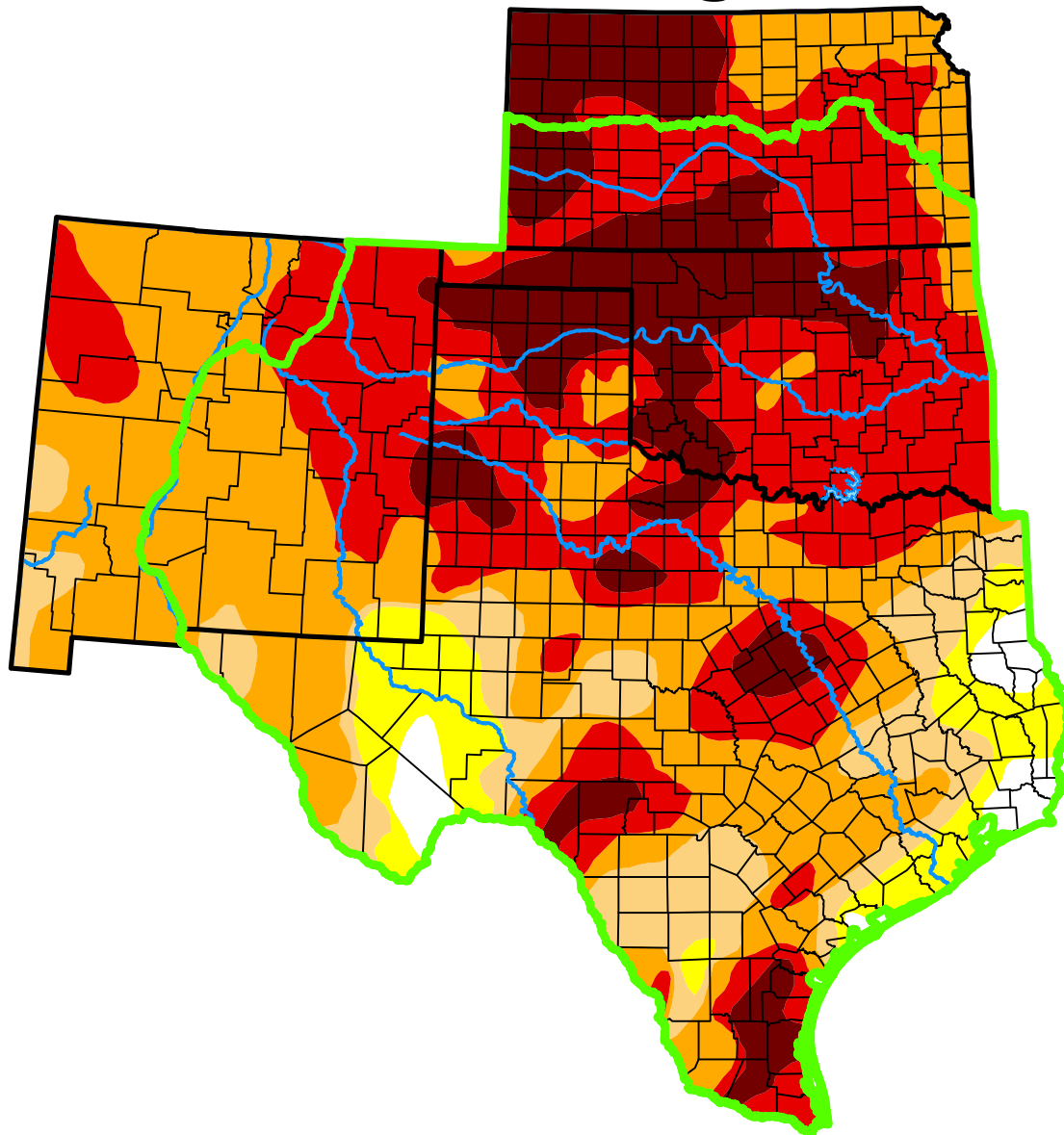


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



**January 8, 2013**

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	2.59	97.41	89.90	78.86	50.98	16.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	1.83	98.17	91.85	78.58	51.15	16.33
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-09-2012</i>	9.94	90.06	79.10	57.06	35.10	10.54
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2013</i>	1.83	98.17	91.85	78.58	51.15	16.33
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2012</i>	5.50	94.50	87.19	72.60	42.42	14.30
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-10-2012</i>	3.66	96.34	91.88	76.27	51.08	17.95

(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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