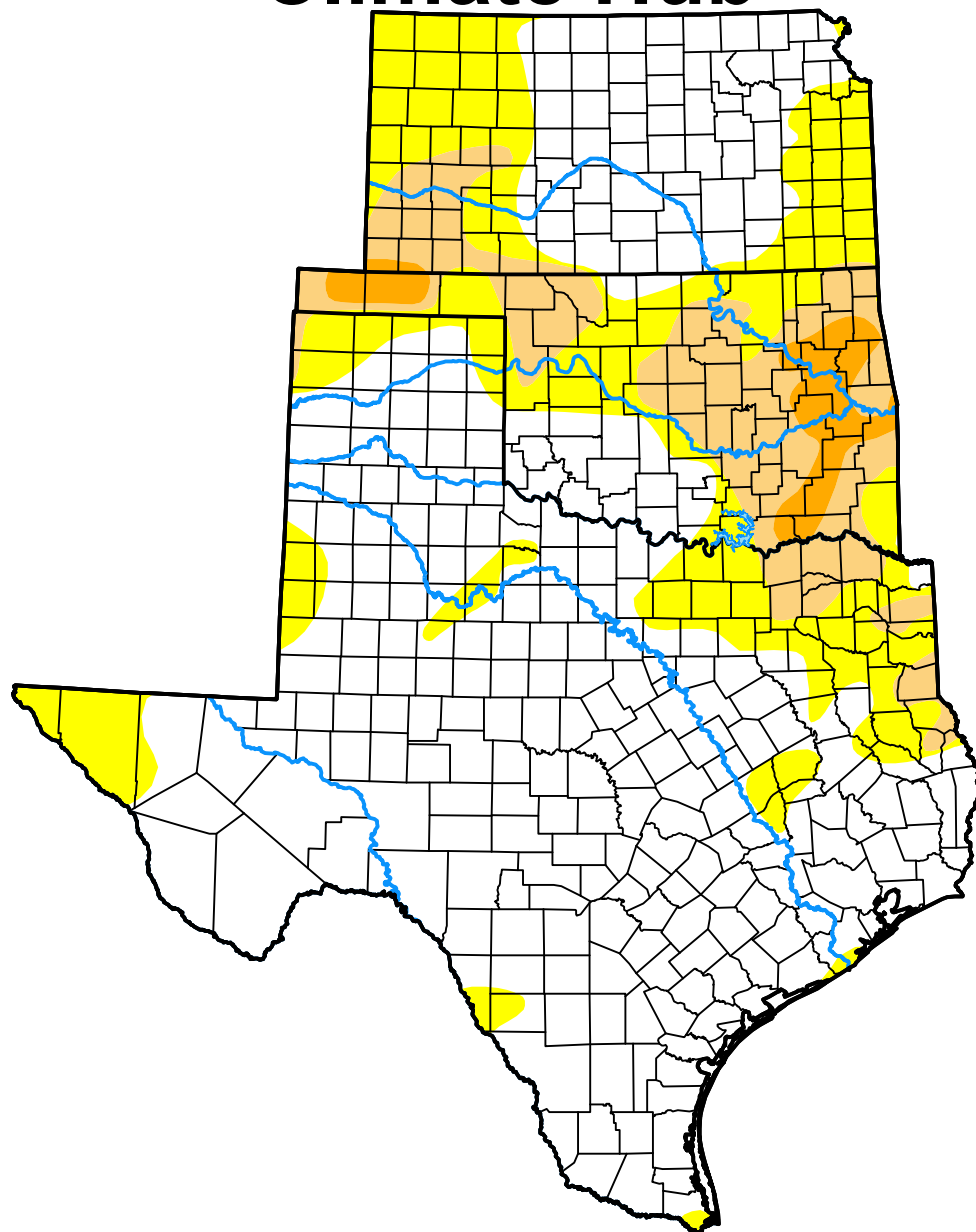


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	66.37	20.57	10.53	2.54	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-28-2017</i>	38.09	34.93	18.91	7.46	0.61	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-03-2017</i>	56.13	19.88	10.73	12.31	0.95	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	56.13	19.88	10.73	12.31	0.95	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	89.65	6.77	3.07	0.51	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-05-2016</i>	52.83	32.39	14.78	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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