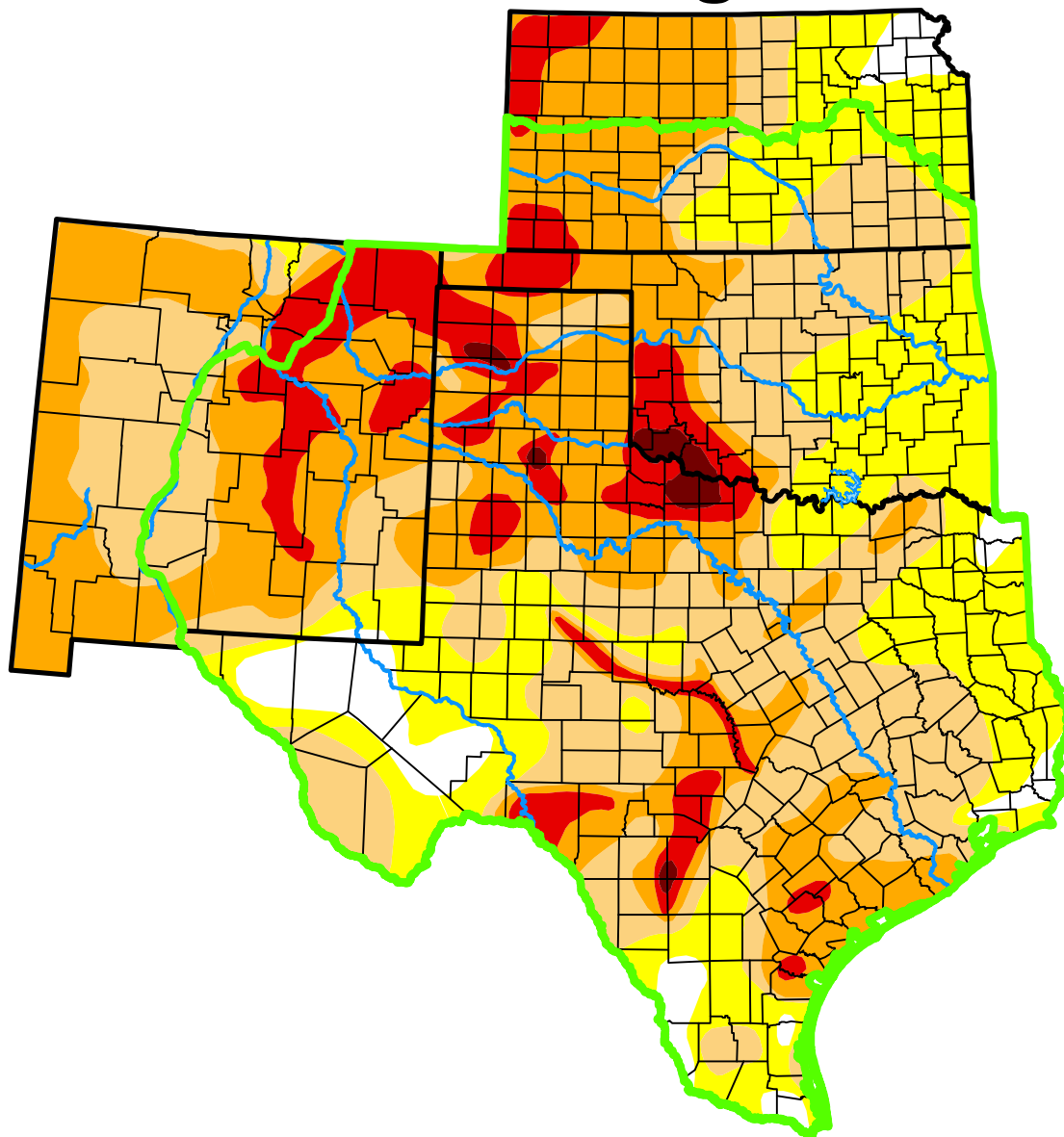


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.57	24.37	32.57	26.74	10.81	0.94
Last Week <i>02-18-2014</i>	10.47	28.22	27.38	22.82	10.30	0.81
3 Months Ago <i>11-26-2013</i>	24.68	25.36	24.80	19.99	4.21	0.96
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2013</i>	26.17	24.85	22.98	20.70	4.44	0.86
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2013</i>	12.19	22.65	37.05	24.04	3.76	0.30
One Year Ago <i>02-26-2013</i>	6.86	8.56	15.76	27.42	33.85	7.56

(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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