

# U.S. Drought Monitor

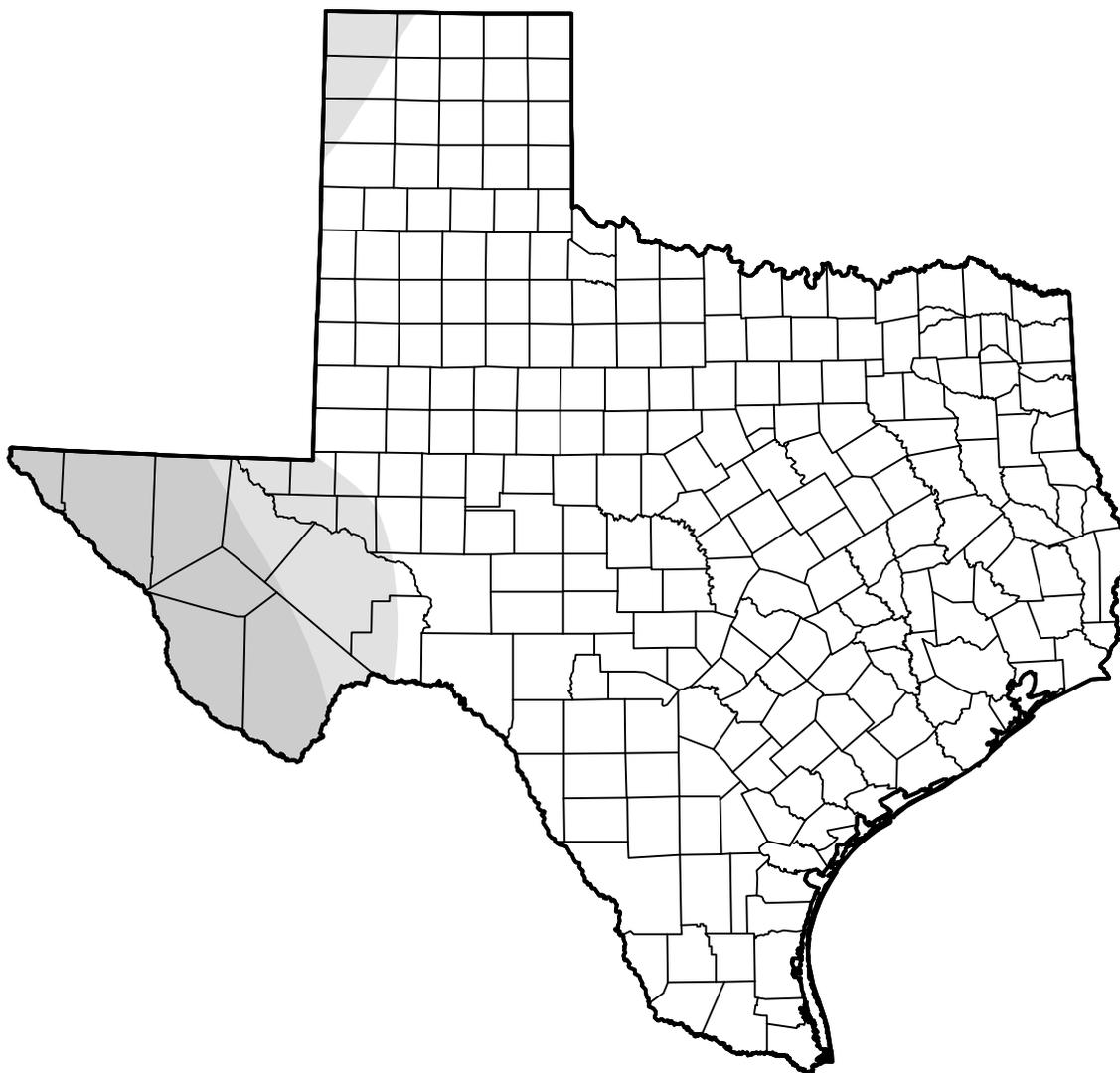
## Texas

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	86.06	13.93	8.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-12-2002</i>	86.21	13.78	7.73	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-19-2002</i>	62.30	37.69	18.52	7.30	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	52.53	47.46	36.51	17.76	11.17	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2002</i>	40.78	59.22	24.22	6.07	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-20-2001</i>	52.74	47.25	38.42	17.67	10.97	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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