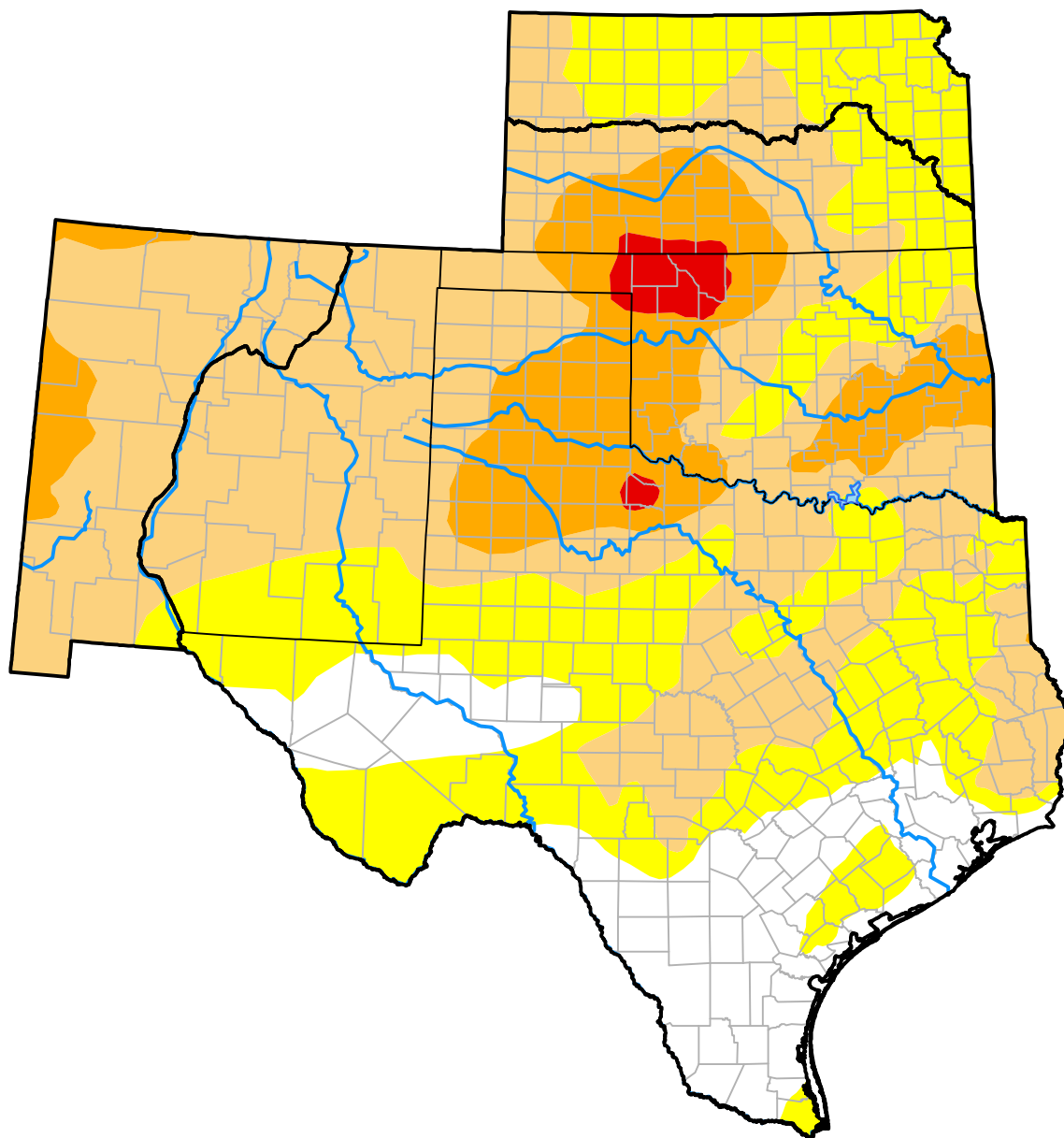


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	15.72	84.28	57.37	14.34	1.30	0.00
Last Week <i>01-04-2018</i>	21.24	78.76	43.54	10.65	0.06	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-12-2017</i>	85.74	14.26	3.69	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2018</i>	21.24	78.76	43.54	10.65	0.06	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	73.50	26.50	2.54	0.02	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-12-2017</i>	61.65	38.35	18.06	9.45	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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