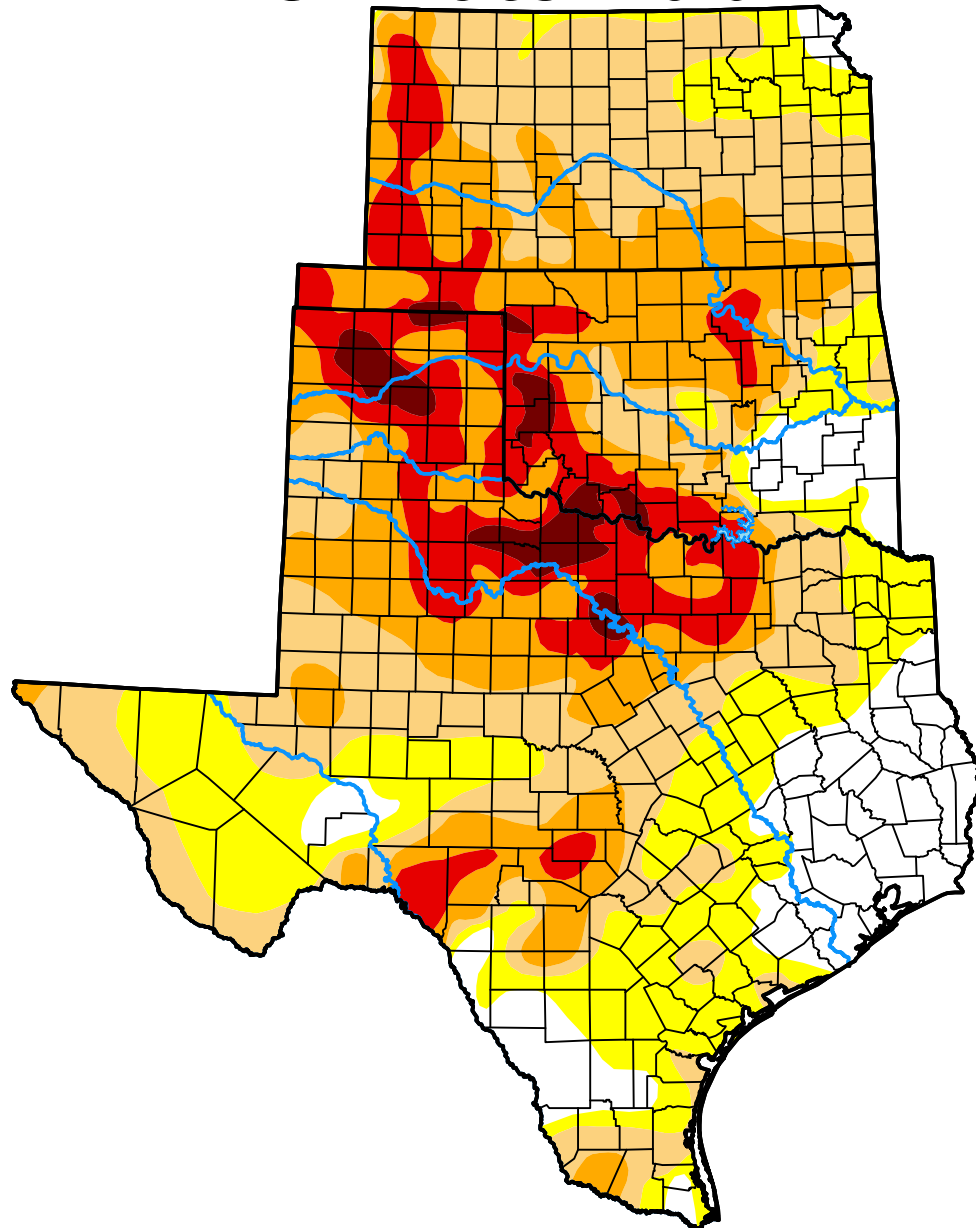


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	12.50	87.50	66.51	37.62	14.75	2.62
Last Week <i>07-22-2014</i>	12.65	87.35	66.31	37.88	15.22	3.01
3 Months Ago <i>04-29-2014</i>	7.48	92.52	80.07	57.01	35.46	14.67
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	27.54	72.46	43.50	23.30	5.61	0.90
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	16.94	83.06	60.22	25.19	4.07	0.32
One Year Ago <i>07-30-2013</i>	12.11	87.89	74.68	56.32	28.61	8.84

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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