

U.S. Drought Monitor

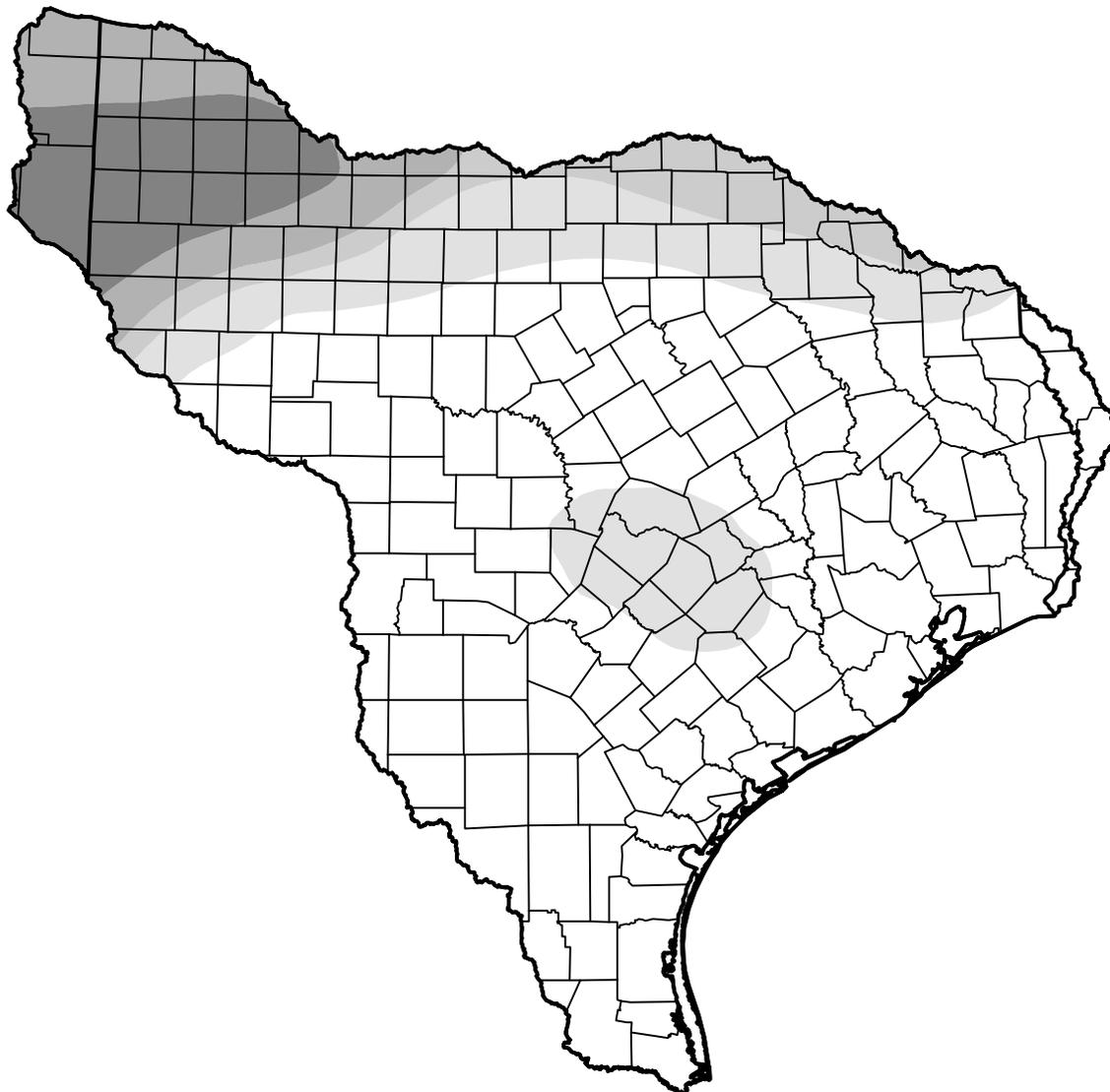
Texas-Gulf Watershed

December 16, 2003
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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 66.84 | 33.16 | 18.61 | 13.55 | 7.43 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>12-11-2003</i> | 65.57 | 34.43 | 19.54 | 13.61 | 7.13 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>09-18-2003</i> | 61.25 | 38.75 | 19.16 | 9.14 | 1.26 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2003</i> | 76.29 | 23.71 | 14.90 | 8.33 | 1.25 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>12-19-2002</i> | 99.84 | 0.16 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |



Intensity:



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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