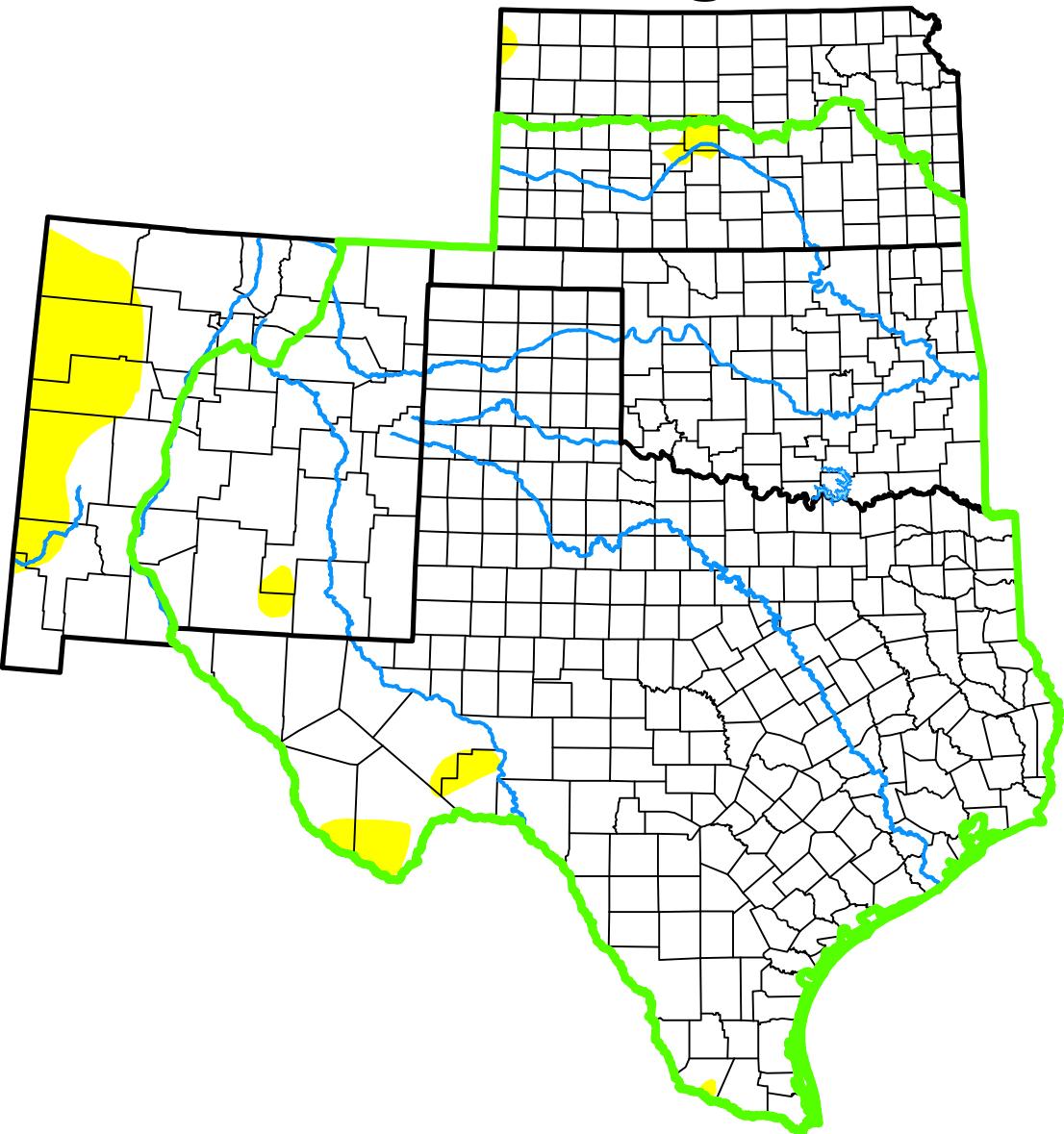


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



January 5, 2016
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	98.45	1.55	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 12-29-2015	96.54	3.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 10-06-2015	46.21	53.79	32.88	16.29	6.36	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-29-2015	96.54	3.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2015	50.14	49.86	25.82	11.59	3.93	0.00
One Year Ago 01-06-2015	33.08	66.92	46.40	26.53	10.36	2.37

(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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