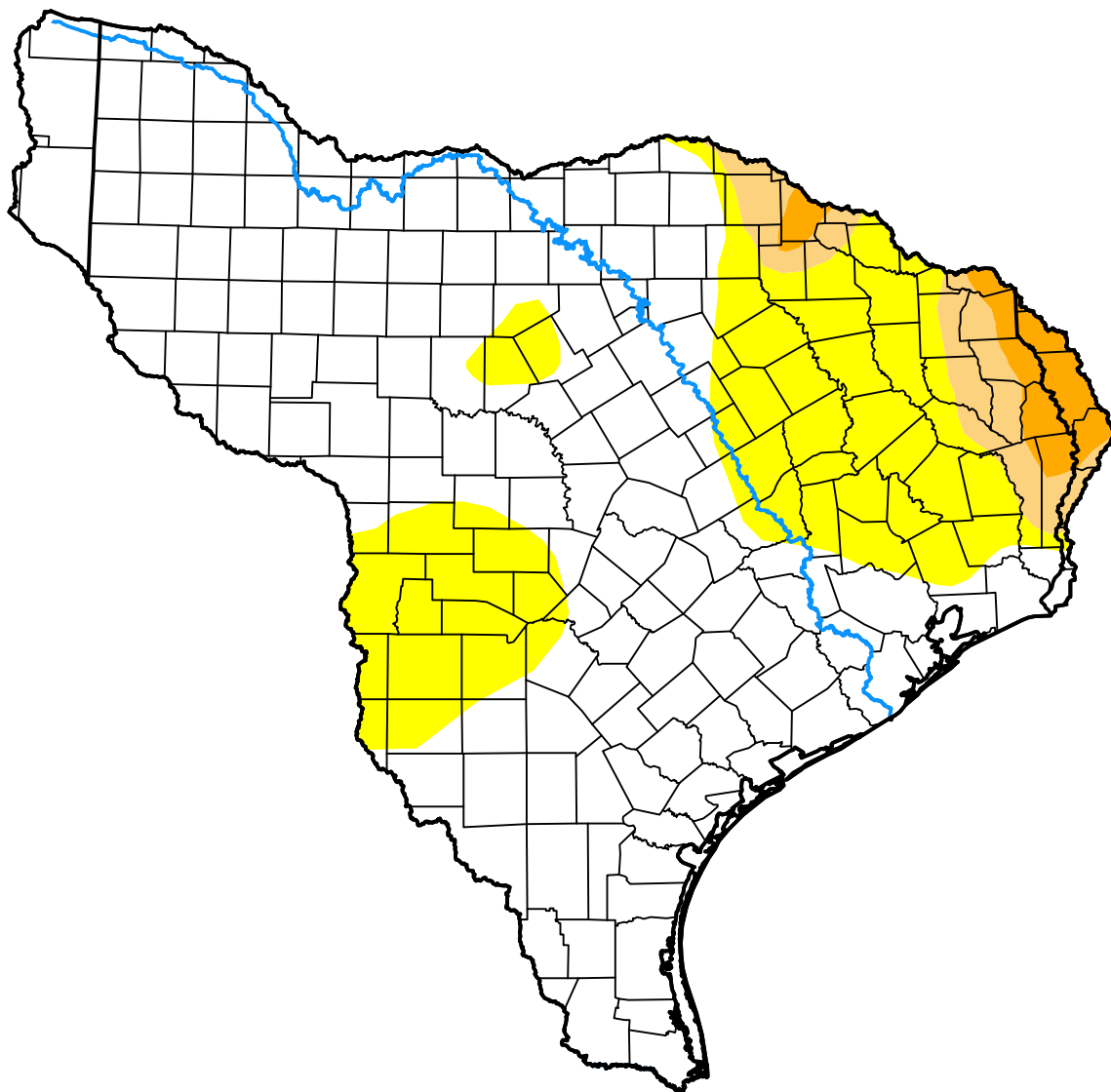


# U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 70.79 | 29.21 | 6.45  | 2.57  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-02-2010</i>              | 44.08 | 55.92 | 15.02 | 2.02  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-10-2010</i>           | 69.51 | 30.49 | 8.53  | 0.28  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2009</i> | 77.96 | 22.04 | 7.61  | 2.44  | 0.00  | 0.00  |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2009</i>    | 51.01 | 48.99 | 37.50 | 30.56 | 18.00 | 4.62  |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-10-2009</i>           | 36.15 | 63.85 | 47.56 | 38.15 | 34.45 | 22.85 |

**Intensity:**

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