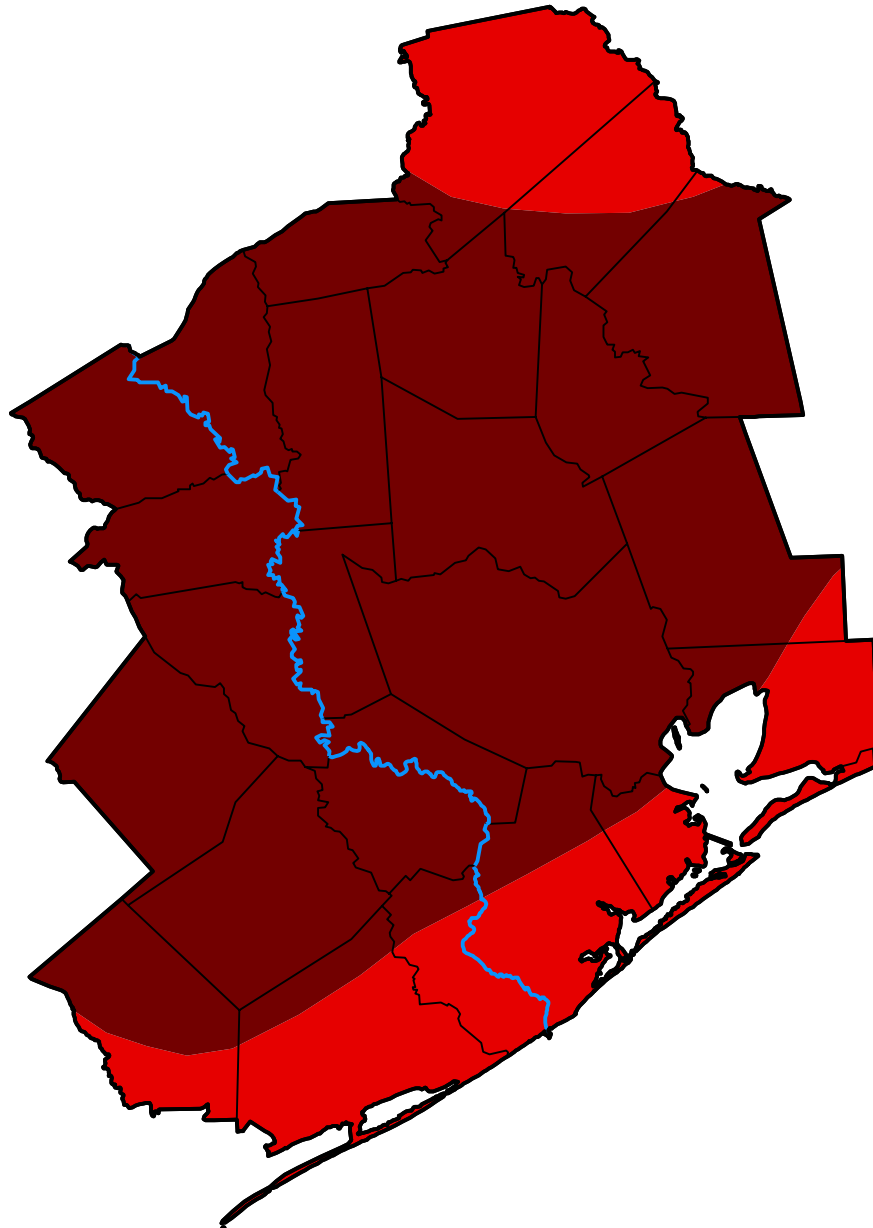


U.S. Drought Monitor

Houston/Galveston, TX WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	22.65	77.35
Last Week <i>05-12-2011</i>	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	36.92	63.08
3 Months Ago <i>02-17-2011</i>	26.08	18.45	12.63	15.24	27.60	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	22.95	19.30	9.93	12.31	35.51	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2010</i>	82.91	17.09	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-20-2010</i>	66.83	28.44	4.72	0.00	0.00	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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