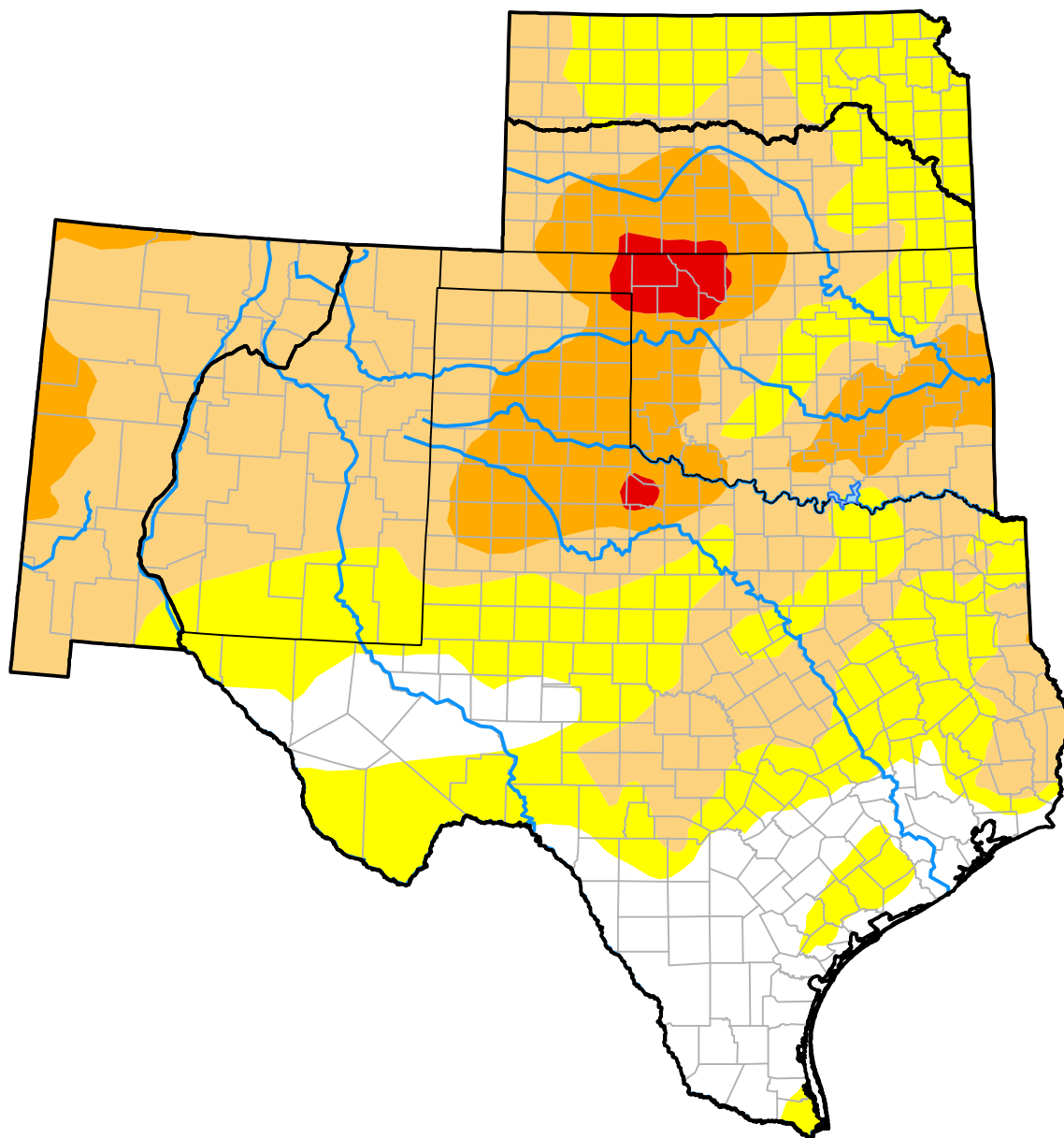


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	15.72	26.90	43.03	13.04	1.30	0.00
Last Week <i>01-04-2018</i>	21.24	35.22	32.89	10.59	0.06	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-12-2017</i>	85.74	10.57	3.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2018</i>	21.24	35.22	32.89	10.59	0.06	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	73.50	23.96	2.52	0.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-12-2017</i>	61.65	20.29	8.61	8.50	0.95	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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