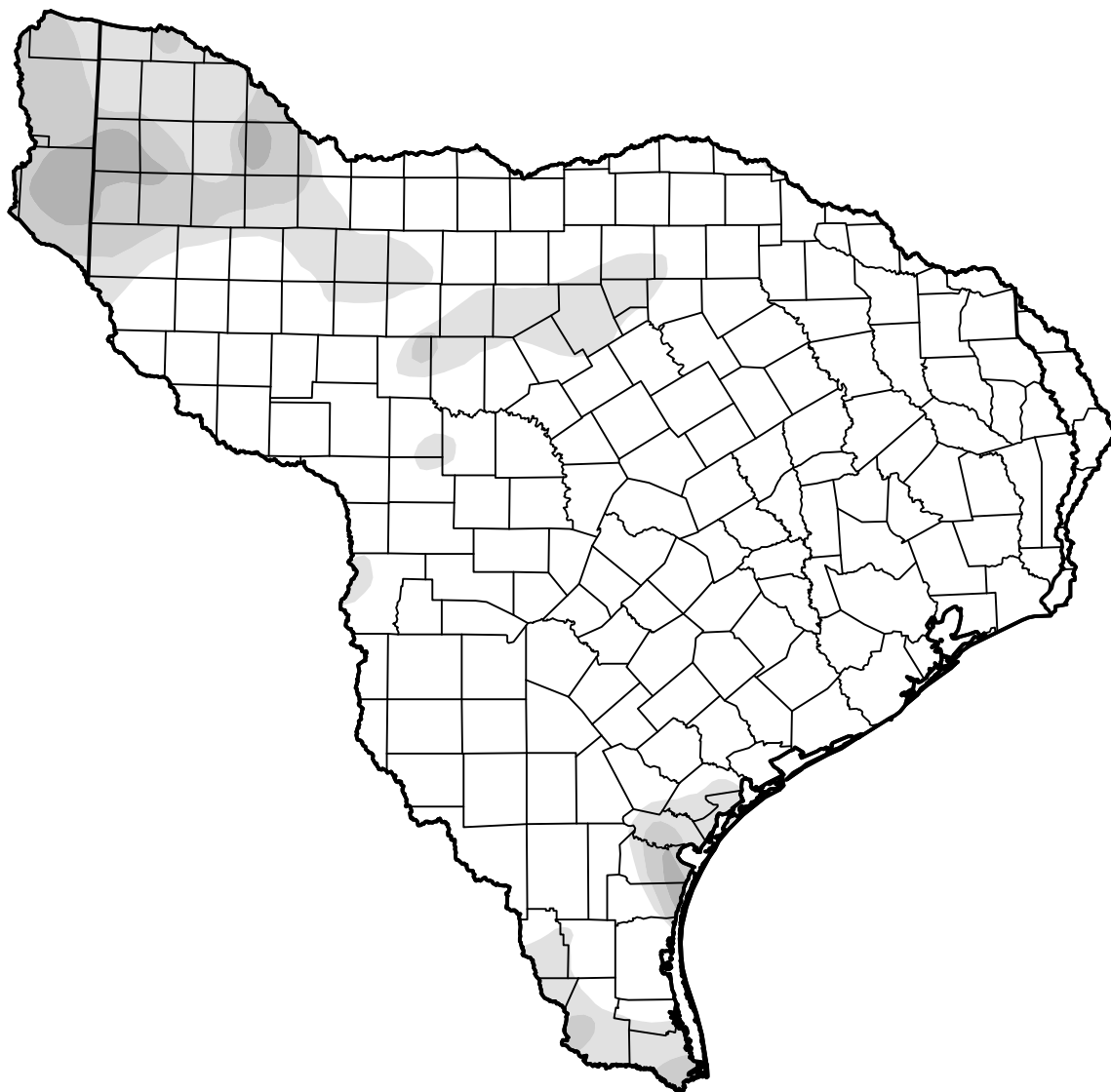


U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	81.08	18.92	7.62	1.80	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-18-2016</i>	64.38	35.62	6.91	0.41	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-26-2016</i>	97.65	2.35	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	96.41	3.59	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	26.82	73.18	47.73	21.25	7.18	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-27-2015</i>	47.52	52.48	30.30	7.48	0.00	0.00

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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