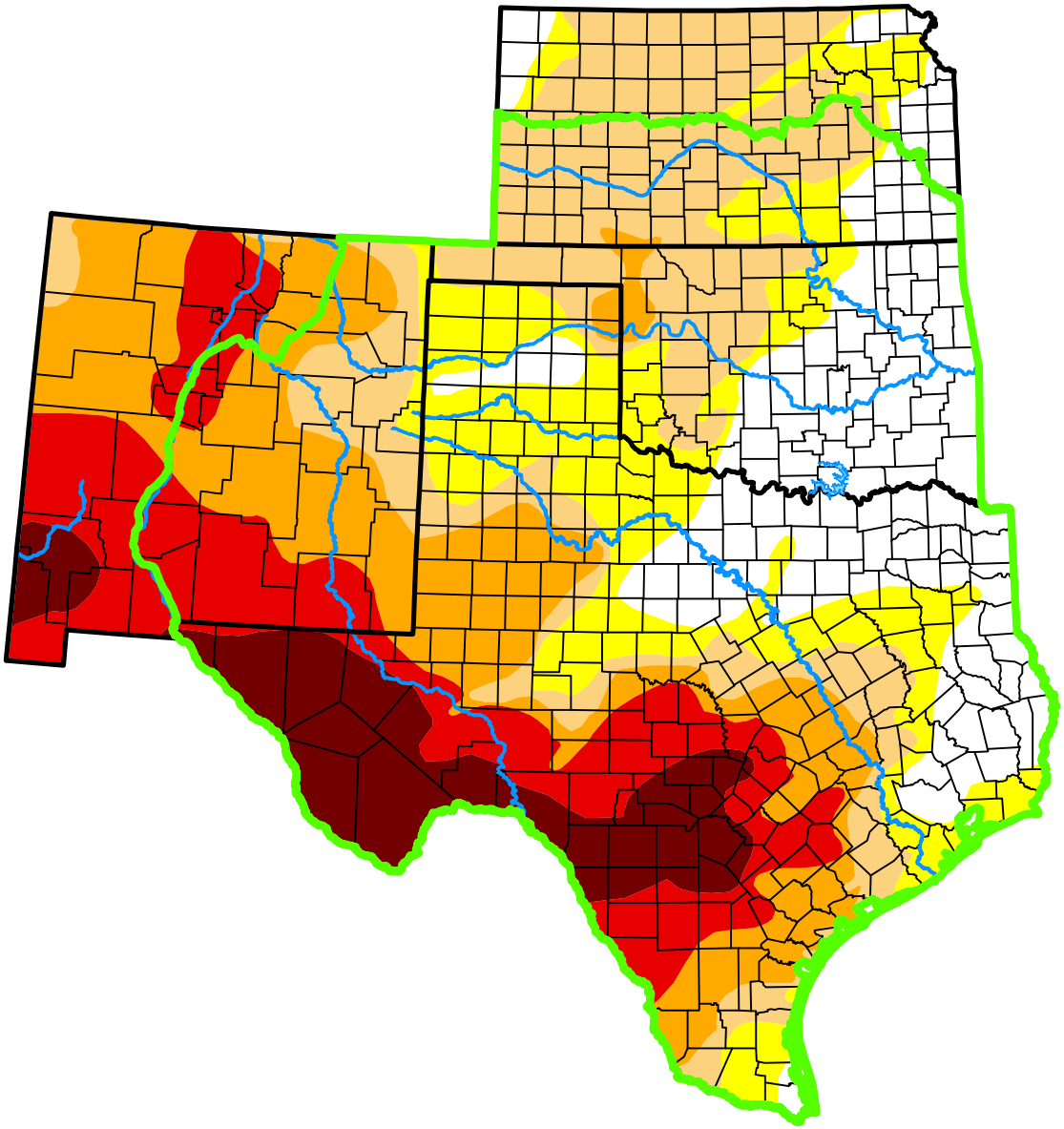
U.S. Drought Monitor

Southern Plains DEWS and Surrounding Areas



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	24.79	20.38	24.22	11.55	8.36	10.69
Last Week *04-15-2025*	22.39	20.83	24.77	13.65	7.67	10.69
3 Months Ago *01-21-2025*	48.82	18.57	17.36	6.28	4.96	4.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-07-2025*	42.10	24.40	19.82	5.25	4.43	4.00
Start of Water Year *10-01-2024*	21.87	36.07	23.59	10.88	5.45	2.14
One Year Ago *04-23-2024*	39.08	24.21	23.94	11.47	1.30	0.00

(Statistics for area highlighted in green)

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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