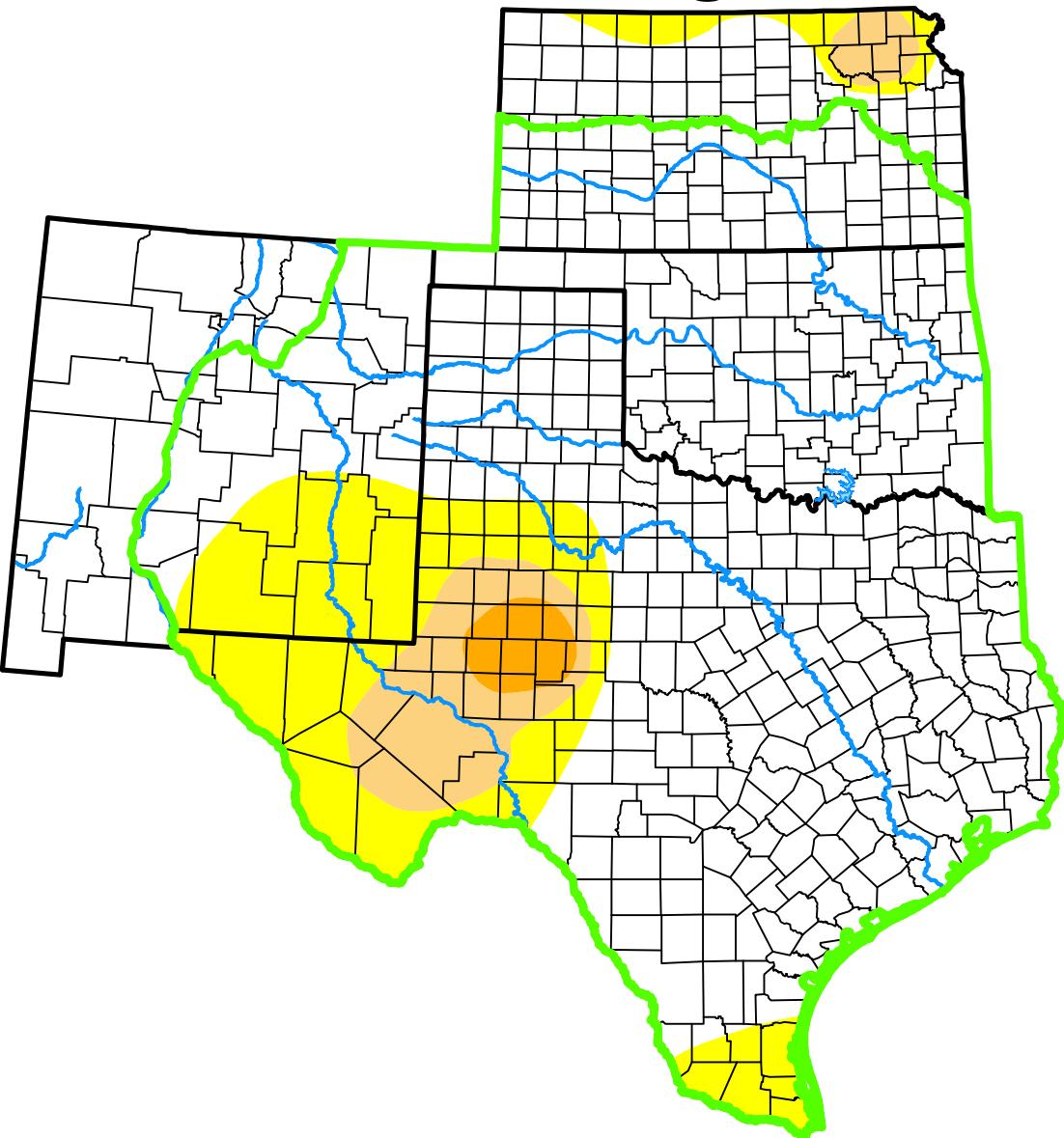


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



February 20, 2001
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	77.00	23.00	6.78	1.47	0.00	0.00
Last Week 02-13-2001	76.56	23.44	6.78	1.47	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 11-21-2000	60.13	39.87	12.09	1.01	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2001	67.11	32.89	10.74	1.01	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-26-2000	0.90	99.10	92.74	68.57	9.69	0.00
One Year Ago 02-22-2000	0.22	99.78	60.28	34.69	0.00	0.00

(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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