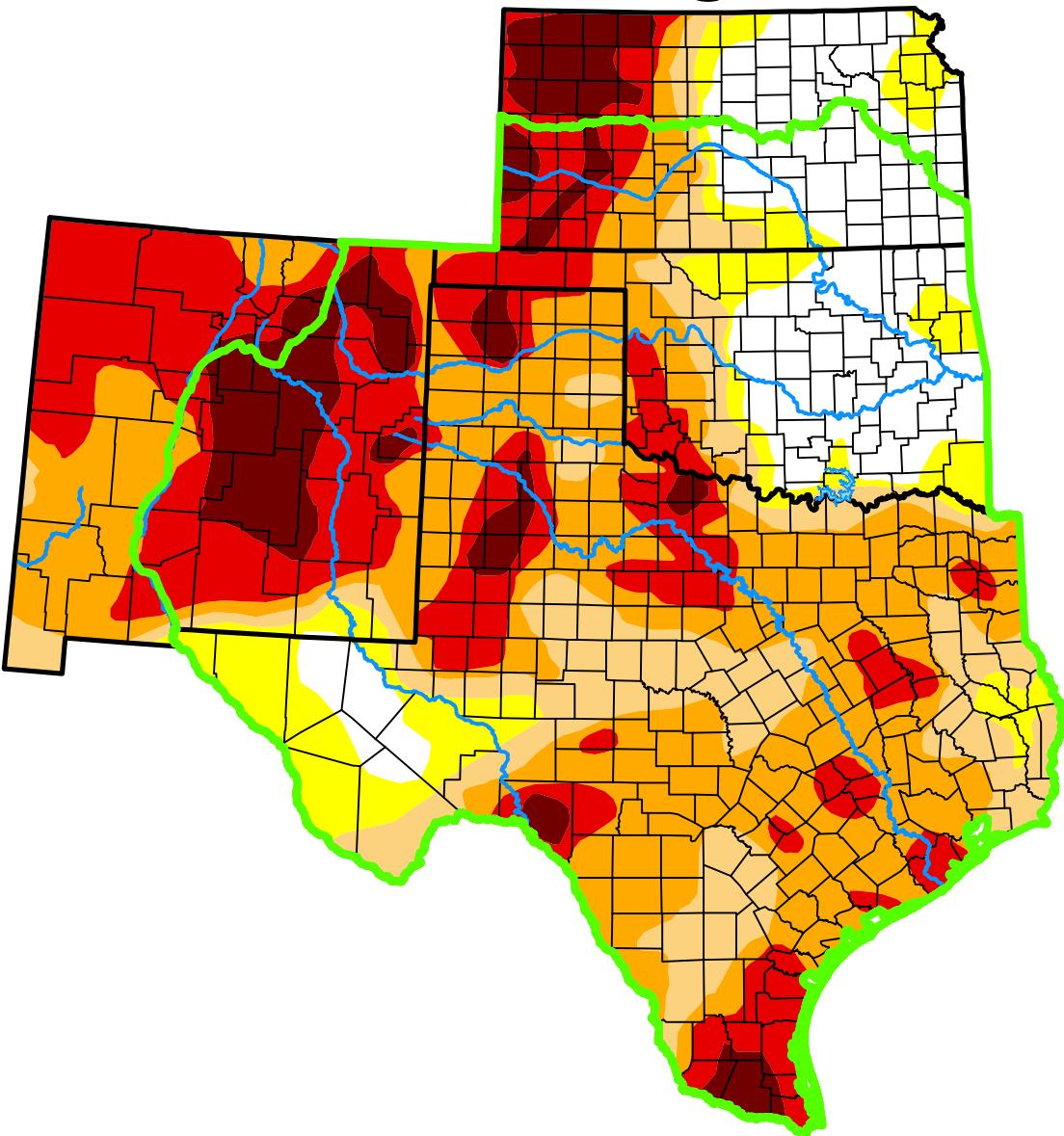


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.63	86.37	76.72	60.43	28.37	8.27
Last Week 08-06-2013	10.47	89.53	78.72	64.01	34.01	11.83
3 Months Ago 05-14-2013	4.64	95.36	88.55	71.97	45.40	20.92
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	1.83	98.17	91.85	78.58	51.15	16.33
Start of Water Year 09-25-2012	5.50	94.50	87.19	72.60	42.42	14.30
One Year Ago 08-14-2012	6.68	93.32	87.18	65.66	38.91	13.55

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate 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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