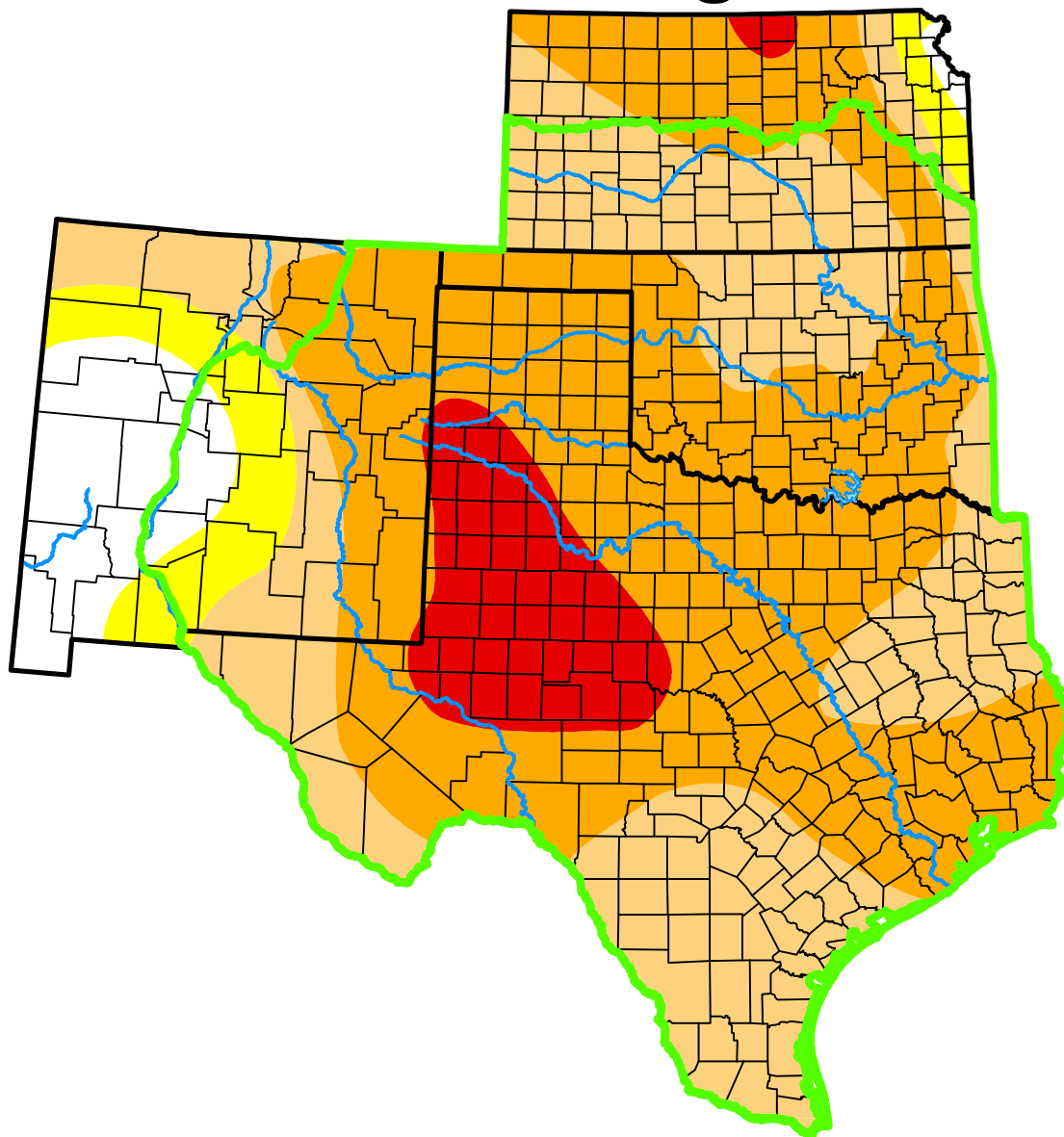


U.S. Drought Monitor

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	1.54	98.46	95.23	59.57	9.72	0.00
Last Week <i>10-10-2000</i>	0.00	100.00	96.00	70.91	11.81	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-18-2000</i>	45.08	54.92	13.27	1.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2000</i>	27.29	72.71	44.89	31.08	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2000</i>	0.90	99.10	92.74	68.57	9.69	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-01-1900</i>	-	-	-	-	-	-

(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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