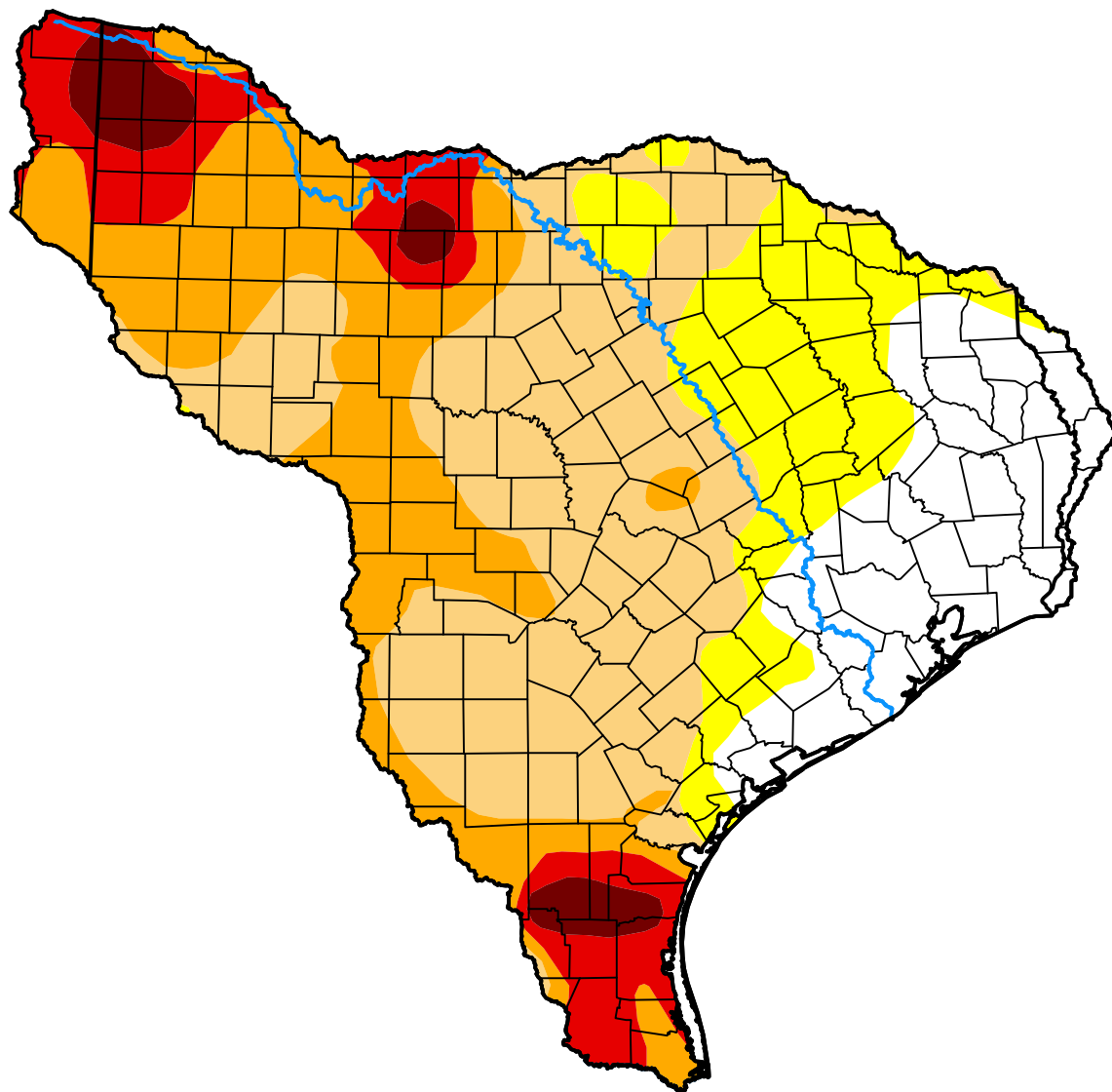


U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	16.39	15.19	33.92	21.75	9.15	3.59
Last Week <i>08-23-2012</i>	18.66	11.27	37.20	20.97	11.39	0.52
3 Months Ago <i>05-31-2012</i>	3.53	48.30	26.72	11.00	9.64	0.81
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>09-01-2011</i>	0.00	0.10	0.33	2.24	12.92	84.41

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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