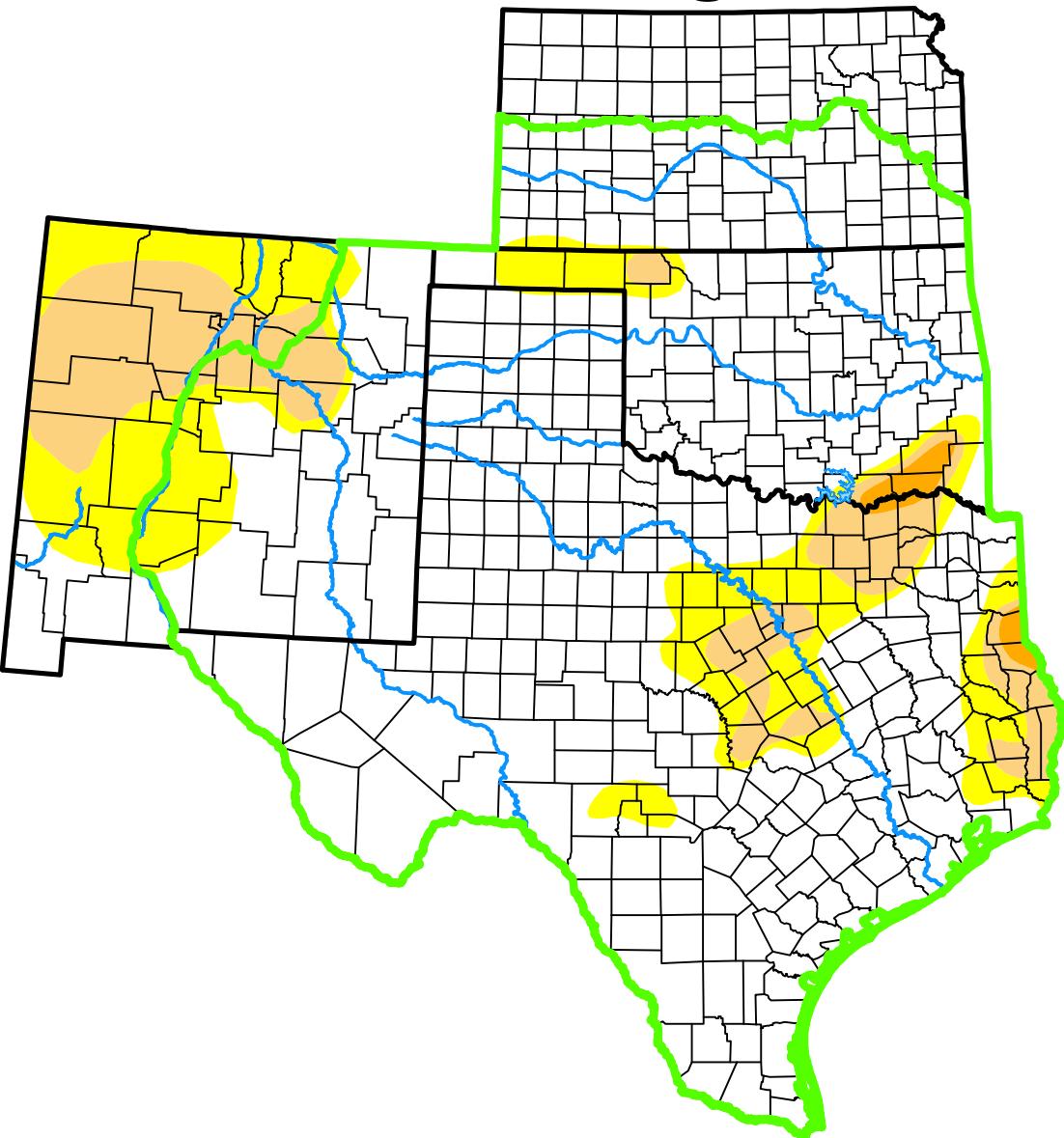


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



July 20, 2010

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 82.71 | 10.65 | 5.83 | 0.81 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 07-13-2010 | 84.59 | 9.00 | 5.40 | 1.01 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 04-20-2010 | 94.01 | 5.99 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2009 | 77.84 | 17.96 | 2.81 | 1.39 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-29-2009 | 72.67 | 10.57 | 3.53 | 5.81 | 5.53 | 1.89 |
| One Year Ago 07-21-2009 | 35.88 | 31.26 | 13.96 | 4.05 | 4.92 | 9.93 |

(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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