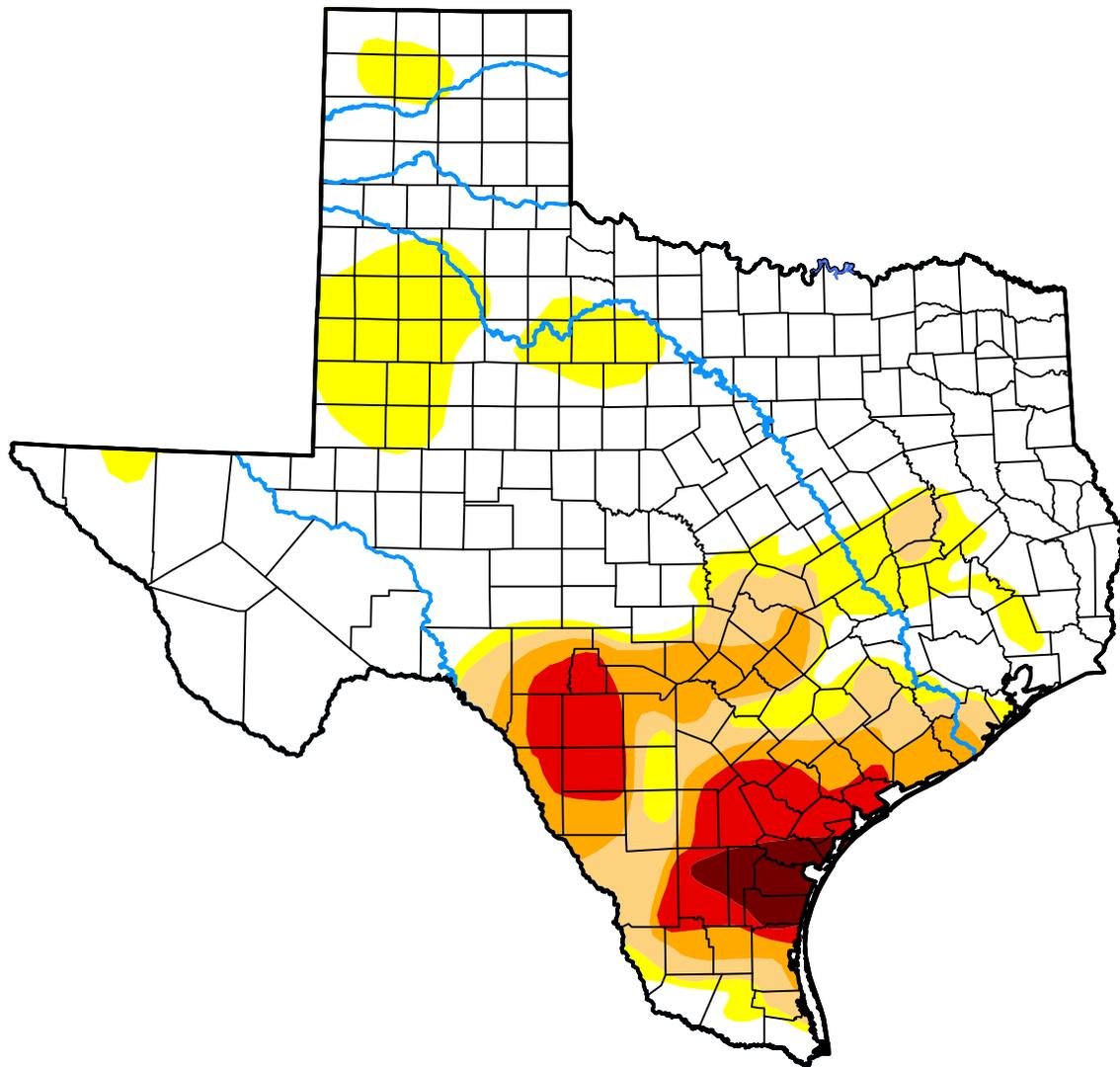


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Texas

**October 20, 2009**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	65.03	14.13	7.12	6.87	5.38	1.46
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-15-2009</i>	68.88	10.32	7.45	7.10	4.78	1.46
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-23-2009</i>	32.28	28.98	9.11	4.96	8.16	16.49
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2009</i>	48.06	27.42	9.56	5.89	4.92	4.15
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2009</i>	63.79	8.40	5.86	9.64	9.17	3.13
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-23-2008</i>	71.25	11.10	5.91	7.23	4.51	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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