

# U.S. Drought Monitor

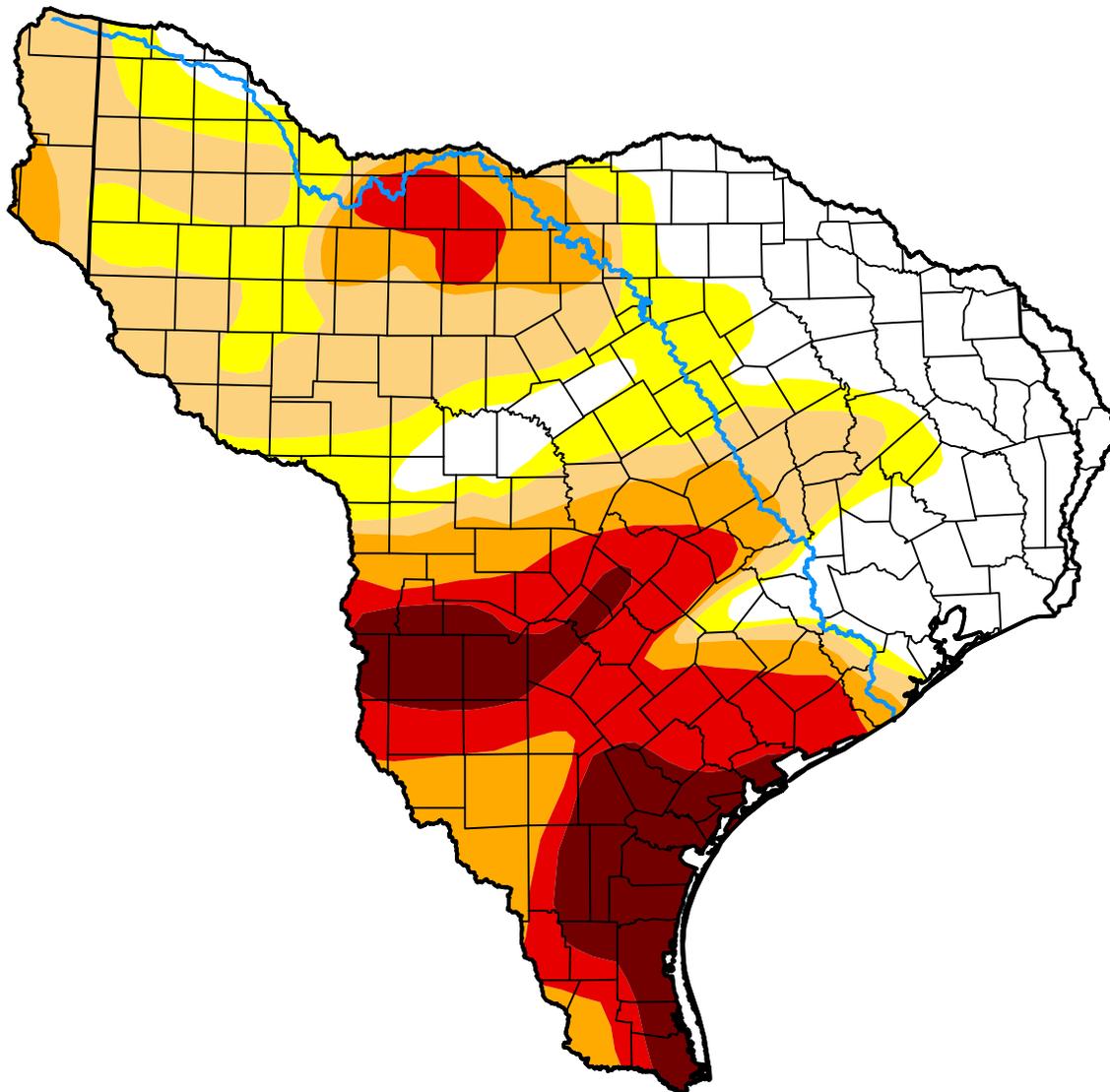
## Texas-Gulf Watershed

**May 26, 2009**  
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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3    | D4    |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 24.47 | 16.32 | 21.46 | 13.70 | 14.27 | 9.78  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>05-21-2009</i>              | 24.51 | 13.83 | 20.65 | 13.79 | 14.84 | 12.38 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>02-26-2009</i>           | 1.19  | 24.04 | 21.18 | 26.02 | 14.95 | 12.62 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-01-2009</i> | 34.55 | 33.61 | 10.91 | 7.54  | 7.25  | 6.13  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-02-2008</i>    | 61.32 | 11.87 | 13.11 | 8.34  | 5.36  | 0.00  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>05-29-2008</i>           | 43.16 | 20.81 | 20.44 | 14.32 | 1.28  | 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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