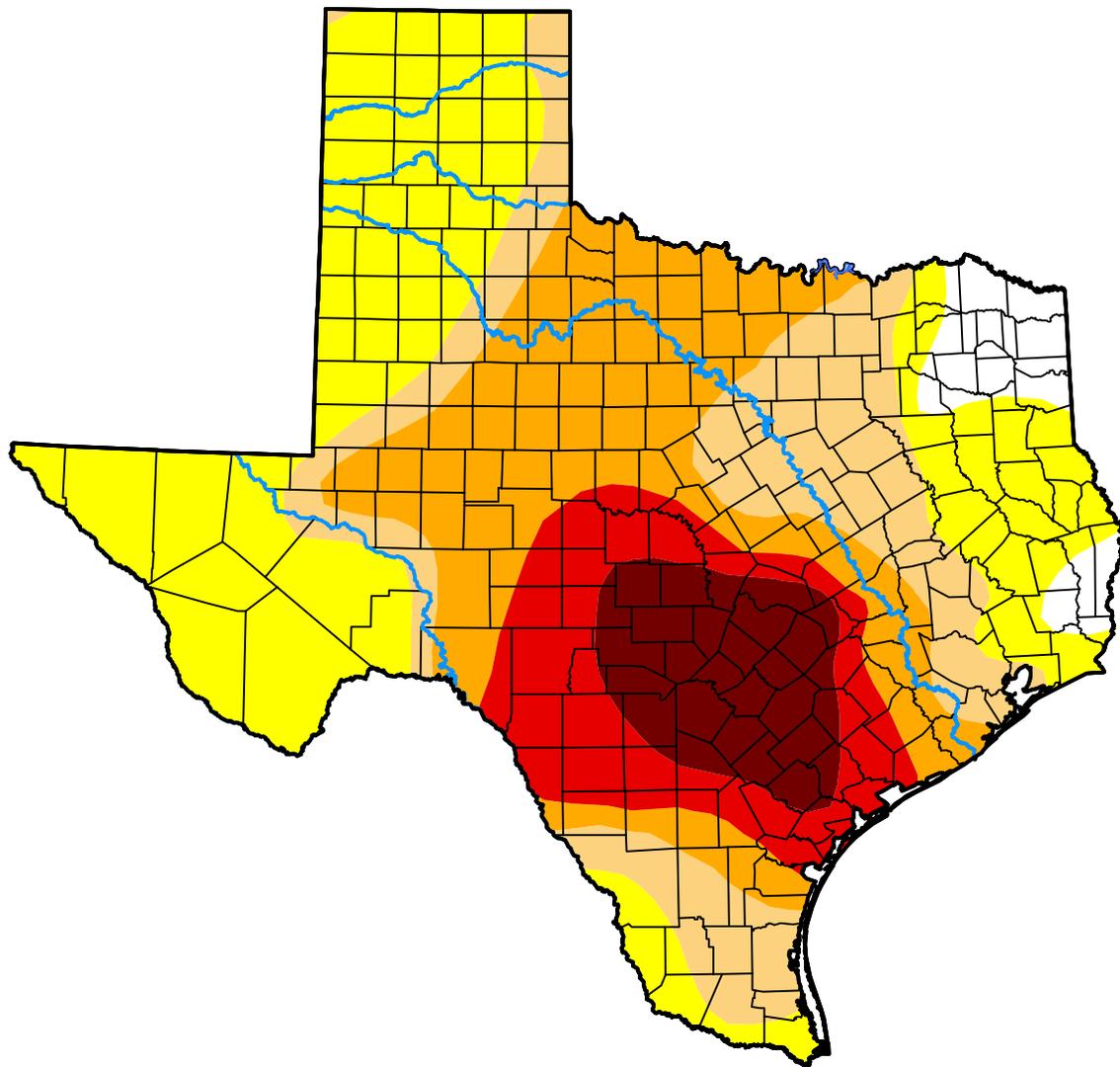


U.S. Drought Monitor

Texas

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	4.14	34.04	18.76	23.12	11.38	8.56
Last Week <i>02-12-2009</i>	2.64	27.90	25.62	24.26	11.96	7.61
3 Months Ago <i>11-20-2008</i>	59.52	18.46	7.97	7.85	6.20	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	48.06	27.42	9.56	5.89	4.92	4.15
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2008</i>	67.04	12.84	10.59	5.89	3.64	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-21-2008</i>	28.33	30.68	26.19	13.27	1.52	0.00

Intensity:

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