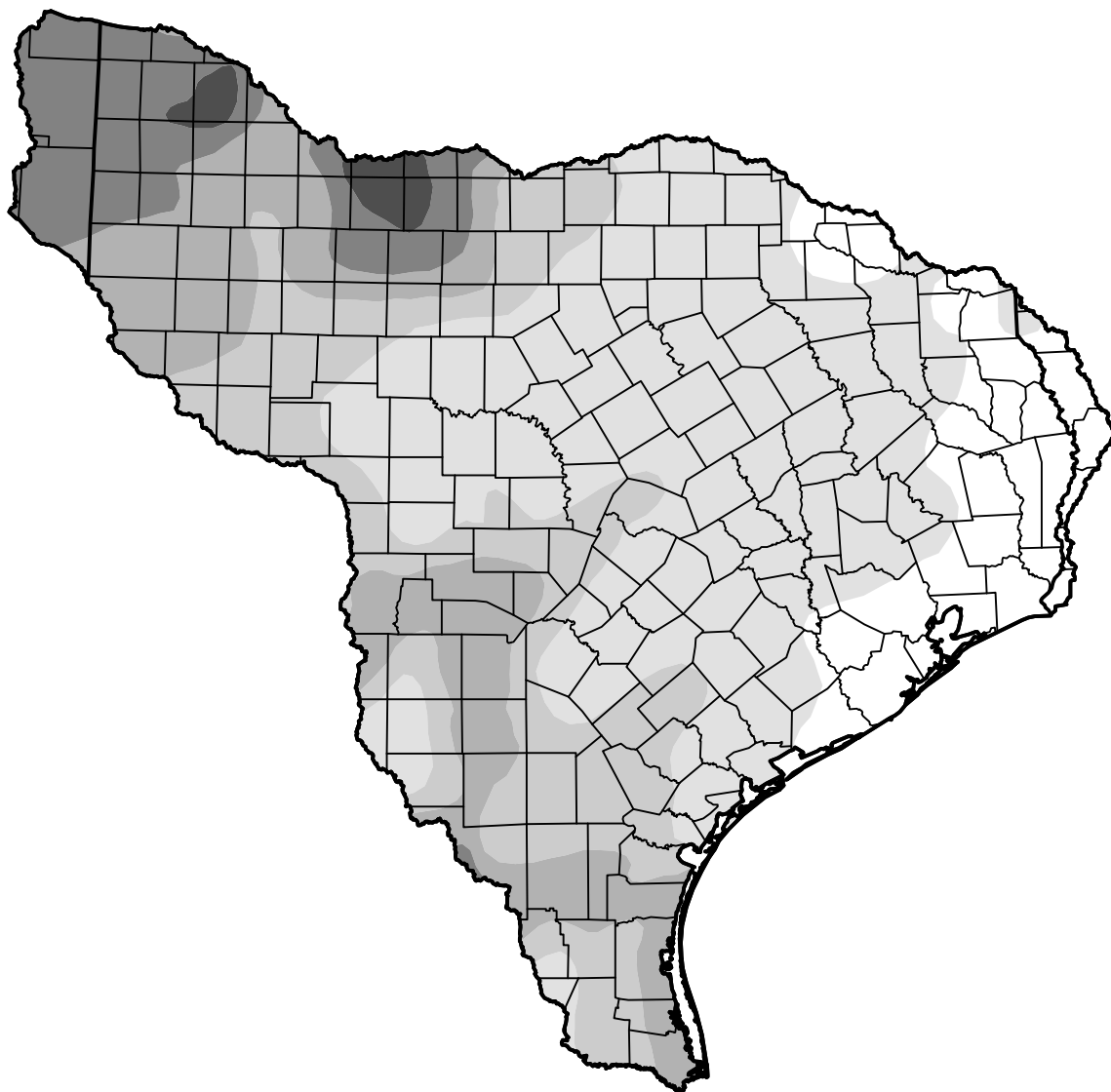


U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.16	41.48	20.09	16.03	8.84	1.41
Last Week <i>05-17-2012</i>	23.92	30.81	19.00	16.03	8.01	2.23
3 Months Ago <i>02-23-2012</i>	6.64	10.01	20.12	30.67	24.17	8.38
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2012</i>	0.00	1.12	9.86	14.97	42.76	31.29
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.25	8.82	89.93
One Year Ago <i>05-26-2011</i>	1.20	2.03	4.82	15.06	35.89	41.01

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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