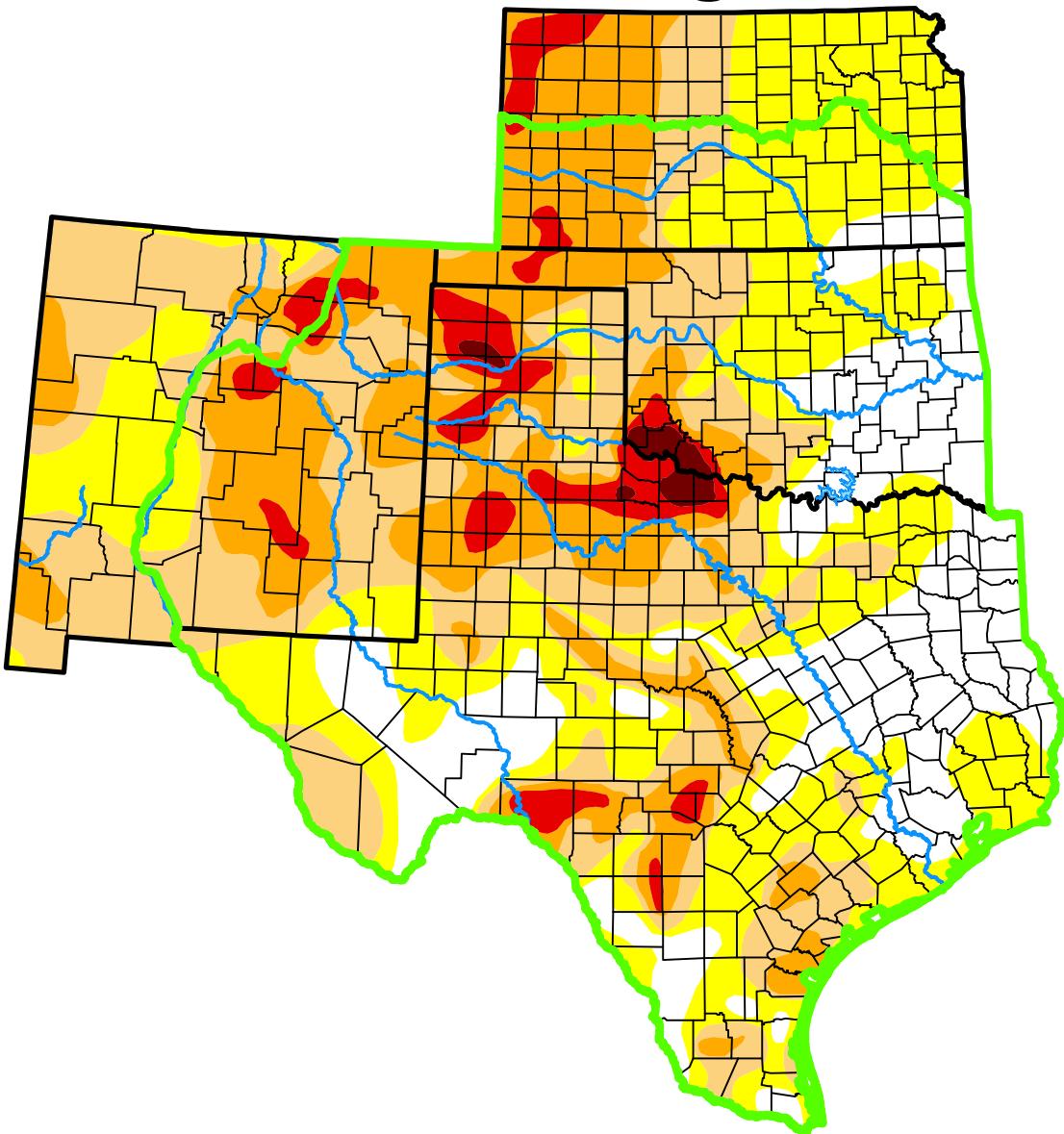


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



January 14, 2014  
(Released Thursday, Jan. 16, 2014)  
Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	22.29	77.71	49.94	26.39	5.82	0.86
Last Week 01-07-2014	25.96	74.04	49.56	25.81	5.30	0.86
3 Months Ago 10-15-2013	17.35	82.65	60.76	25.49	3.58	0.30
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2013	26.17	73.83	48.98	26.00	5.30	0.86
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	12.19	87.81	65.16	28.11	4.07	0.30
One Year Ago 01-15-2013	5.71	94.29	83.92	69.30	42.05	13.25

(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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