

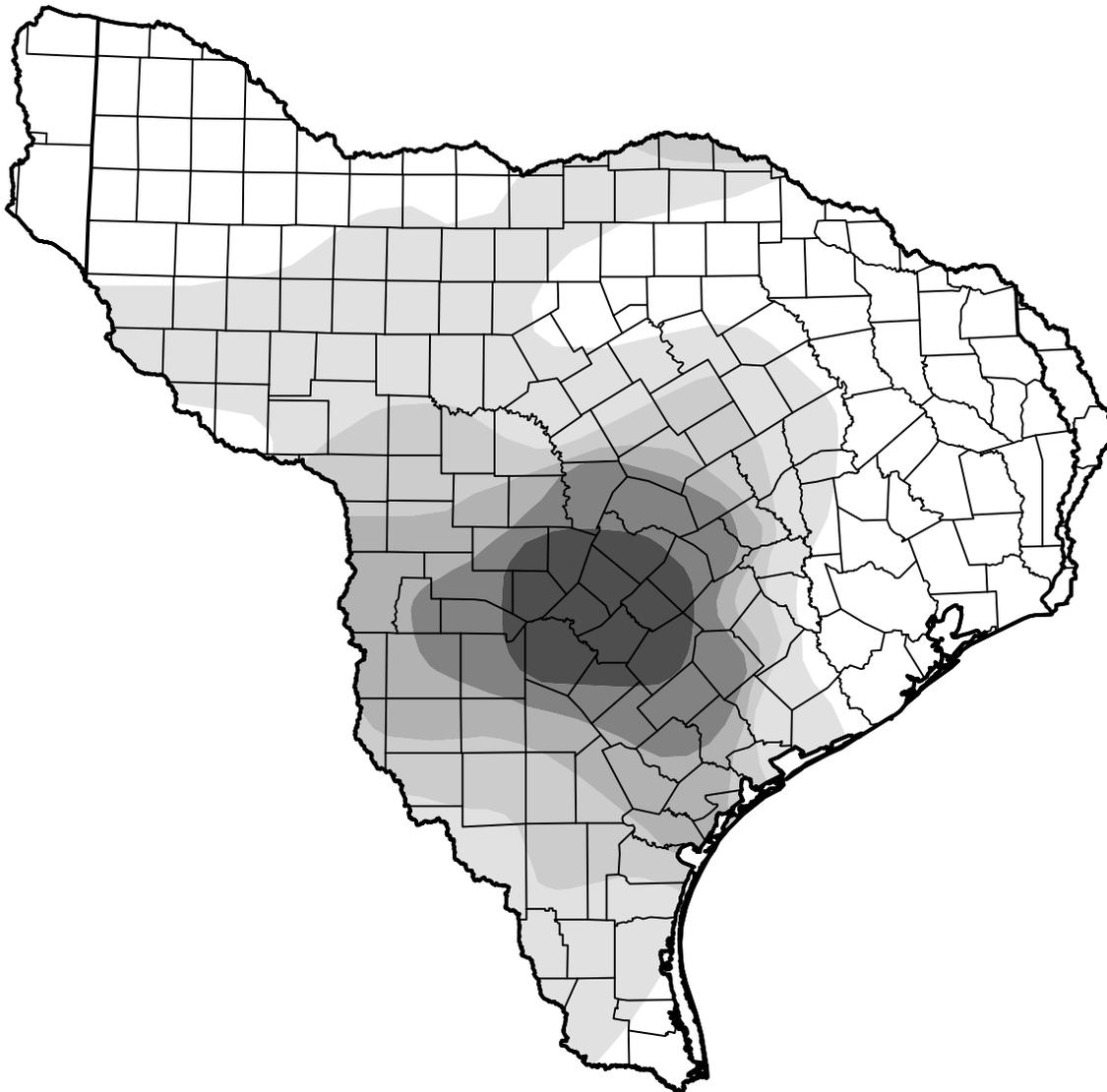
# U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	40.81	27.35	10.91	8.96	7.26	4.72
<b>Last Week</b> <i>12-04-2008</i>	40.81	27.35	11.85	8.98	9.17	1.84
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>09-11-2008</i>	45.16	22.55	17.93	9.96	4.40	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	52.73	36.91	10.36	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-02-2008</i>	61.32	11.87	13.11	8.34	5.36	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>12-13-2007</i>	55.11	42.95	1.94	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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