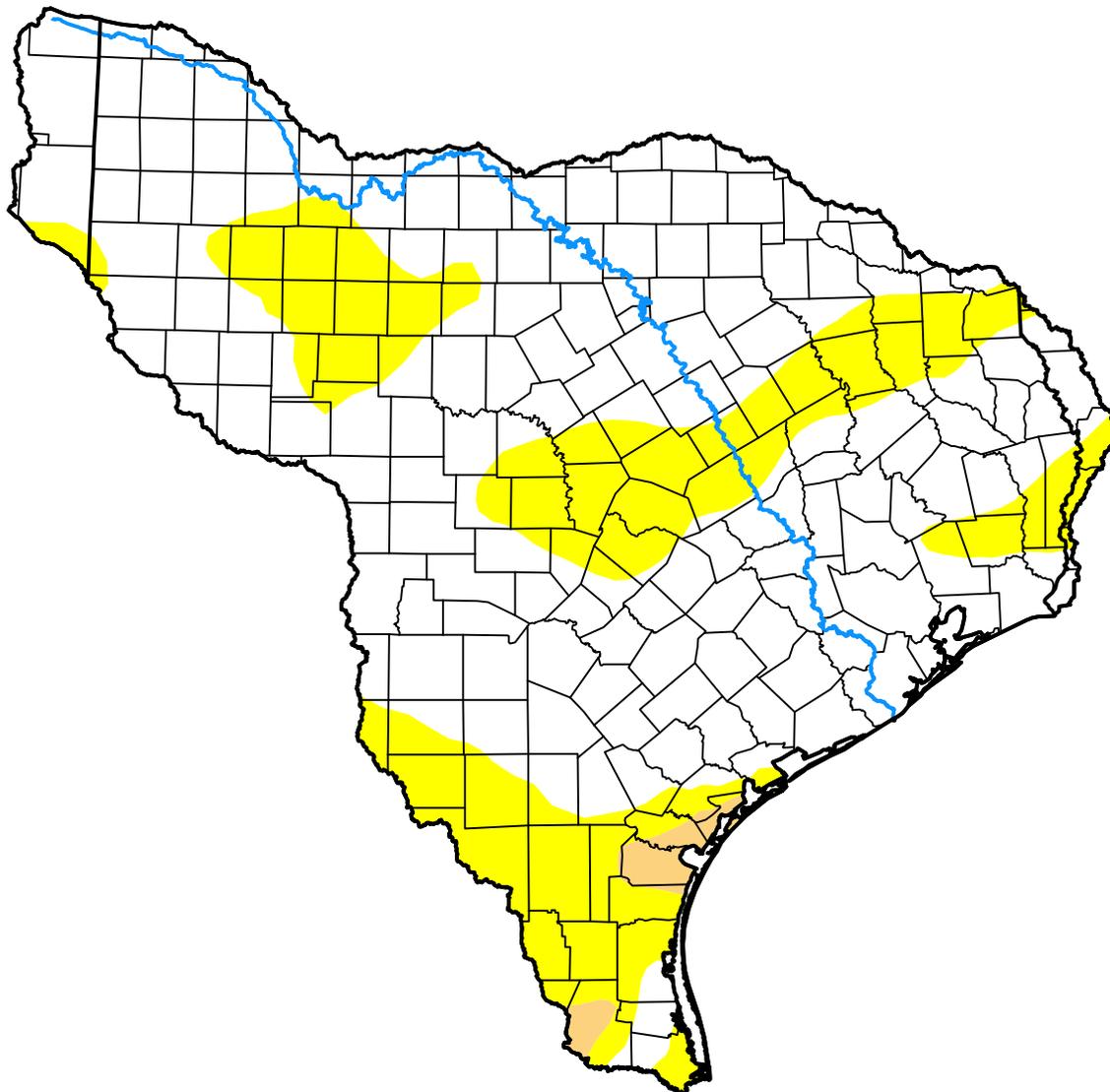


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Texas-Gulf Watershed

**March 1, 2016**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	73.15	26.85	1.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-25-2016</i>	74.33	25.67	0.85	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-03-2015</i>	98.65	1.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	96.41	3.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	26.82	73.18	47.73	21.25	7.18	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-05-2015</i>	40.10	59.90	39.42	22.32	10.12	2.46

***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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