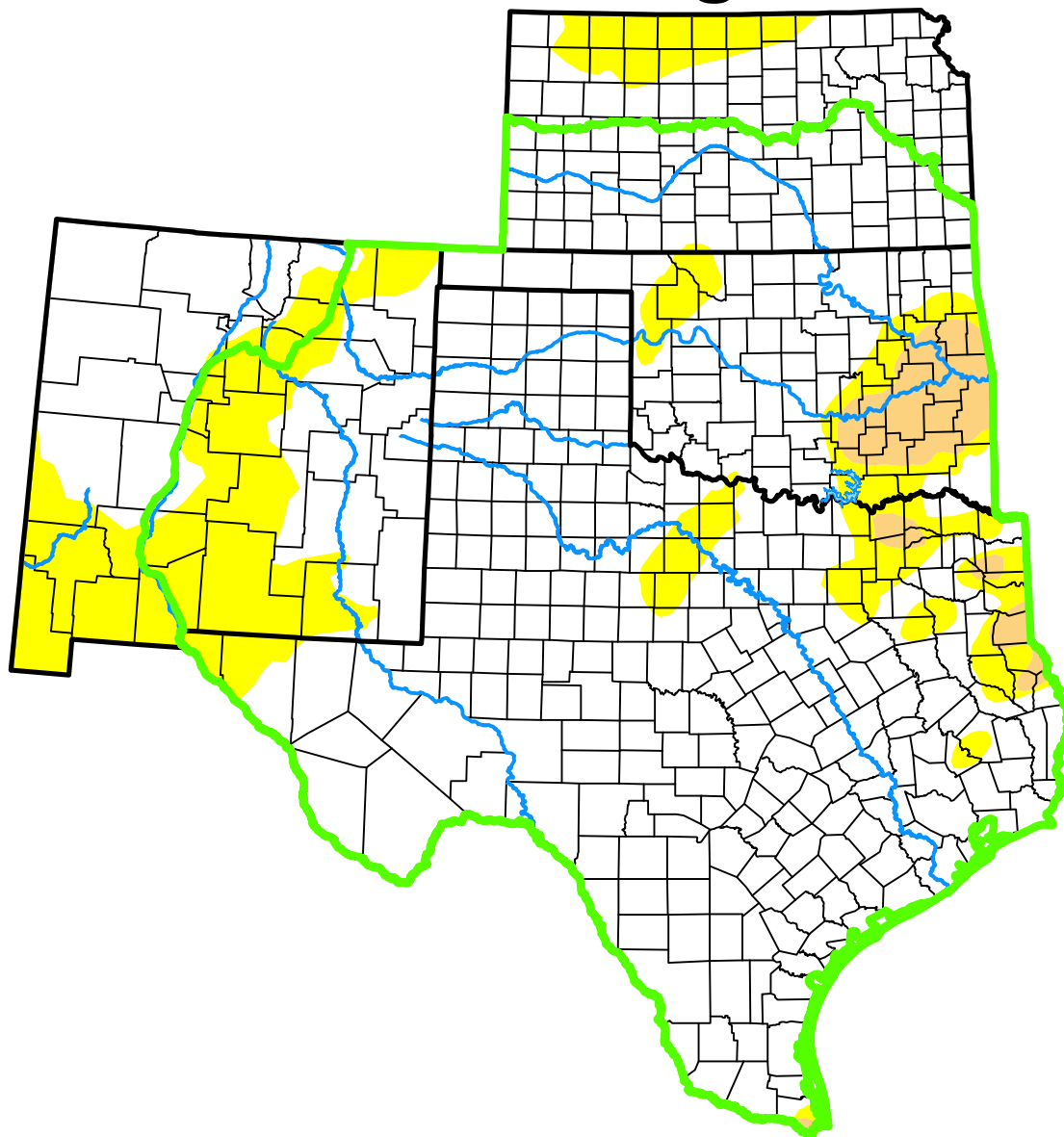


U.S. Drought Monitor

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	82.01	17.99	3.48	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 04-18-2017	72.60	27.40	6.11	1.60	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 01-24-2017	71.20	28.80	18.43	6.82	0.62	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	58.87	41.13	21.68	12.58	0.91	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	85.87	14.13	3.85	0.48	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 04-26-2016	65.03	34.97	9.54	0.42	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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