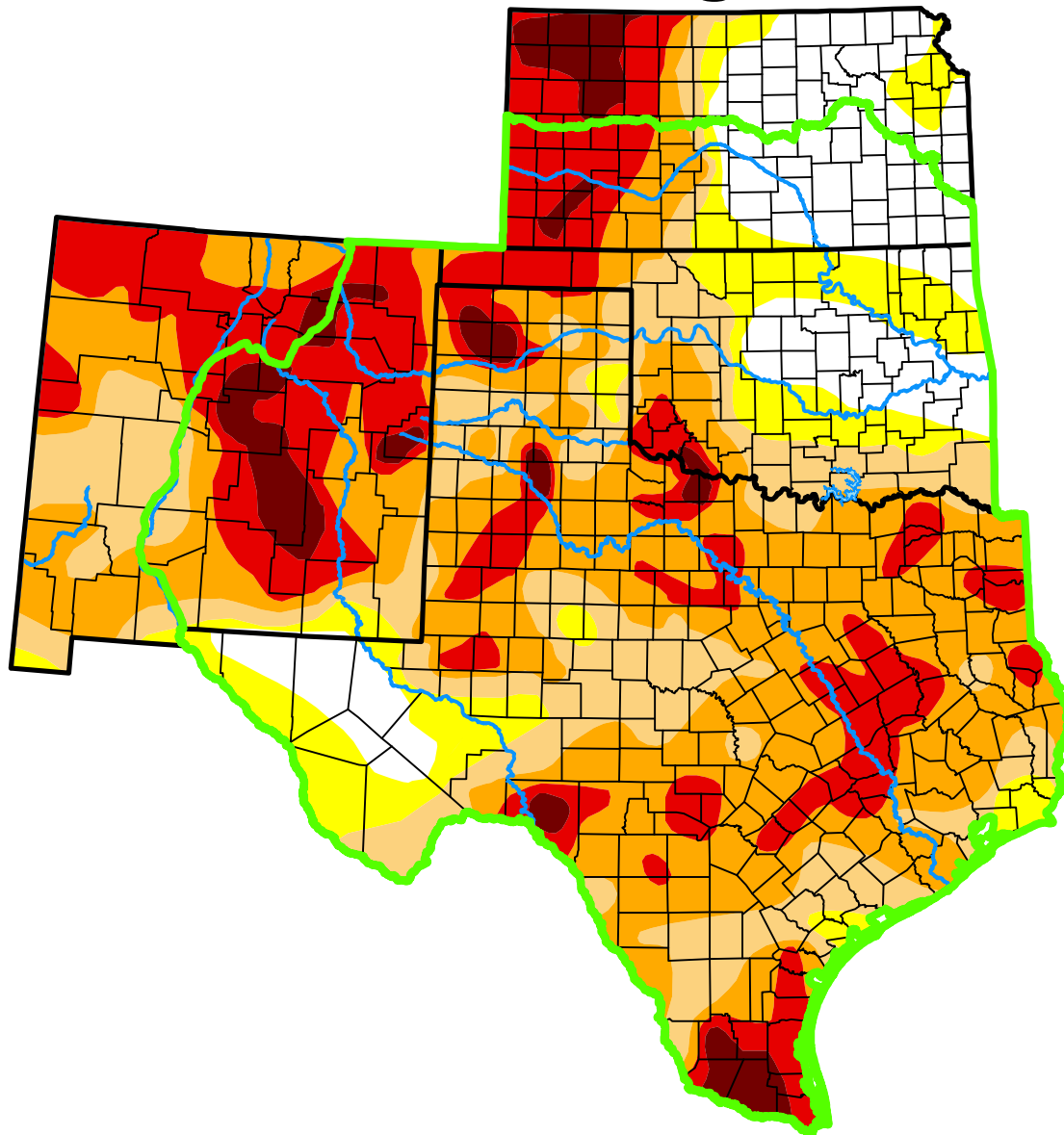


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.28	11.10	19.49	34.40	19.47	4.26
Last Week 08-27-2013	12.45	10.47	17.45	35.00	20.10	4.53
3 Months Ago 06-04-2013	9.29	6.40	20.11	22.41	17.59	24.19
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	1.83	6.32	13.26	27.43	34.82	16.33
Start of Water Year 09-25-2012	5.50	7.31	14.58	30.19	28.12	14.30
One Year Ago 09-04-2012	6.21	10.42	18.83	25.03	25.23	14.28

(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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