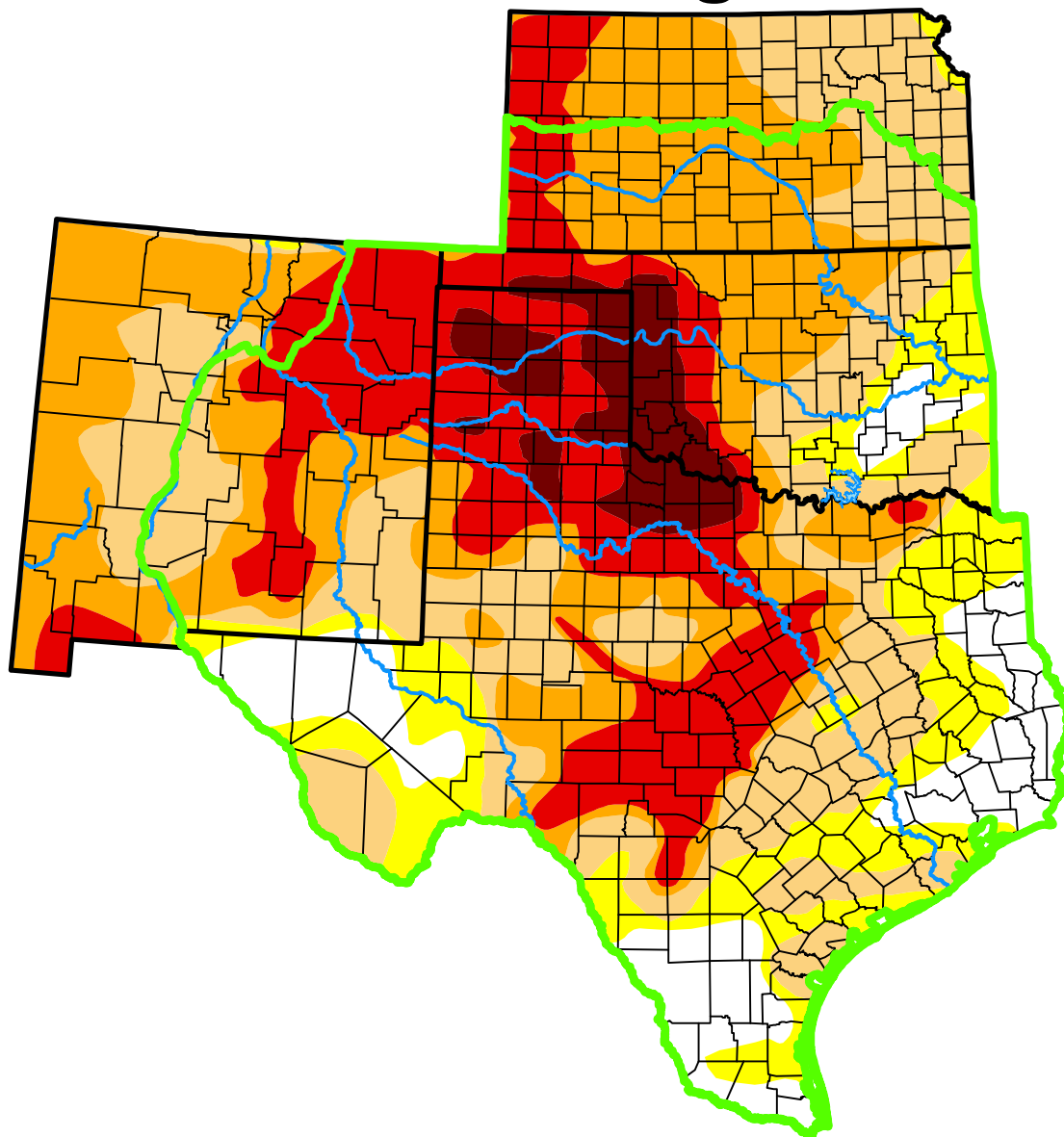


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	11.67	14.58	23.98	22.13	21.22	6.42
Last Week <i>04-01-2014</i>	10.06	14.10	25.56	23.16	23.09	4.03
3 Months Ago <i>01-07-2014</i>	25.96	24.48	23.74	20.51	4.44	0.86
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>04-09-2013</i>	0.38	8.73	16.35	32.09	31.71	10.74

(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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