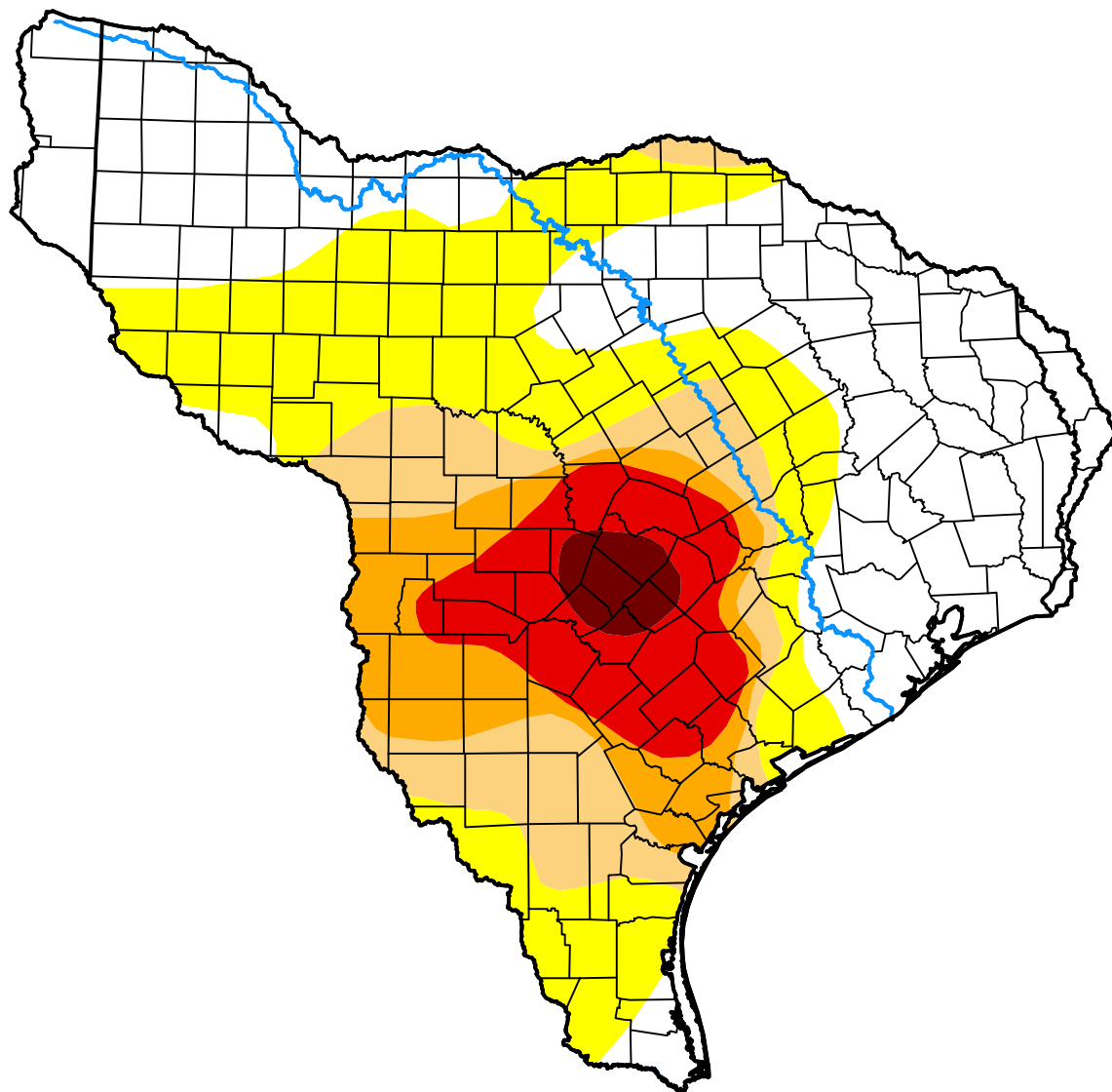


U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	40.81	27.35	11.85	8.98	9.17	1.84
Last Week <i>11-26-2008</i>	45.51	23.07	11.43	9.47	10.52	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-04-2008</i>	41.14	25.17	19.06	10.06	4.57	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2008</i>	52.73	36.91	10.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	61.32	11.87	13.11	8.34	5.36	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-06-2007</i>	54.44	43.63	1.94	0.00	0.00	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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