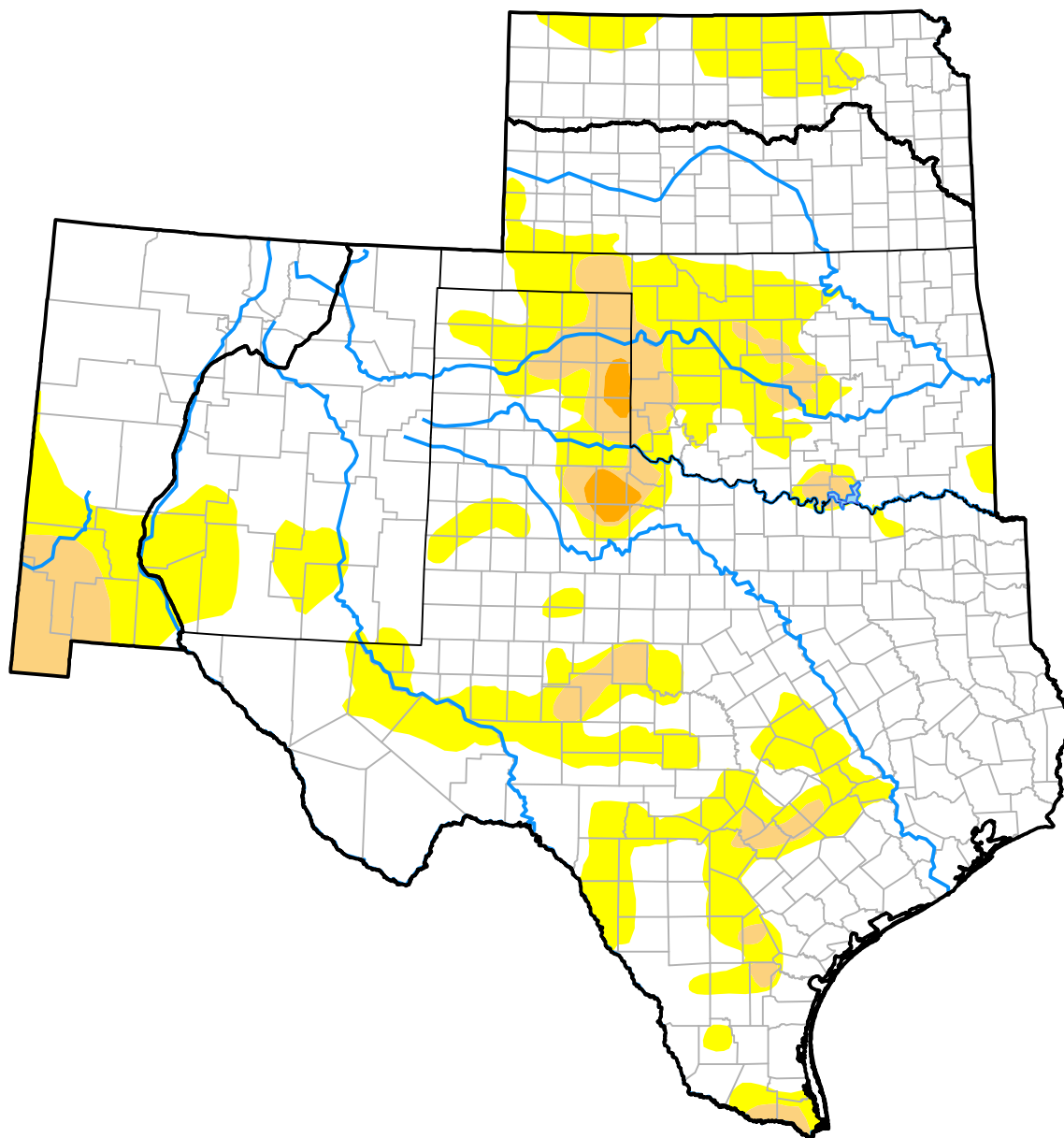


U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains RDEWS

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	71.72	28.28	6.85	0.54	0.00	0.00
Last Week 06-29-2017	69.42	30.58	7.10	0.35	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-06-2017	64.34	35.66	10.73	2.22	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-05-2017	65.81	34.19	17.53	9.68	0.87	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	78.11	21.89	4.30	0.47	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 07-07-2016	74.79	25.21	4.84	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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