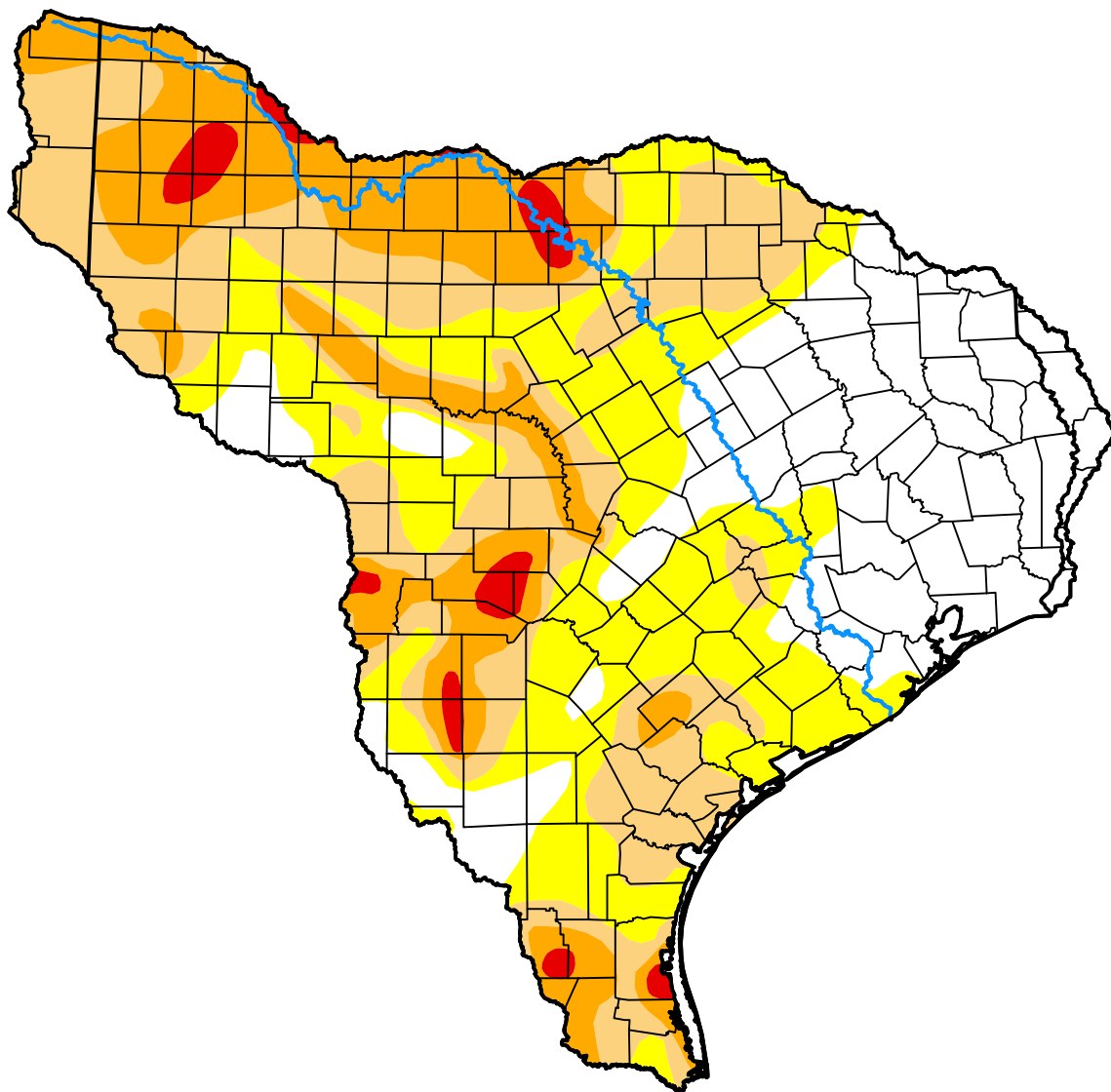


U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	27.36	26.61	25.37	17.99	2.66	0.00
Last Week 12-12-2013	27.36	28.07	25.38	17.23	1.96	0.00
3 Months Ago 09-19-2013	0.00	2.88	22.88	46.04	27.62	0.58
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	2.68	6.65	25.00	32.82	23.42	9.43
Start of Water Year 10-03-2013	2.31	20.85	52.56	21.80	2.47	0.01
One Year Ago 12-20-2012	2.49	4.60	29.79	31.15	24.05	7.91

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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