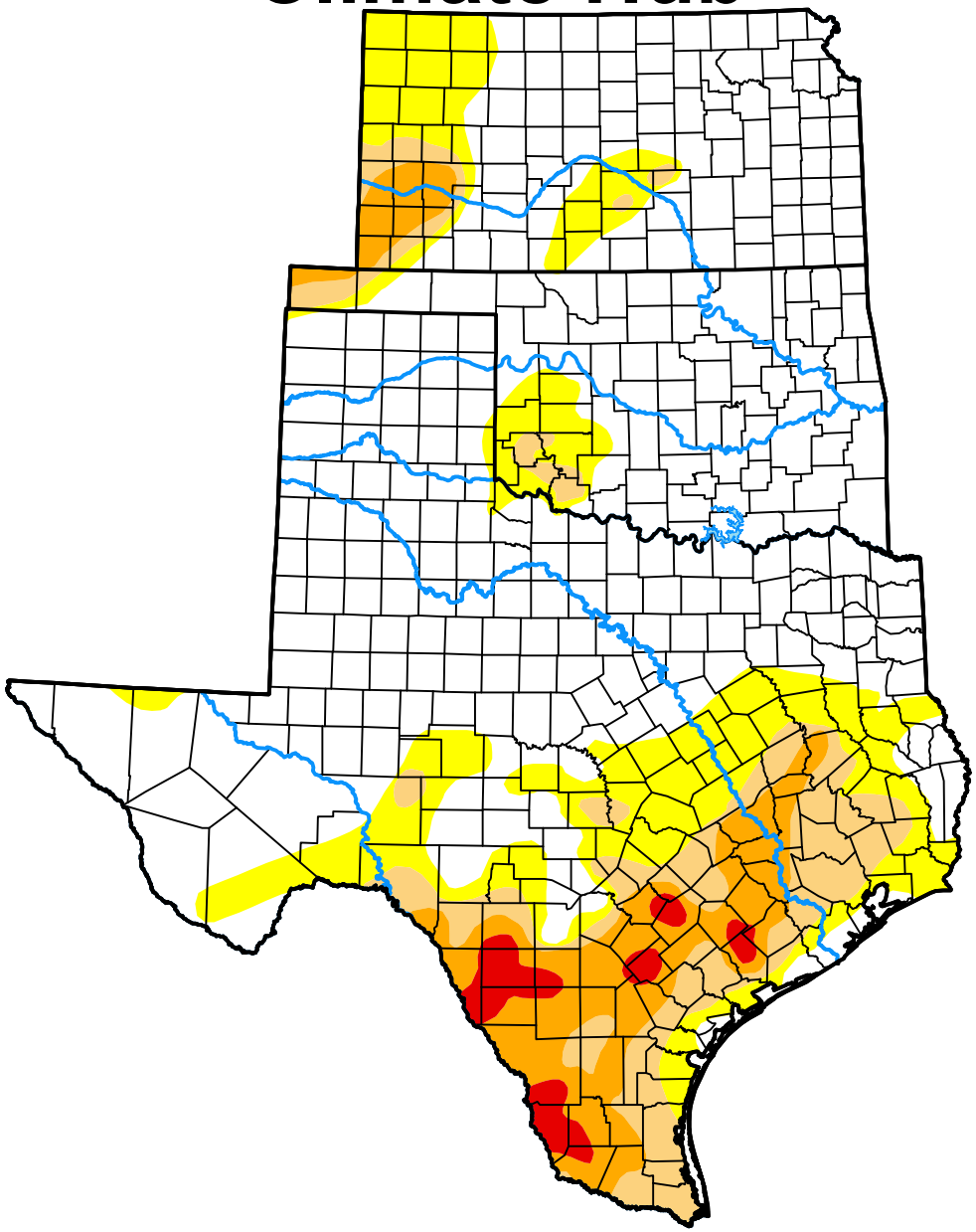
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southern Plains Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	66.26	33.74	17.71	9.24	1.69	0.00
Last Week *02-11-2020*	60.92	39.08	23.86	10.01	1.19	0.00
3 Months Ago *11-19-2019*	54.12	45.88	24.21	7.88	0.65	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *12-31-2019*	54.43	45.57	26.66	7.28	0.47	0.00
Start of Water Year *10-01-2019*	48.24	51.76	32.08	14.36	4.01	0.00
One Year Ago *02-19-2019*	73.01	26.99	4.21	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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