

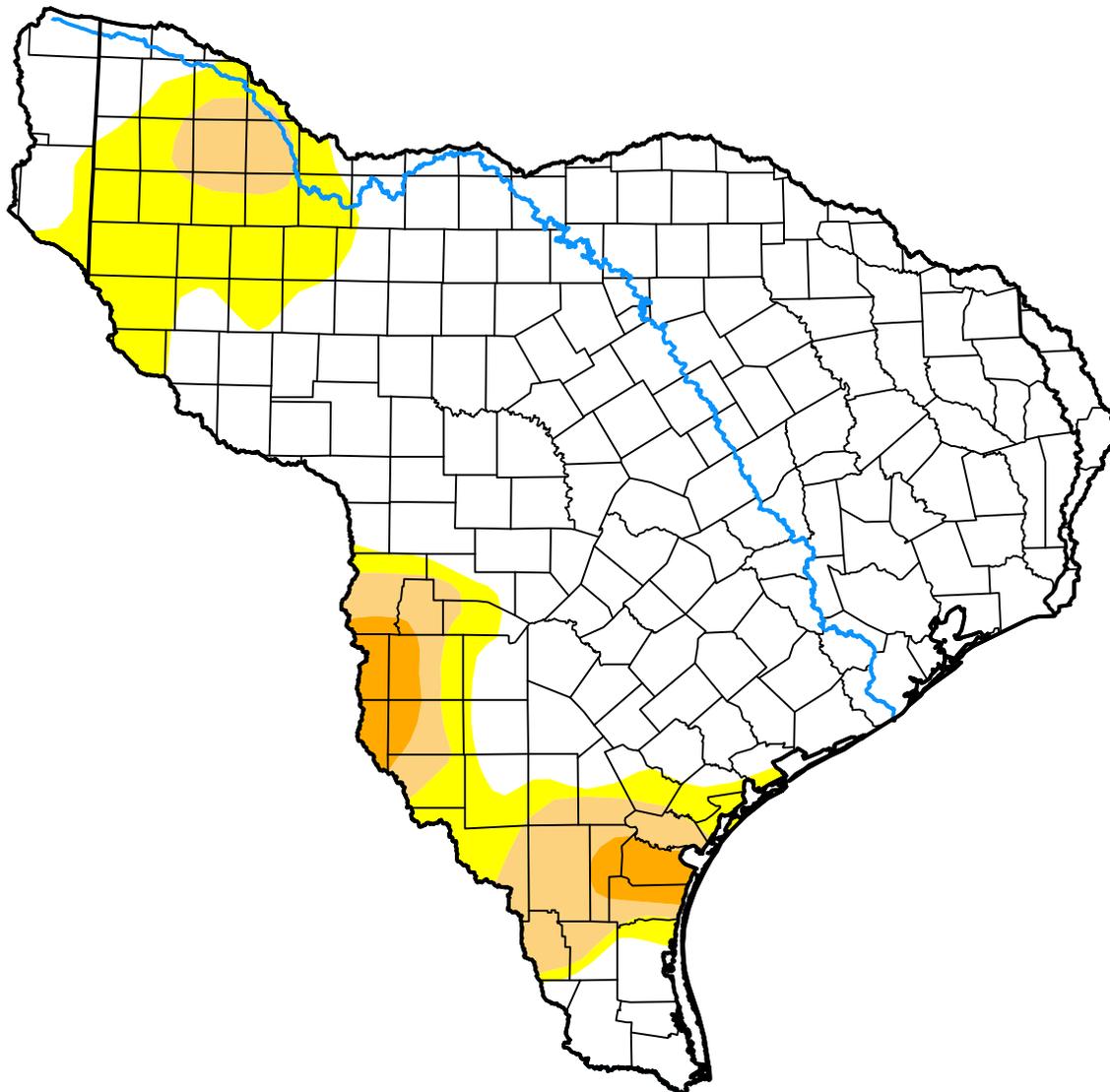
U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	77.61	13.08	6.88	2.44	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>12-17-2009</i>	76.99	13.31	4.77	4.94	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-24-2009</i>	48.93	12.71	6.72	9.04	17.01	5.59
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2009</i>	34.55	33.61	10.91	7.54	7.25	6.13
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2009</i>	51.01	11.50	6.94	12.56	13.37	4.62
One Year Ago <i>12-24-2008</i>	34.55	33.61	10.91	7.54	7.25	6.13



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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