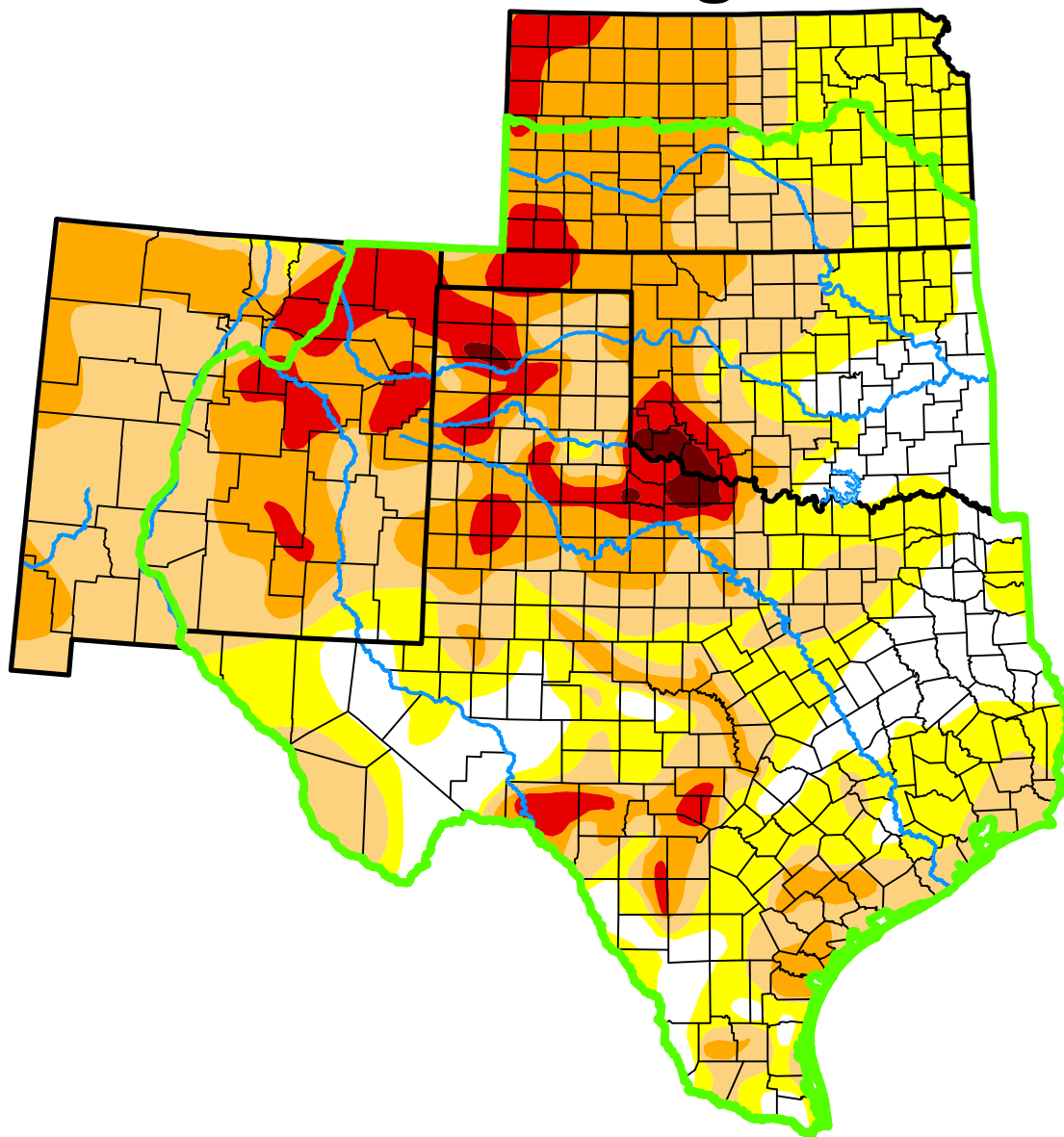


U.S. Drought Monitor

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	16.50	83.50	57.11	31.09	9.47	0.86
Last Week <i>01-21-2014</i>	20.54	79.46	50.66	26.39	5.82	0.86
3 Months Ago <i>10-29-2013</i>	21.49	78.51	55.69	25.91	4.22	0.37
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	26.17	73.83	48.98	26.00	5.30	0.86
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	12.19	87.81	65.16	28.11	4.07	0.30
One Year Ago <i>01-29-2013</i>	6.31	93.69	85.21	69.66	42.91	13.51

(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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