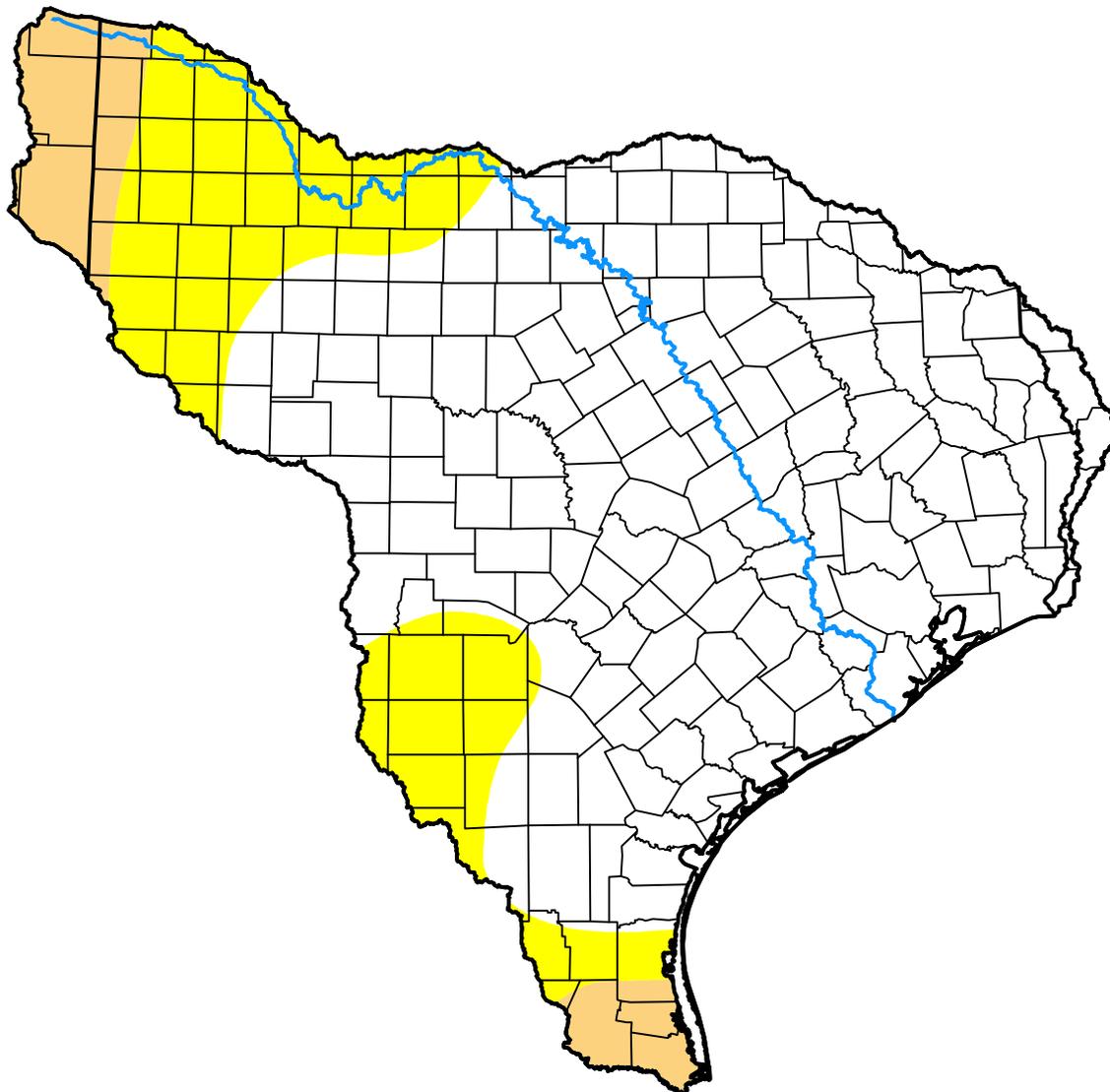


U.S. Drought Monitor

Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	74.03	19.38	6.58	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-10-2002</i>	60.46	32.90	6.64	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-18-2002</i>	76.06	9.01	13.08	0.58	1.28	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	72.98	8.41	12.23	5.67	0.70	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	60.56	27.47	11.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-18-2001</i>	63.65	15.85	14.82	5.69	0.00	0.00

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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