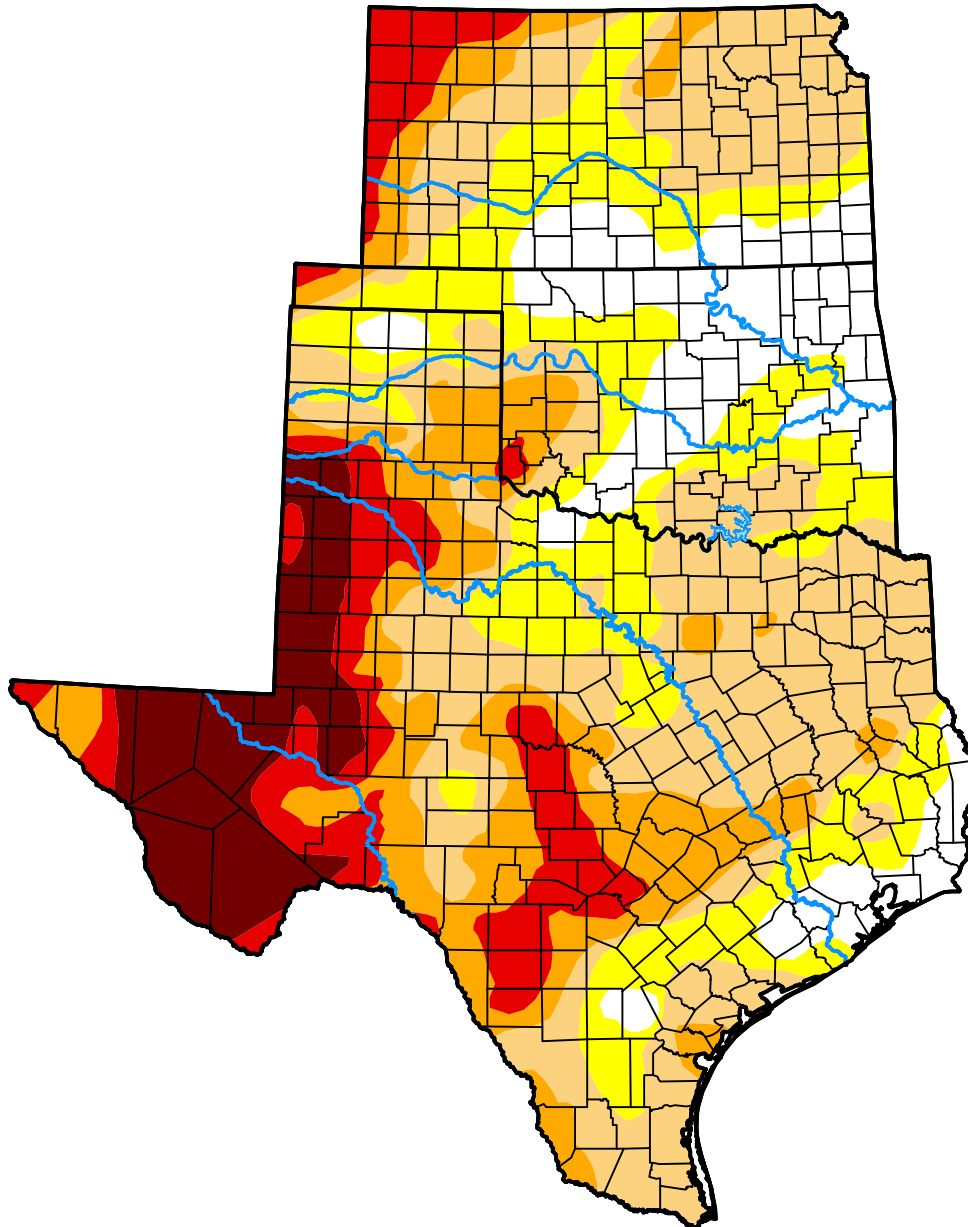


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.36	86.64	66.47	34.05	18.20	8.28
Last Week <i>12-01-2020</i>	12.68	87.32	66.61	33.02	17.76	8.28
3 Months Ago <i>09-08-2020</i>	50.10	49.90	32.06	19.24	9.20	0.47
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2019</i>	54.43	45.57	26.66	7.28	0.47	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2020</i>	52.12	47.88	26.61	16.16	8.03	2.09
One Year Ago <i>12-10-2019</i>	48.60	51.40	29.94	7.37	0.74	0.00



Intensity:

- None
- D2 Severe Drought
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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