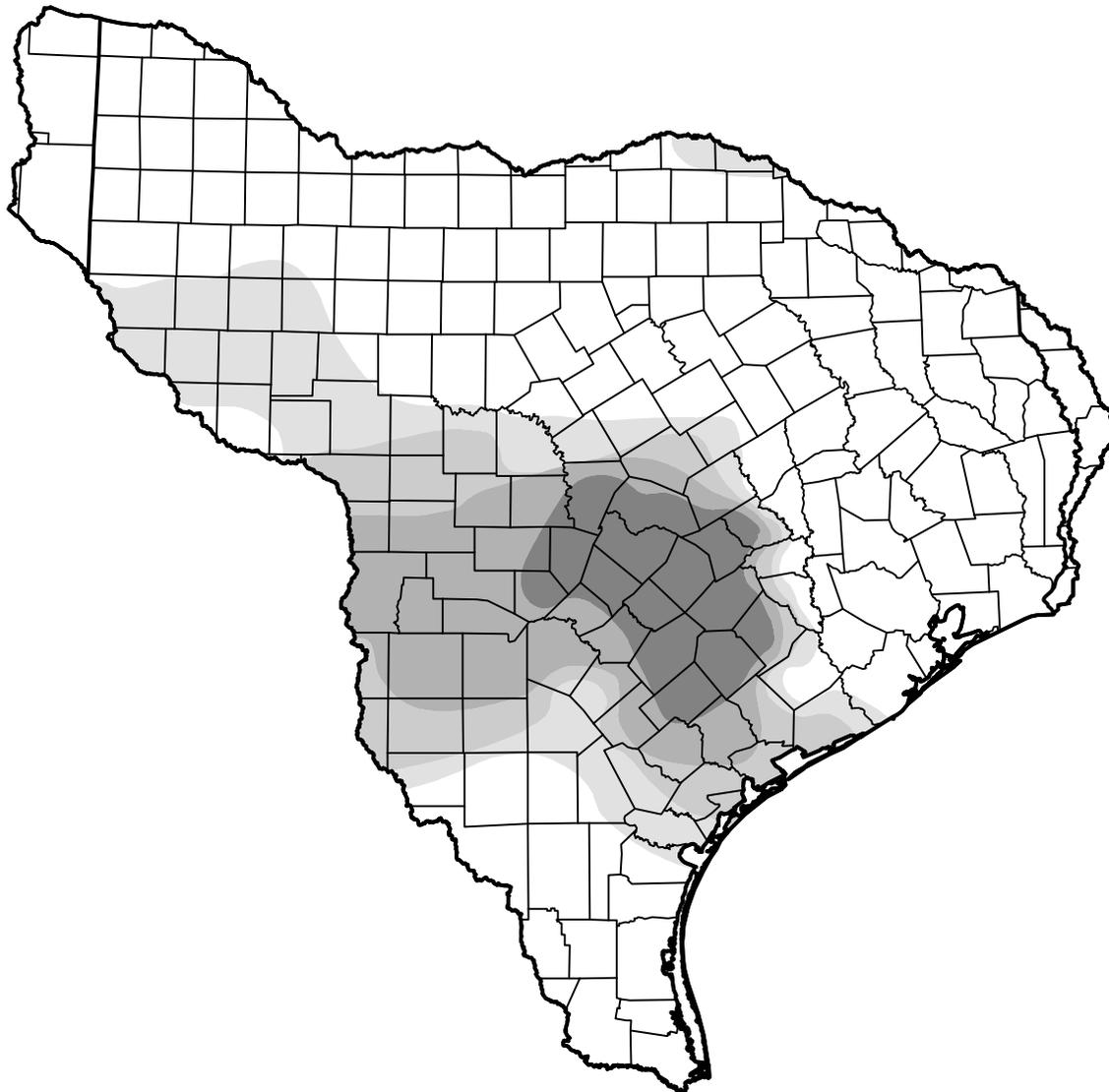


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Texas-Gulf Watershed

**October 21, 2008**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	63.69	36.31	23.93	16.77	6.65	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-16-2008</i>	62.06	37.94	23.74	15.90	6.65	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-24-2008</i>	10.43	89.57	71.74	45.18	28.99	8.94
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	52.73	47.27	10.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	61.32	38.68	26.81	13.71	5.36	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-25-2007</i>	96.72	3.28	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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