

# U.S. Drought Monitor Texas

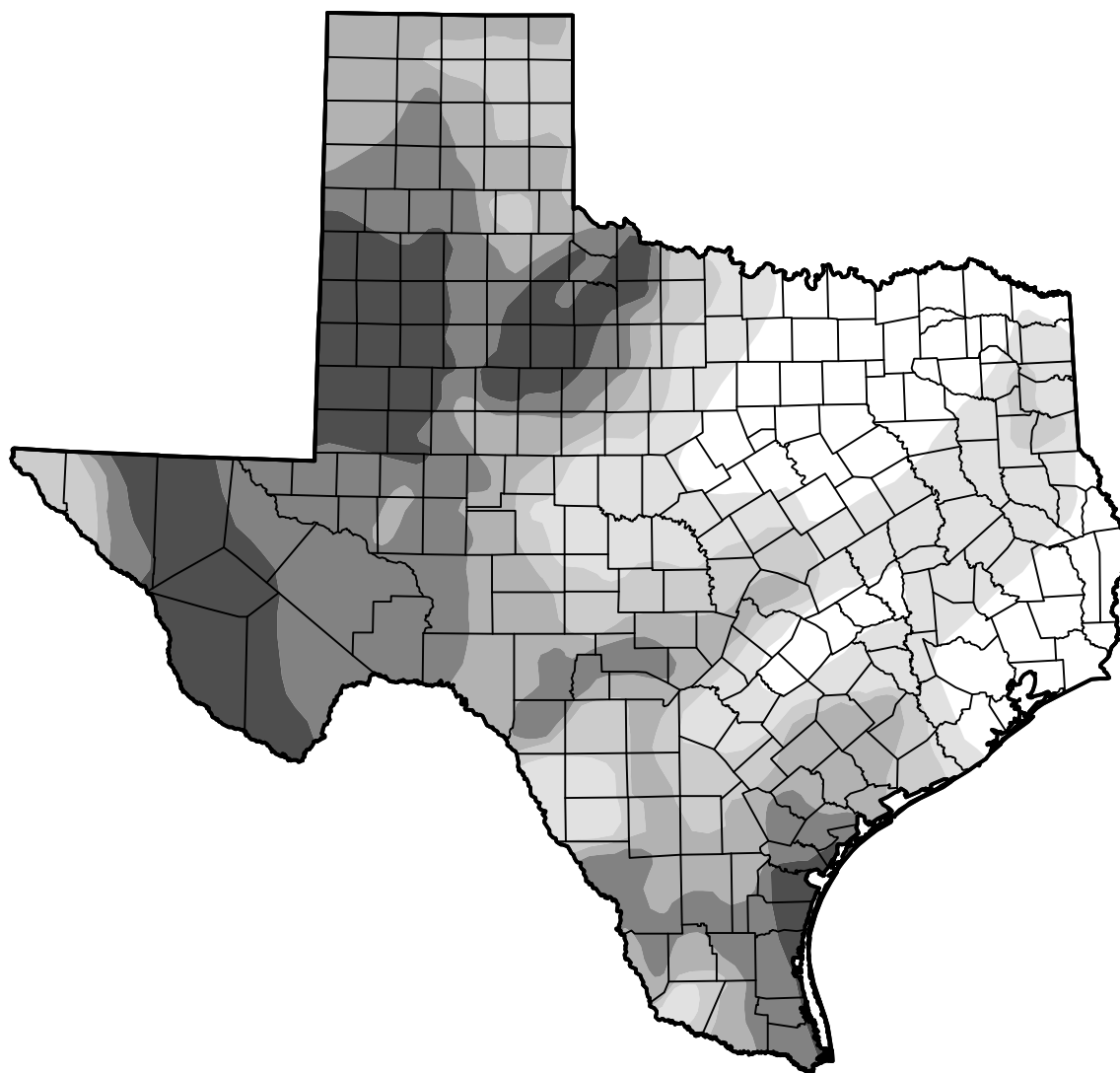
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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4    |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 16.55 | 83.45 | 65.39 | 53.08 | 34.81 | 14.05 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>03-29-2012</i>              | 12.67 | 87.32 | 67.07 | 55.36 | 36.38 | 17.92 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>01-05-2012</i>           | 0.01  | 99.98 | 97.82 | 84.80 | 67.32 | 32.40 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-05-2012</i> | 0.01  | 99.98 | 97.82 | 84.80 | 67.32 | 32.40 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-29-2011</i>    | 0.00  | 99.99 | 99.99 | 99.16 | 96.64 | 85.75 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>04-07-2011</i>           | 0.00  | 99.99 | 97.98 | 86.50 | 60.14 | 4.81  |



## 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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