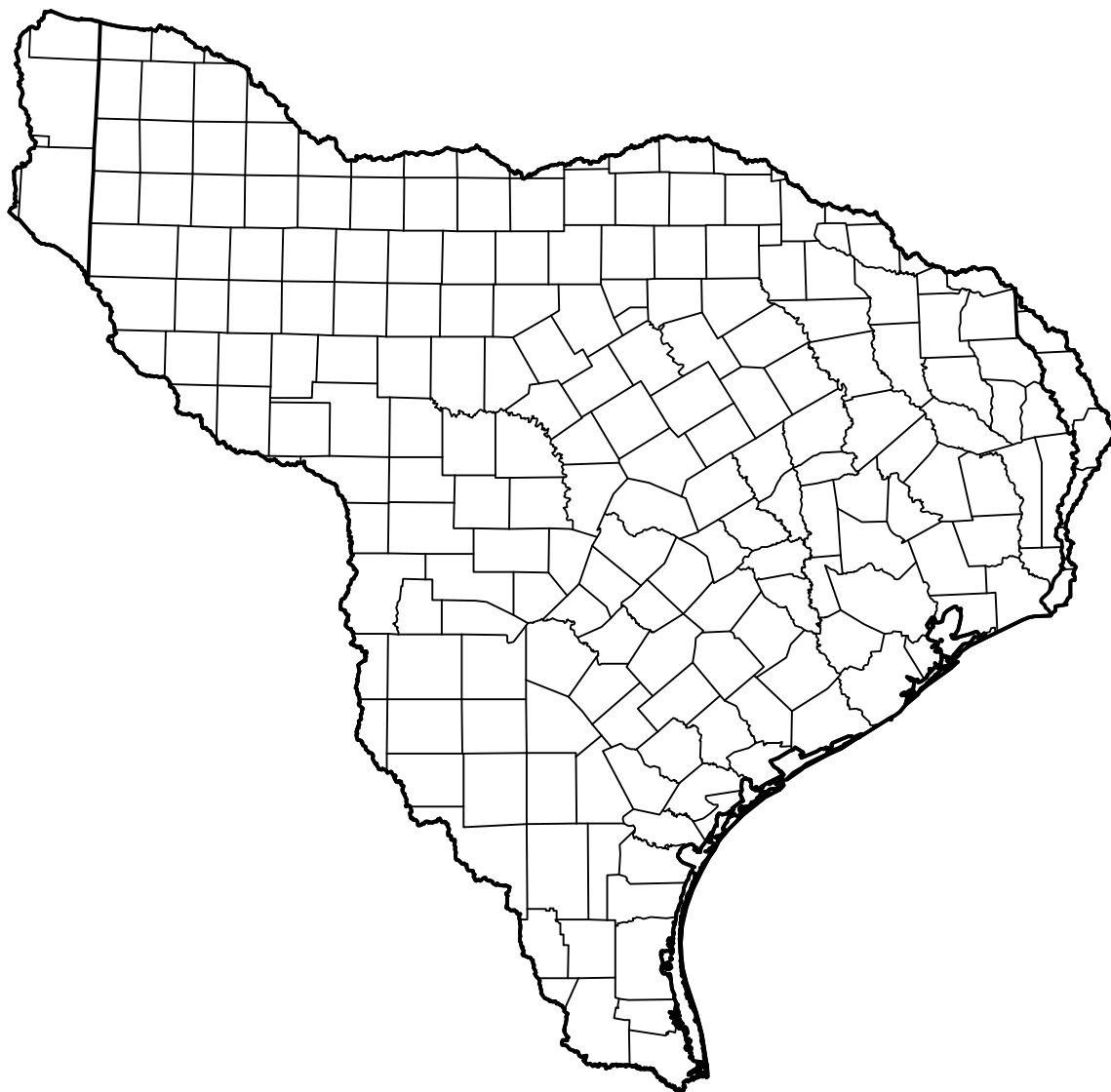


U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-09-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-16-2004</i>	98.61	1.39	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2003</i>	55.26	44.74	18.87	13.93	7.45	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-18-2003</i>	66.84	33.16	18.61	13.55	7.43	0.00

Intensity:

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