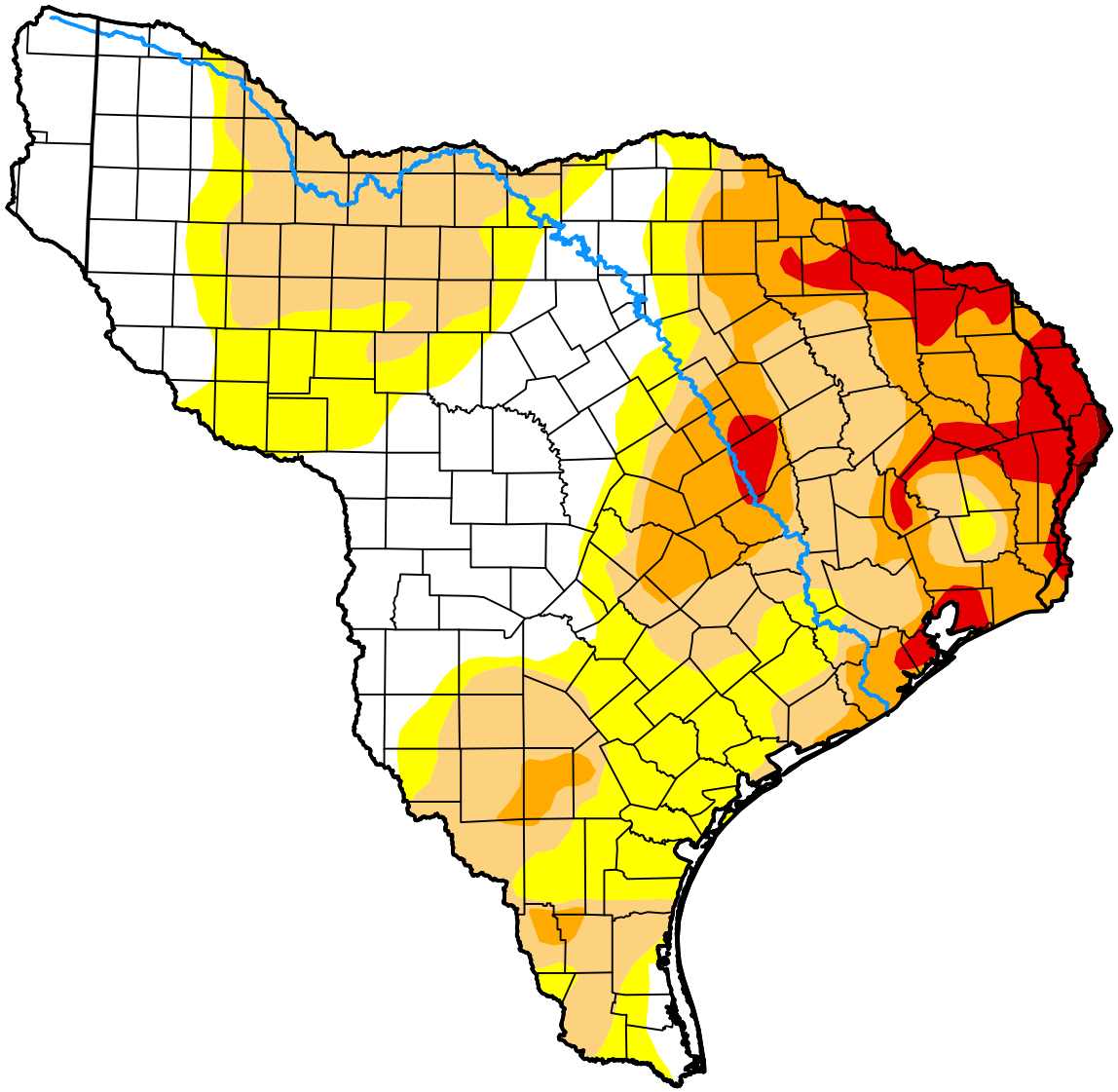
U.S. Drought Monitor

Texas-Gulf Watershed



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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	28.78	22.42	27.56	14.83	6.26	0.16
Last Week *11-10-2026*	23.49	14.62	35.08	19.77	6.95	0.09
3 Months Ago *08-18-2026*	21.61	46.45	28.70	3.23	0.01	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	14.43	28.97	26.63	19.64	10.33	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	1.72	7.27	23.96	44.43	20.41	2.21
One Year Ago *11-18-2025*	11.51	23.73	39.44	19.14	6.18	0.00

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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