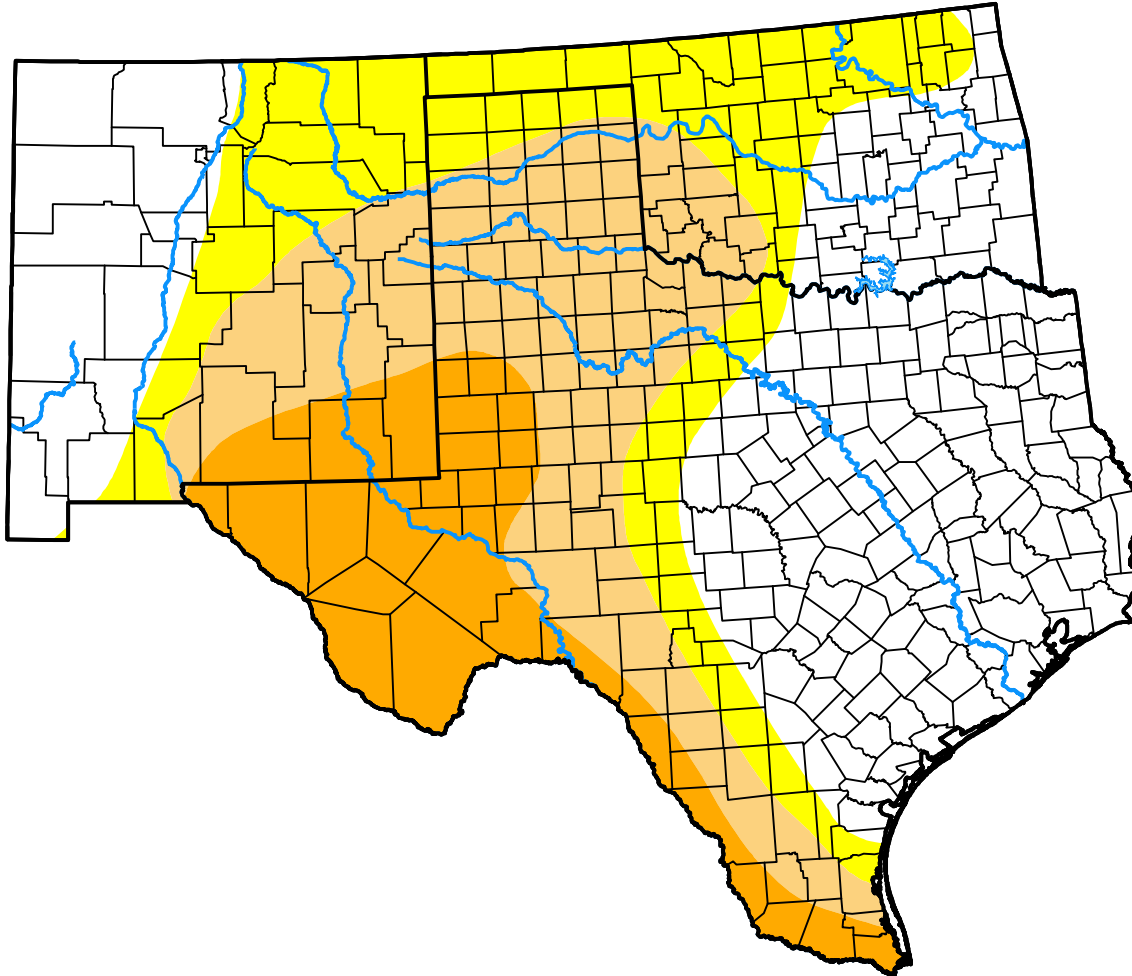


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	42.71	19.59	22.94	14.76	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-16-2001</i>	46.29	26.02	15.51	12.17	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2001</i>	24.40	34.73	25.63	14.39	0.85	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	68.19	21.50	9.34	0.97	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2001</i>	46.30	25.39	17.64	10.67	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-24-2000</i>	9.54	15.93	56.47	13.46	4.60	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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