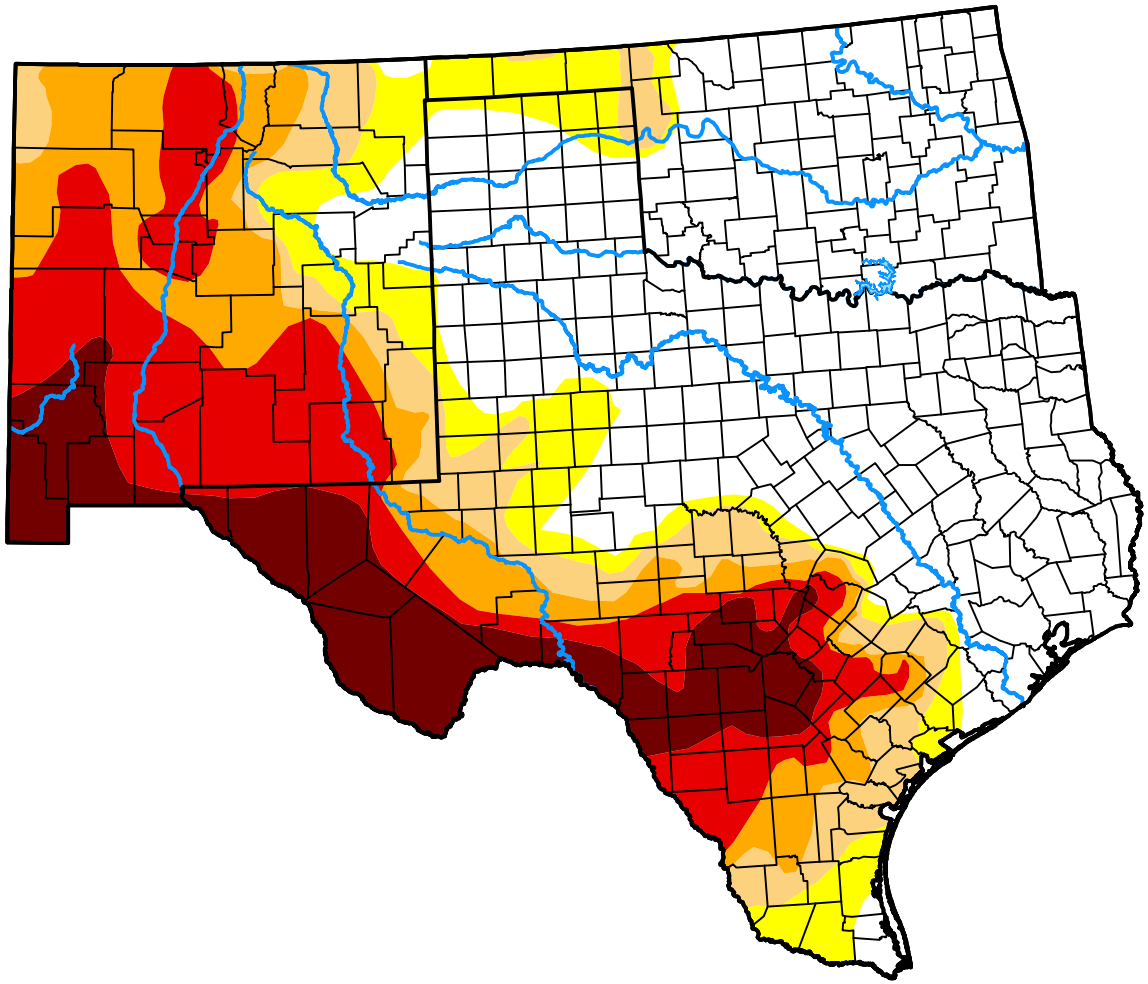
U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	44.74	9.73	8.84	10.98	14.99	10.73
Last Week *05-20-2025*	42.19	9.68	9.90	12.16	15.09	10.99
3 Months Ago *02-25-2025*	16.79	35.90	23.40	10.12	10.14	3.66
Start of Calendar Year *01-07-2025*	43.66	20.78	17.81	8.61	5.47	3.66
Start of Water Year *10-01-2024*	26.19	35.21	18.56	12.36	5.73	1.95
One Year Ago *05-28-2024*	40.94	21.90	19.75	12.99	4.02	0.41

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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