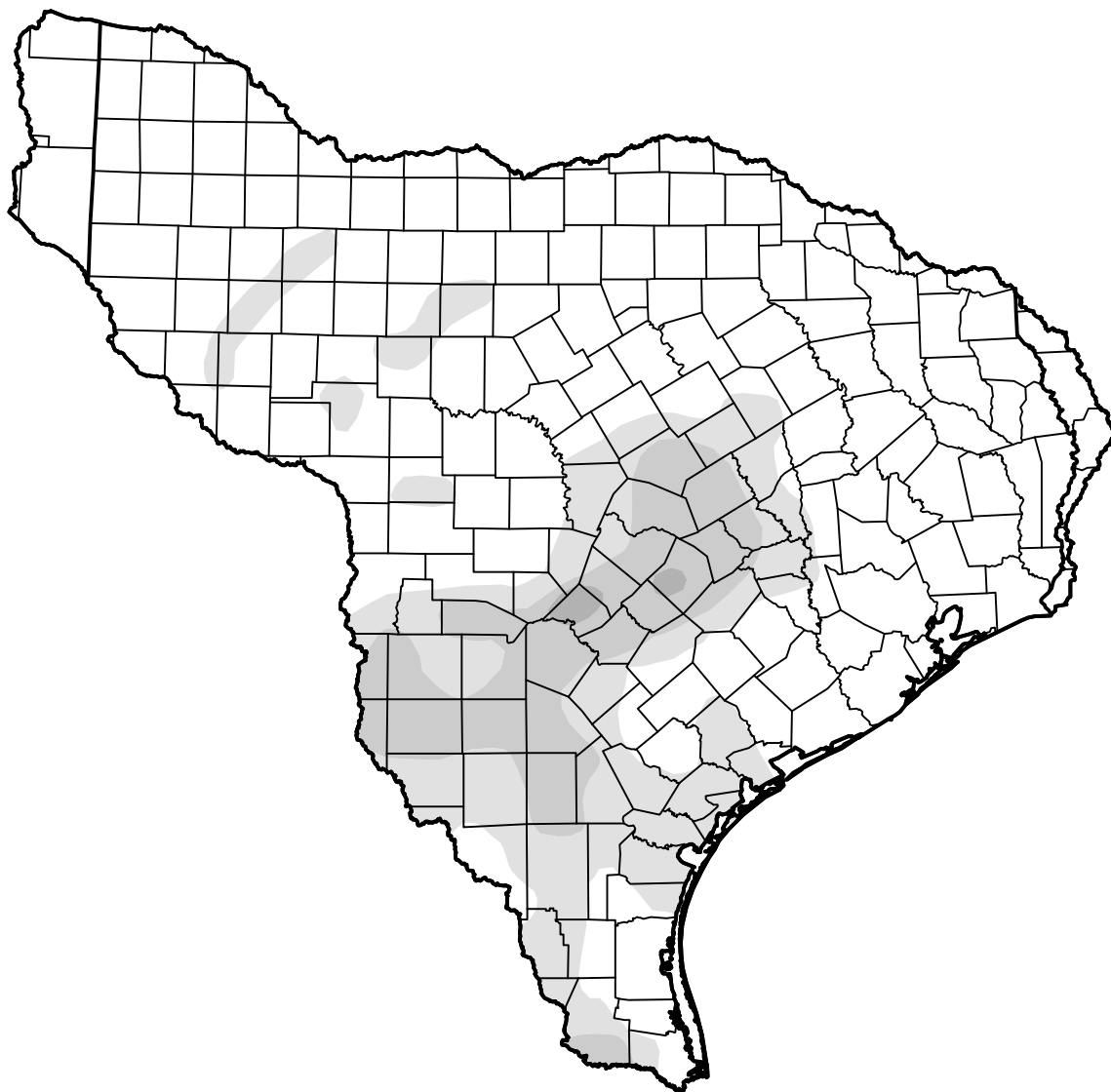


# U.S. Drought Monitor Texas-Gulf Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|                                                 | None  | D0    | D1    | D2   | D3   | D4   |
|-------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                  | 72.01 | 17.52 | 10.06 | 0.42 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>07-27-2017                  | 76.36 | 16.91 | 6.31  | 0.42 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>05-04-2017               | 90.42 | 7.95  | 1.64  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2017 | 85.11 | 12.38 | 2.50  | 0.02 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of<br/>Water Year</b><br>09-29-2016    | 95.78 | 3.08  | 1.14  | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>08-04-2016               | 58.52 | 35.99 | 5.33  | 0.16 | 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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