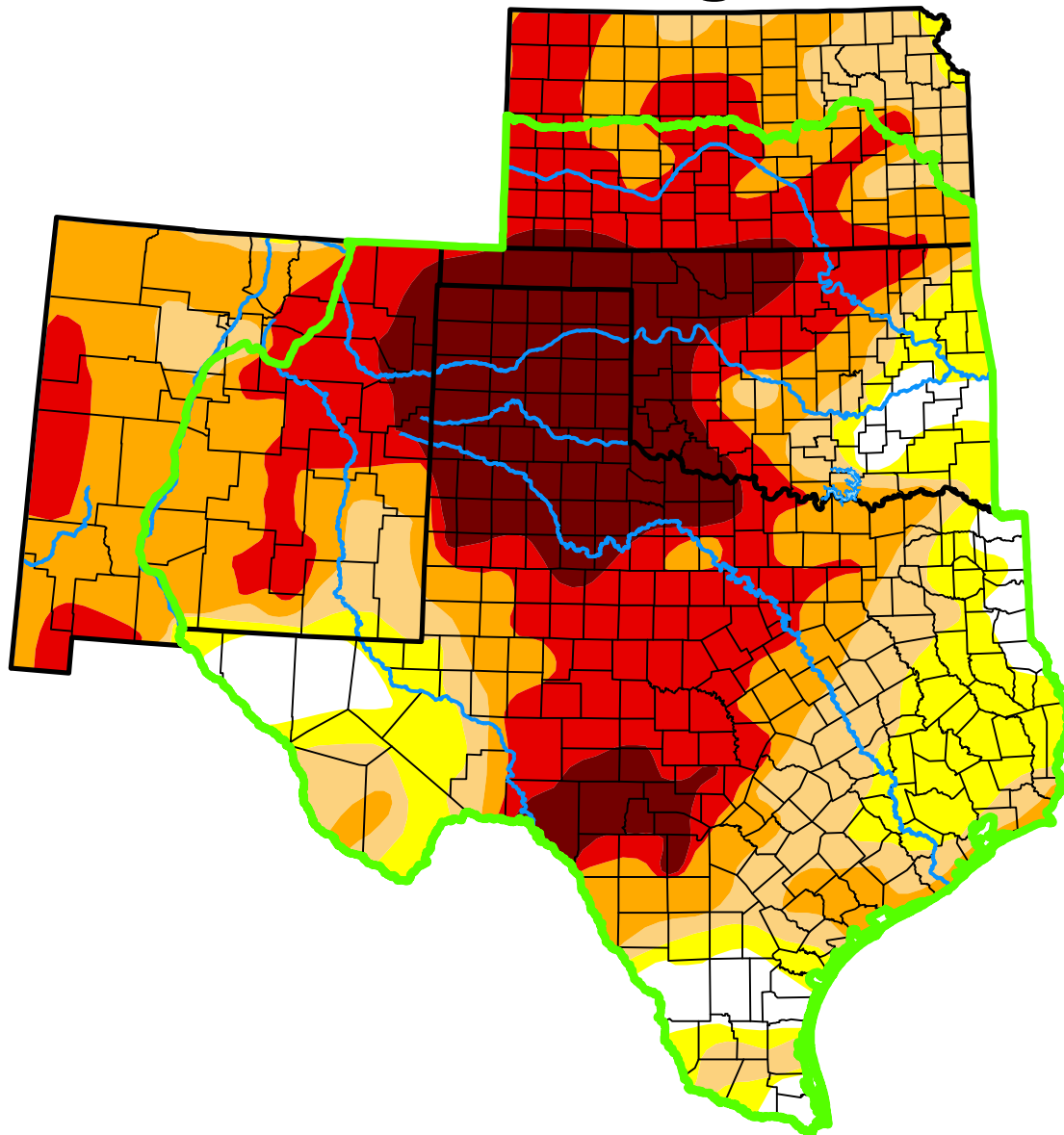


U.S. Drought Monitor

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	6.69	93.31	79.23	64.96	44.66	19.08
Last Week <i>05-06-2014</i>	4.16	95.84	86.31	70.64	49.13	18.99
3 Months Ago <i>02-11-2014</i>	12.25	87.75	59.04	30.66	10.57	0.81
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>05-14-2013</i>	4.64	95.36	88.55	71.97	45.40	20.92

(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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