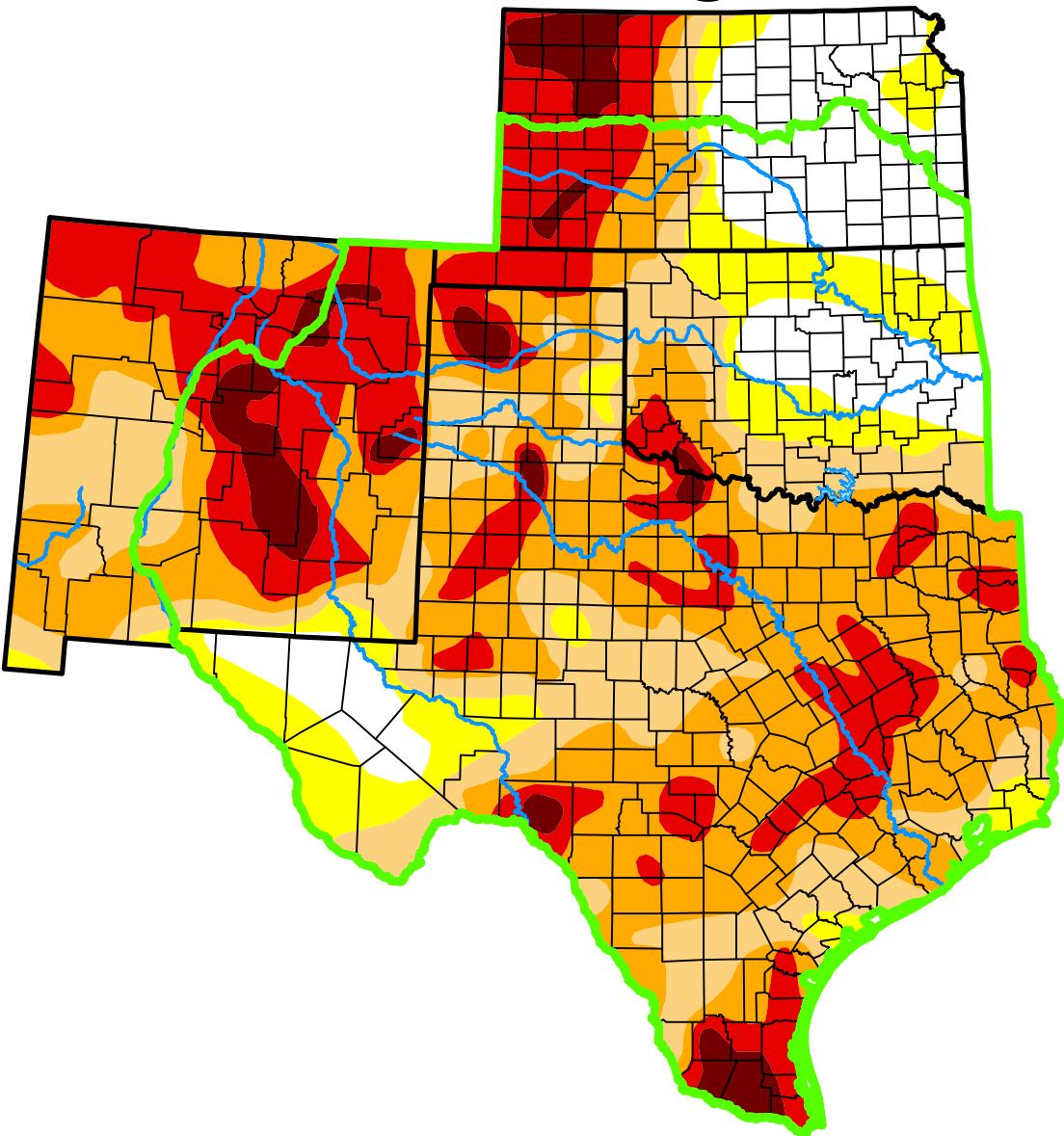


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	11.28	88.72	77.62	58.13	23.73	4.26
Last Week 08-27-2013	12.45	87.55	77.08	59.63	24.63	4.53
3 Months Ago 06-04-2013	9.29	90.71	84.31	64.20	41.78	24.19
Start of Calendar Year 01-01-2013	1.83	98.17	91.85	78.58	51.15	16.33
Start of Water Year 09-25-2012	5.50	94.50	87.19	72.60	42.42	14.30
One Year Ago 09-04-2012	6.21	93.79	83.37	64.54	39.51	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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