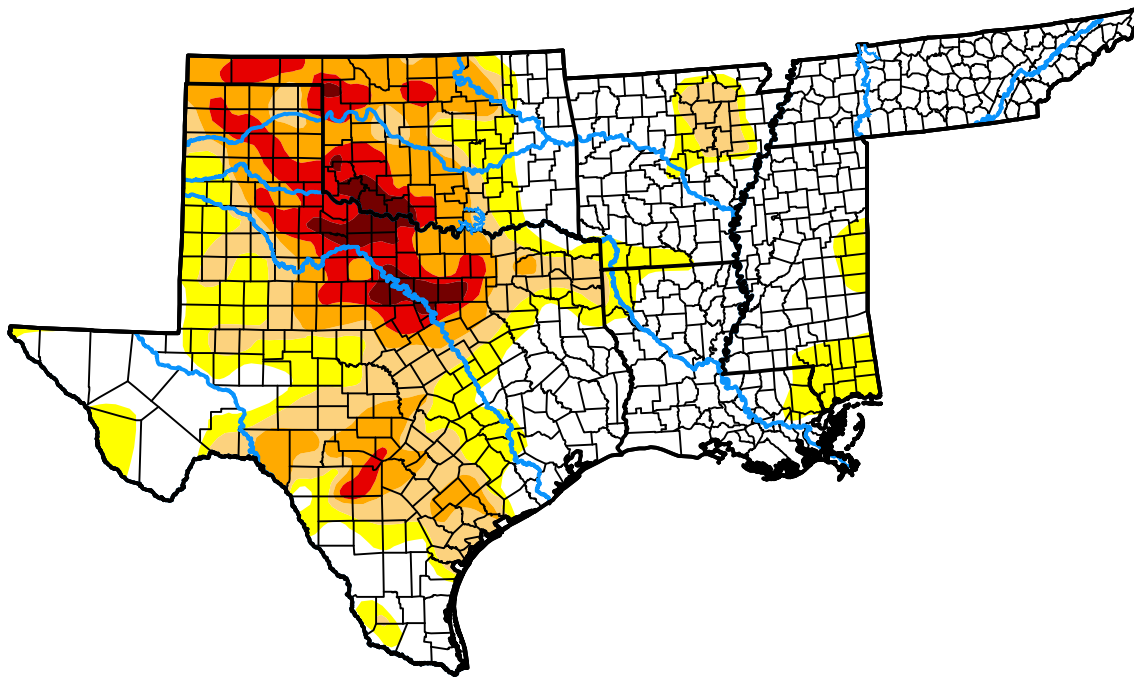


U.S. Drought Monitor

South Climate Region

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	48.90	51.10	34.26	21.27	8.60	2.10
Last Week <i>10-14-2014</i>	49.39	50.61	34.18	21.27	8.32	2.10
3 Months Ago <i>07-22-2014</i>	42.44	57.56	39.33	24.85	10.70	2.40
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	55.85	44.15	27.23	13.21	3.58	0.72
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	41.74	58.26	35.50	22.66	8.47	1.98
One Year Ago <i>10-22-2013</i>	33.87	66.13	42.78	13.90	2.70	0.31

Intensity:



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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