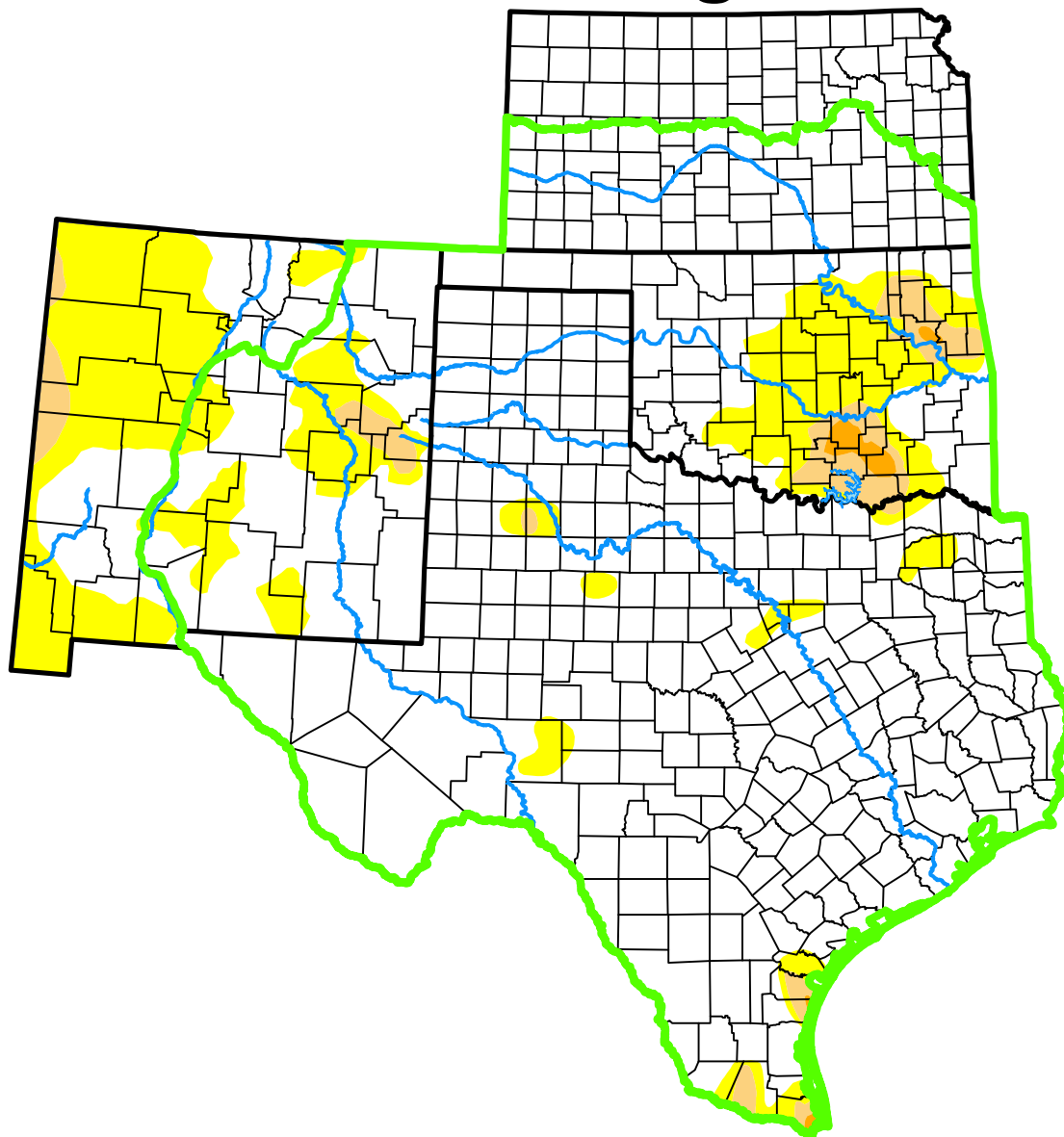


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



September 20, 2016
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	85.82	11.07	2.67	0.45	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-13-2016</i>	86.57	10.64	2.36	0.43	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-21-2016</i>	86.18	13.82	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2015</i>	96.54	3.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2015</i>	50.14	24.04	14.24	7.66	3.93	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-22-2015</i>	53.29	26.60	11.12	6.03	2.95	0.00

(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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