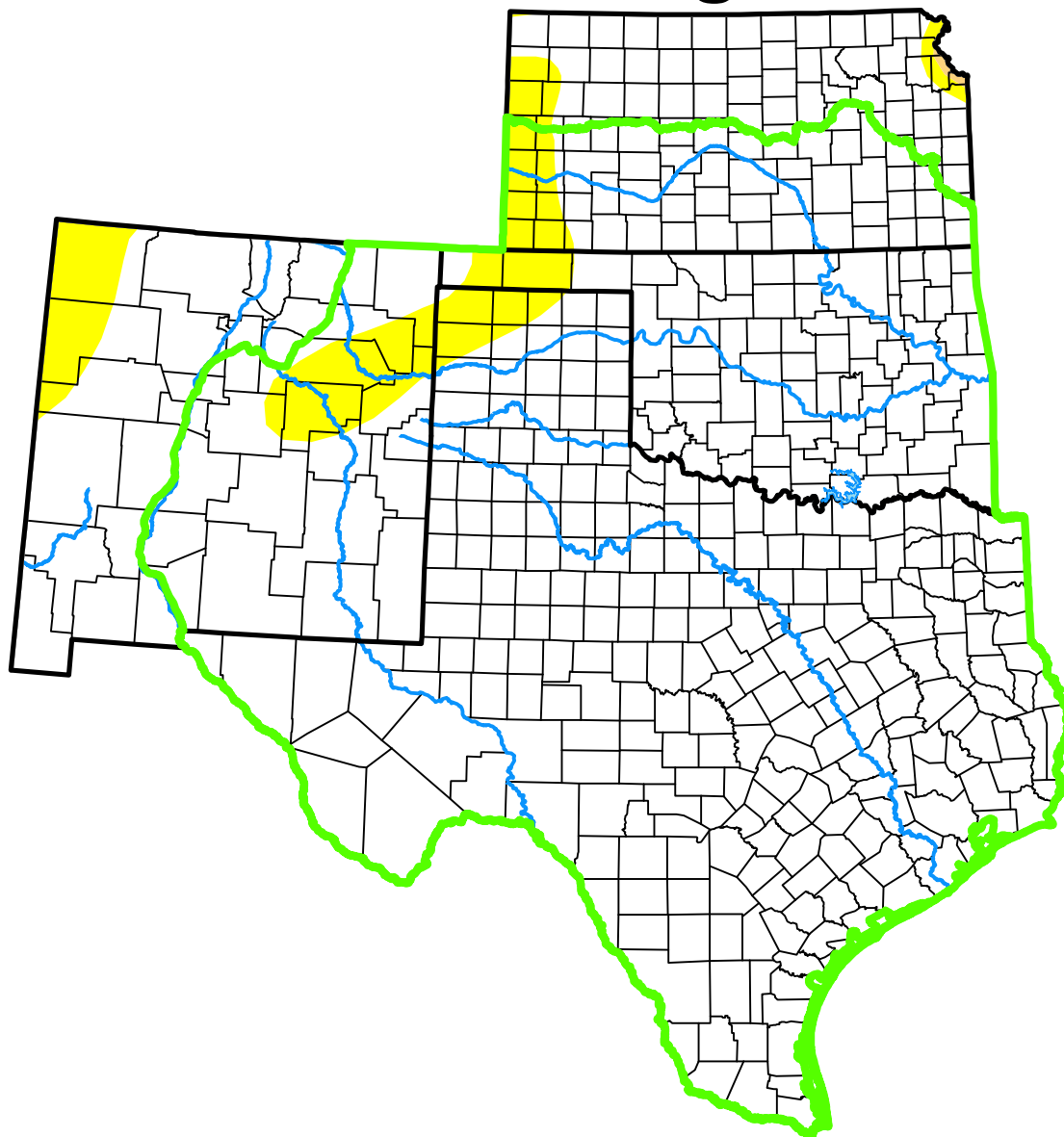


U.S. Drought Monitor

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	94.74	5.26	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-11-2007</i>	96.06	3.94	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-19-2007</i>	95.05	4.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	32.44	67.56	44.15	27.70	15.09	2.27
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	31.25	68.75	53.55	33.77	14.85	0.99
One Year Ago <i>09-19-2006</i>	31.22	68.78	53.84	33.77	14.85	2.05

(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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