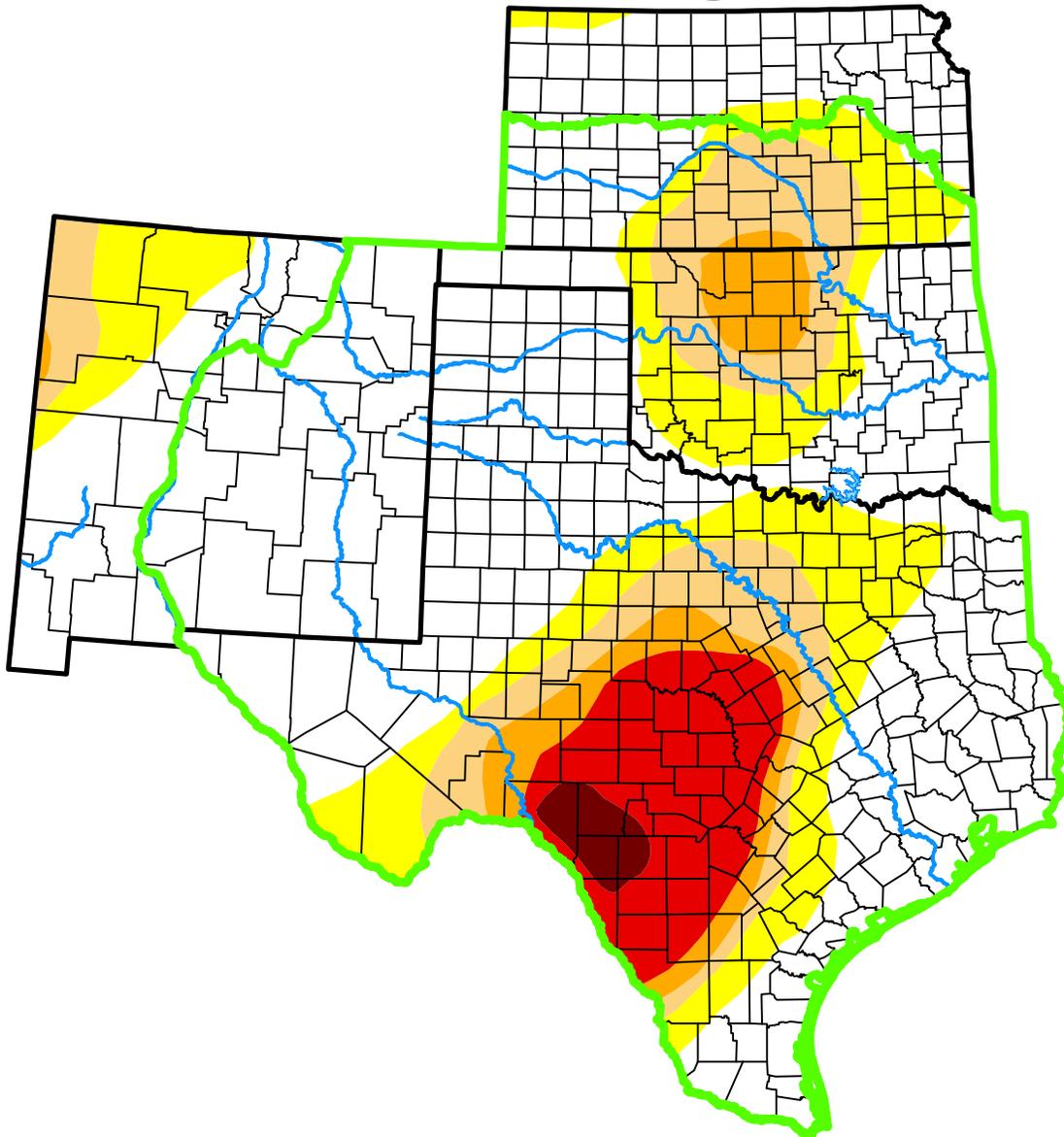


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas

**February 27, 2007**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	58.20	15.93	10.91	5.38	8.33	1.25
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-20-2007</i>	57.61	15.70	11.04	6.06	8.33	1.25
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-28-2006</i>	39.28	13.42	14.65	10.38	20.50	1.77
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2007</i>	32.44	23.41	16.45	12.61	12.81	2.27
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-26-2006</i>	31.25	15.20	19.78	18.91	13.87	0.99
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>02-28-2006</i>	0.78	5.05	32.11	27.40	27.26	7.40

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

***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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