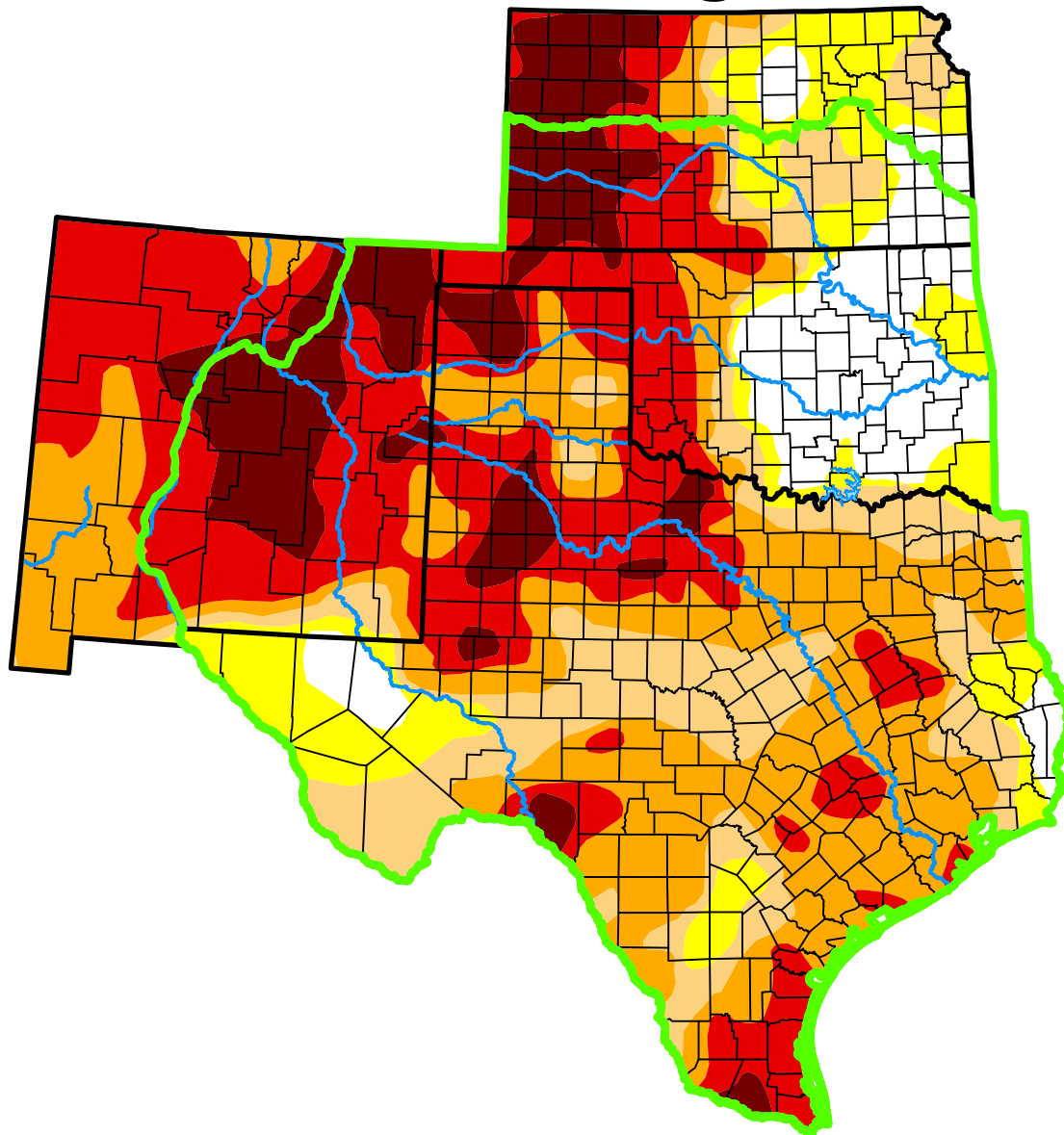


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



**July 30, 2013**

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	10.44	89.56	79.57	62.73	36.15	11.91
<b>Last Week</b> 07-23-2013	4.33	95.67	86.73	66.71	39.53	15.41
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 04-30-2013	3.58	96.42	89.52	75.63	46.38	13.74
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-01-2013	1.83	98.17	91.85	78.58	51.15	16.33
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 09-25-2012	5.50	94.50	87.19	72.60	42.42	14.30
<b>One Year Ago</b> 07-31-2012	6.86	93.14	82.91	58.81	33.32	2.71

(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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