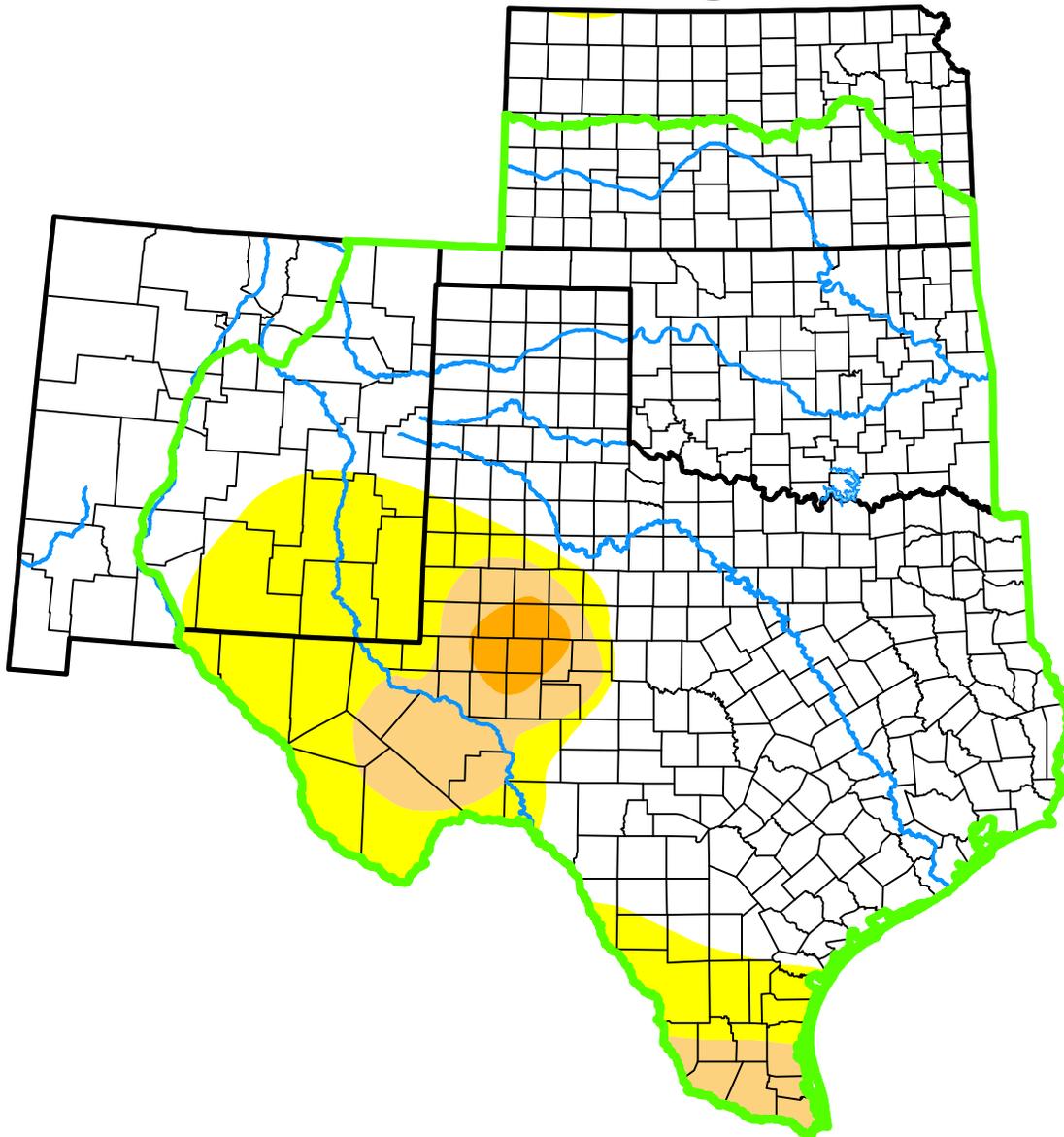


U.S. Drought Monitor

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	75.65	24.35	8.09	1.20	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-10-2001</i>	77.70	22.30	8.11	1.47	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-16-2001</i>	67.25	32.75	10.74	1.01	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2001</i>	67.11	32.89	10.74	1.01	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>04-18-2000</i>	34.98	65.02	47.61	32.68	0.00	0.00

(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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