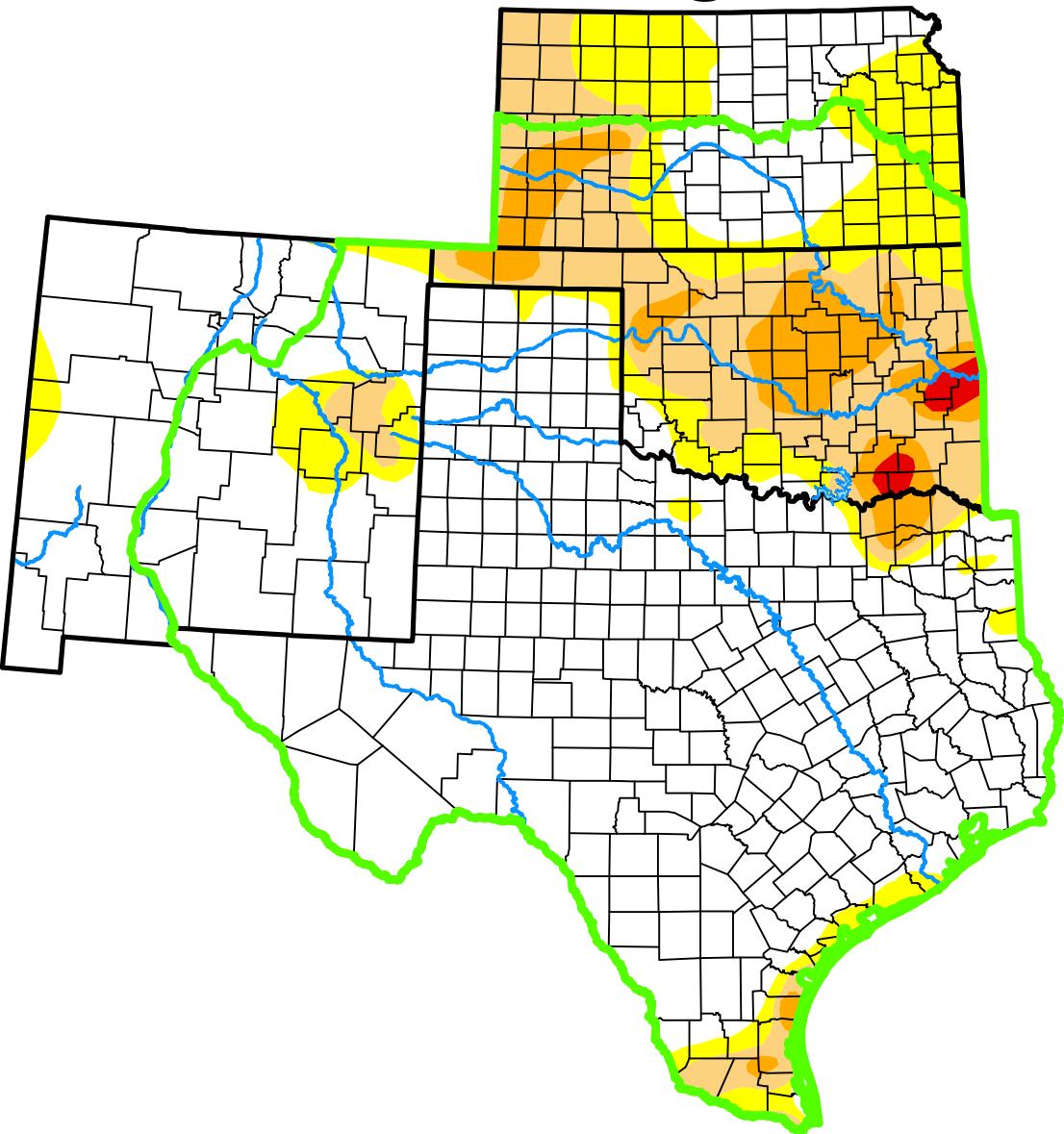


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



January 31, 2017
(Released Thursday, Feb. 2, 2017)
Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| Current | 71.25 | 10.26 | 11.67 | 6.19 | 0.62 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 01-24-2017 | 71.20 | 10.37 | 11.61 | 6.19 | 0.62 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 11-01-2016 | 54.79 | 28.93 | 11.12 | 5.17 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017 | 58.87 | 19.45 | 9.10 | 11.67 | 0.91 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-27-2016 | 85.87 | 10.28 | 3.37 | 0.48 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 02-02-2016 | 98.05 | 1.95 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 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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