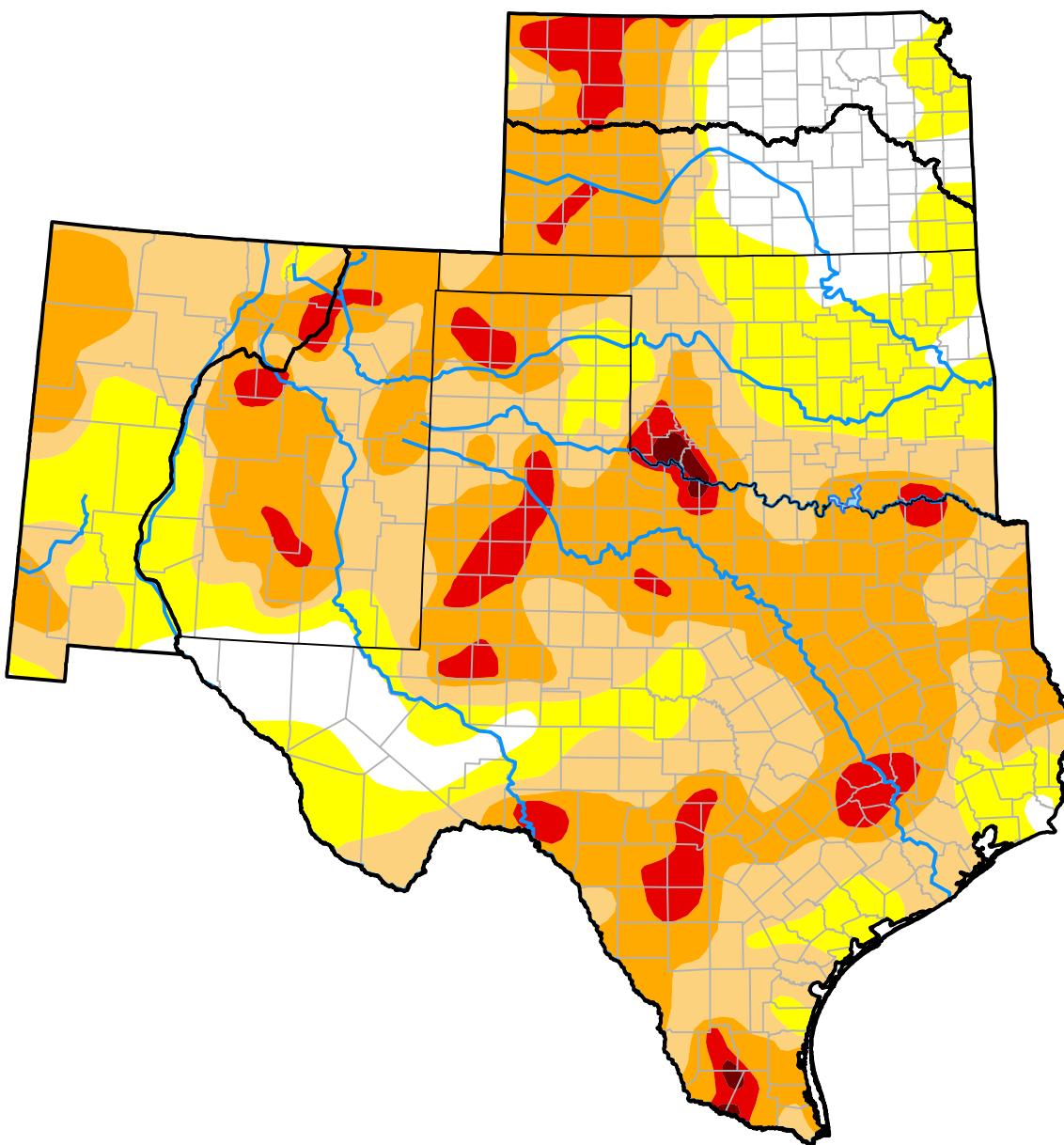


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	5.50	94.50	73.69	41.41	6.22	0.39
Last Week 09-19-2013	4.36	95.64	77.59	52.61	16.98	1.18
3 Months Ago 06-27-2013	10.07	89.93	81.85	67.11	46.40	19.80
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	1.76	98.24	92.14	78.32	43.36	12.88
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	5.30	94.70	87.65	65.30	32.32	9.63
One Year Ago 09-27-2012	5.30	94.70	87.65	65.30	32.32	9.63

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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