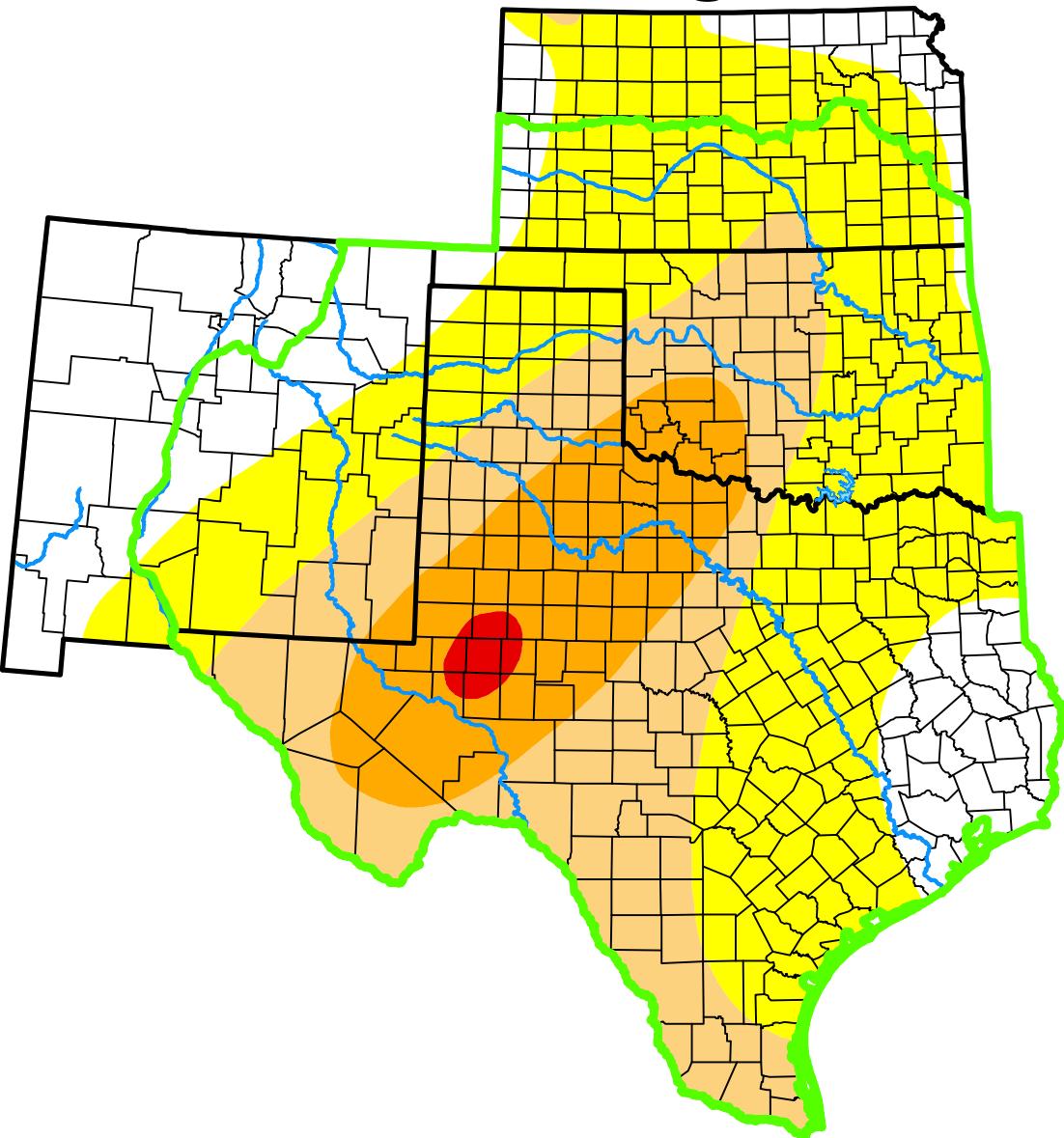


U.S. Drought Monitor
**Southern Plains DEWS
and Surrounding Areas**



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.78	86.22	42.76	15.81	0.88	0.00
Last Week 07-17-2001	26.42	73.58	31.62	11.97	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-24-2001	75.65	24.35	8.09	1.20	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 07-25-2000	47.42	52.58	19.20	3.56	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

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