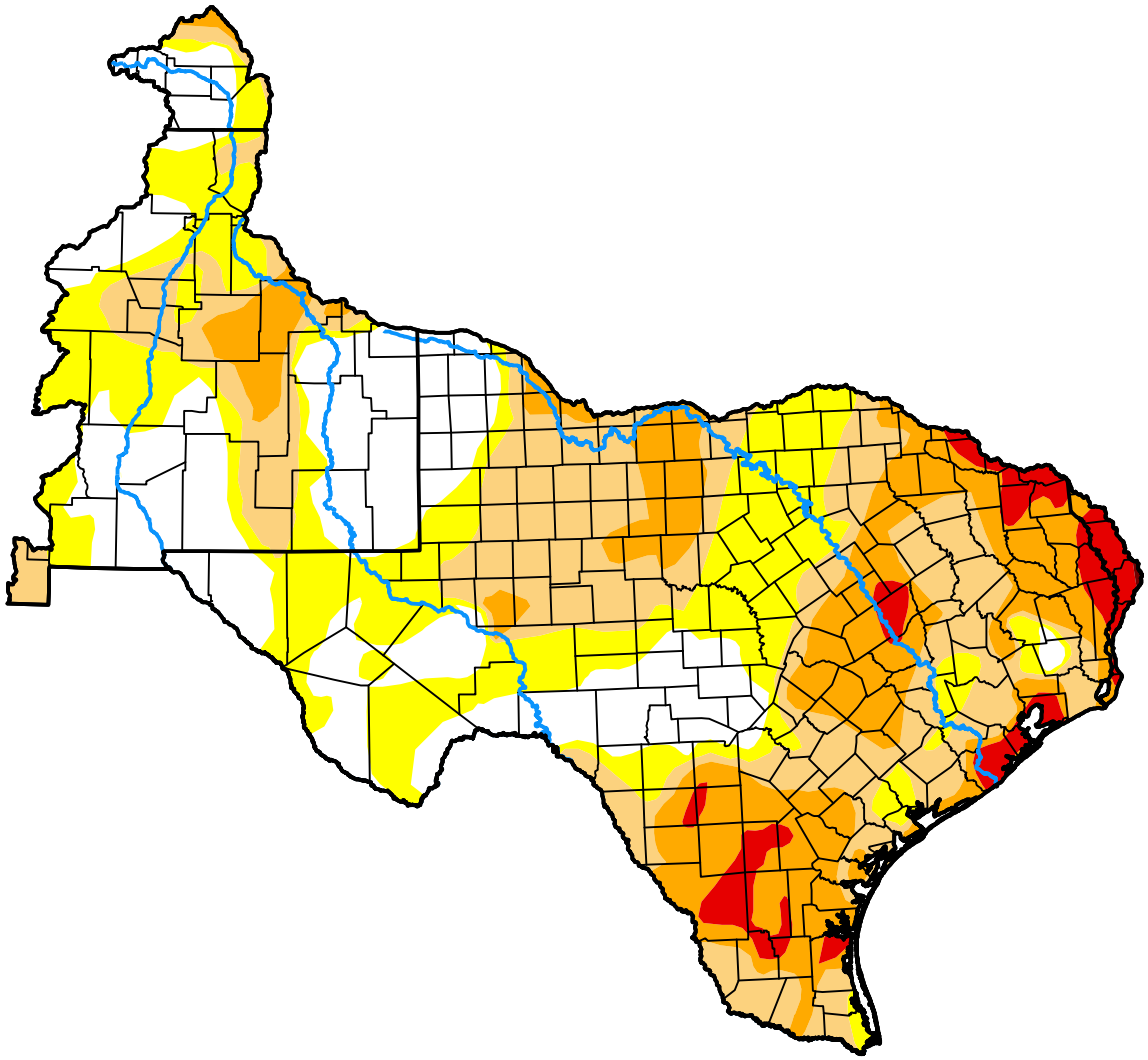
U.S. Drought Monitor

West Gulf RFC



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	24.66	75.34	49.83	23.44	4.15	0.03
Last Week *10-27-2026*	12.05	87.95	60.44	34.83	6.36	0.14
3 Months Ago *08-04-2026*	43.08	56.92	37.07	20.38	6.62	0.38
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	9.21	90.79	64.26	36.95	8.05	0.30
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	1.68	98.32	89.34	56.95	19.20	1.68
One Year Ago *11-04-2025*	13.75	86.25	53.95	25.87	4.08	0.12

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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