

# U.S. Drought Monitor

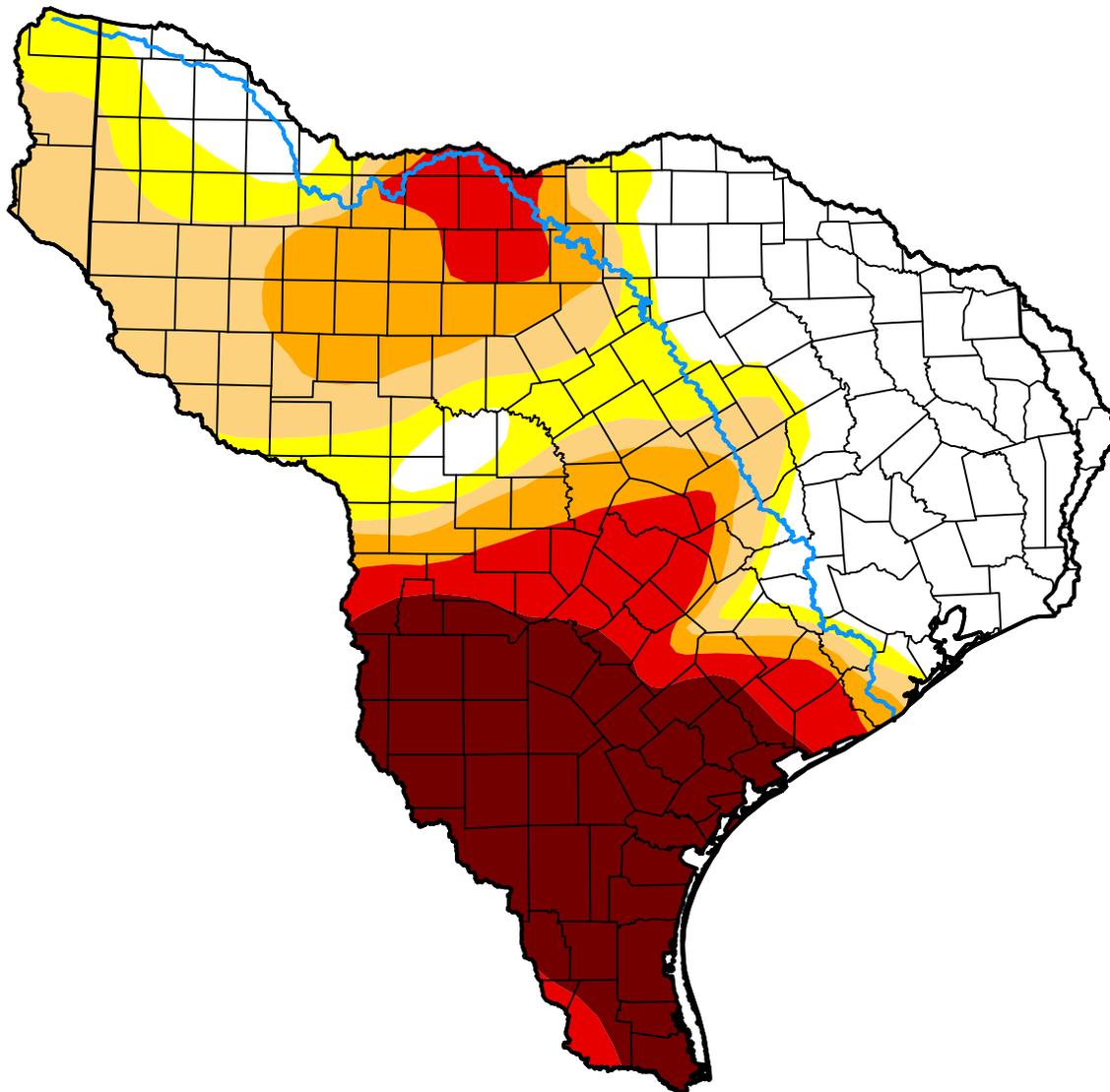
## Texas-Gulf Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	29.06	12.65	16.05	11.62	10.57	20.05
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-07-2009</i>	26.71	12.45	17.53	14.09	15.00	14.21
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-12-2009</i>	1.44	17.85	25.77	27.91	15.80	11.23
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	34.55	33.61	10.91	7.54	7.25	6.13
<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>05-15-2008</i>	54.74	22.07	8.80	7.33	7.07	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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