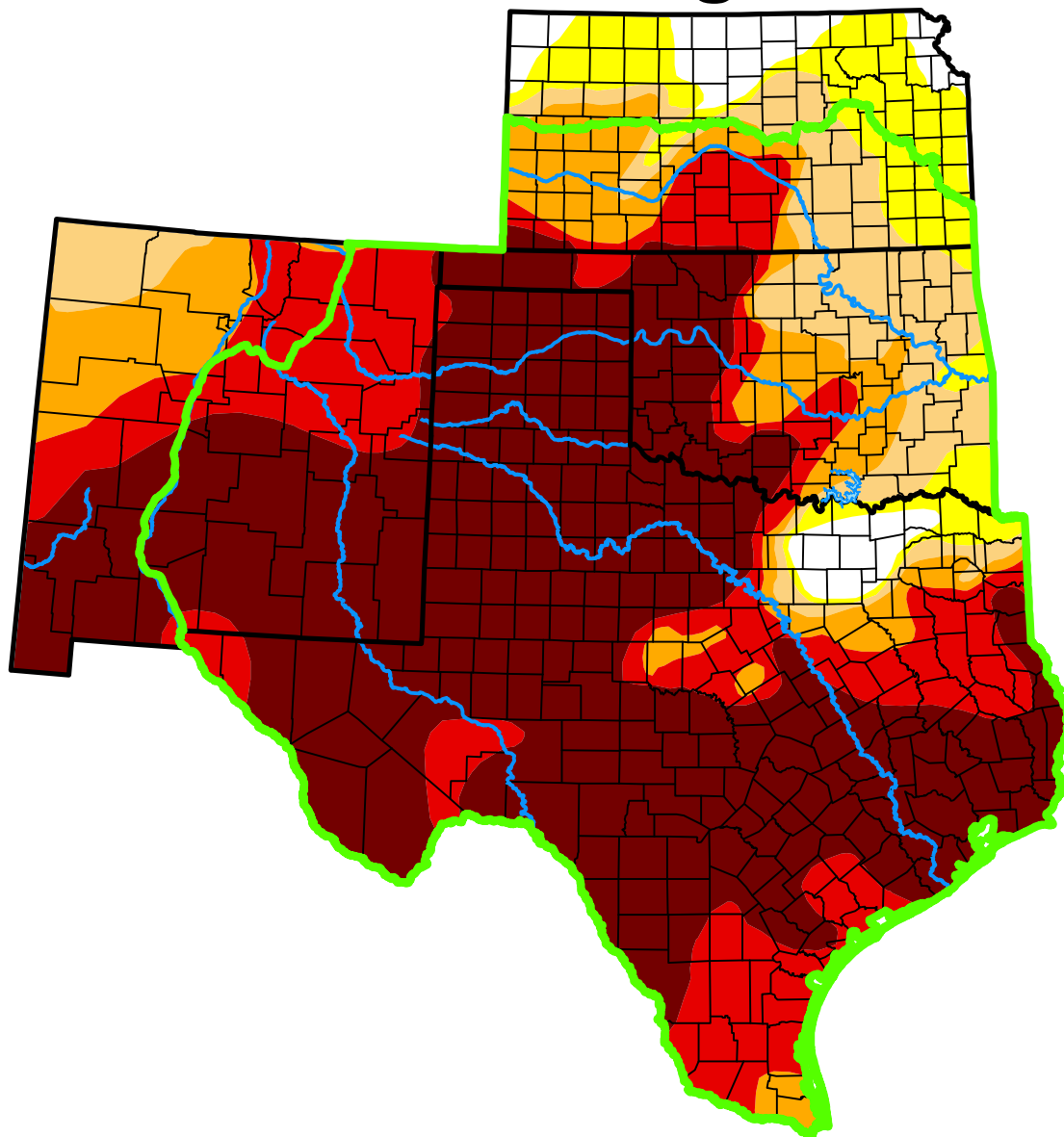


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	1.45	3.69	8.18	8.40	20.38	57.90
Last Week <i>06-28-2011</i>	2.25	5.82	5.94	7.94	19.58	58.47
3 Months Ago <i>04-05-2011</i>	1.38	5.20	15.93	32.96	41.62	2.90
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2011</i>	12.14	37.06	28.16	14.78	7.86	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2010</i>	76.19	21.68	1.54	0.59	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>07-06-2010</i>	84.59	9.00	5.40	1.01	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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