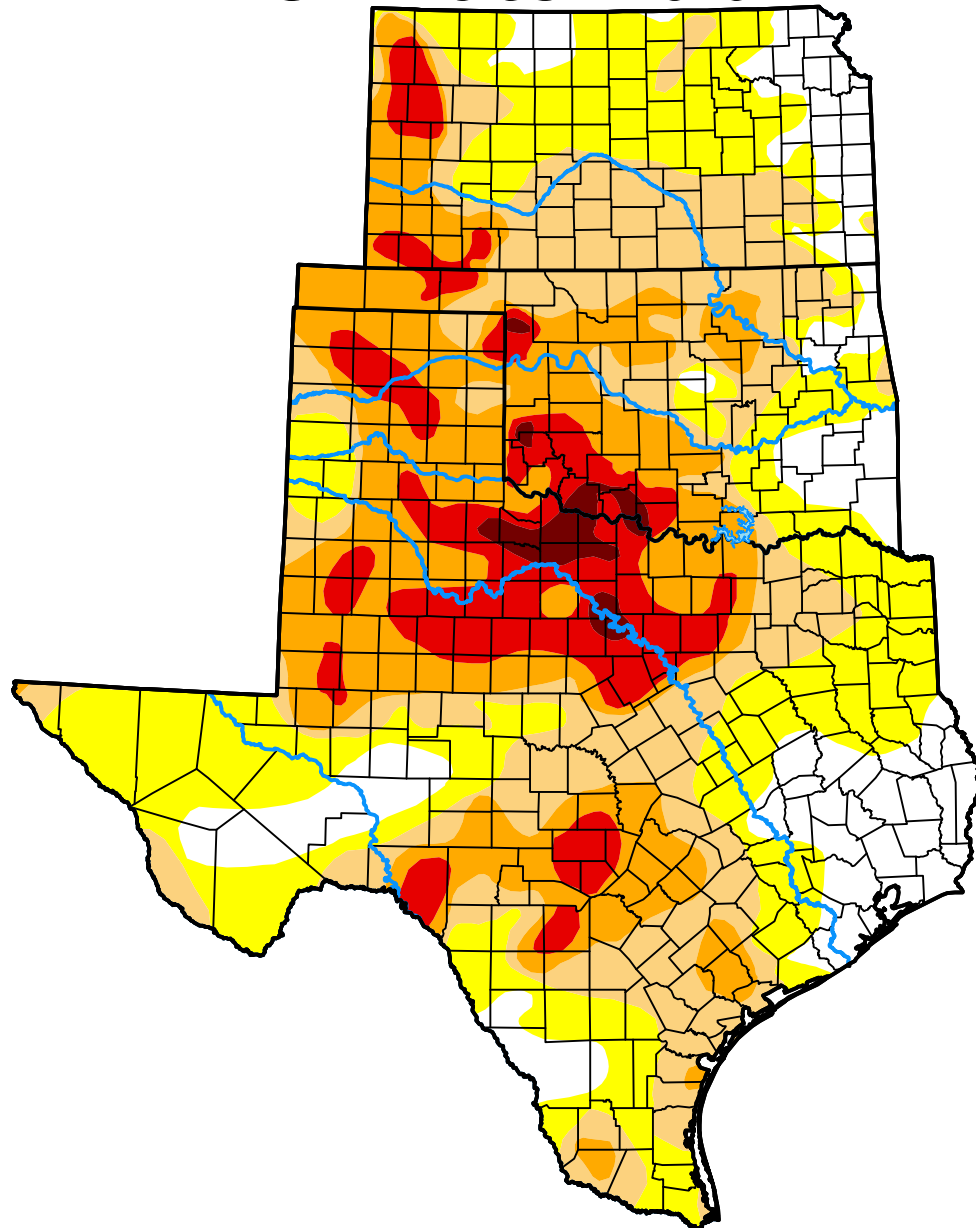


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	14.52	85.48	57.35	33.30	11.88	1.36
Last Week <i>09-02-2014</i>	12.85	87.15	65.01	35.44	14.12	2.13
3 Months Ago <i>06-10-2014</i>	8.60	91.40	76.15	51.85	29.92	7.14
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>09-10-2013</i>	10.00	90.00	72.42	53.26	21.60	3.65

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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