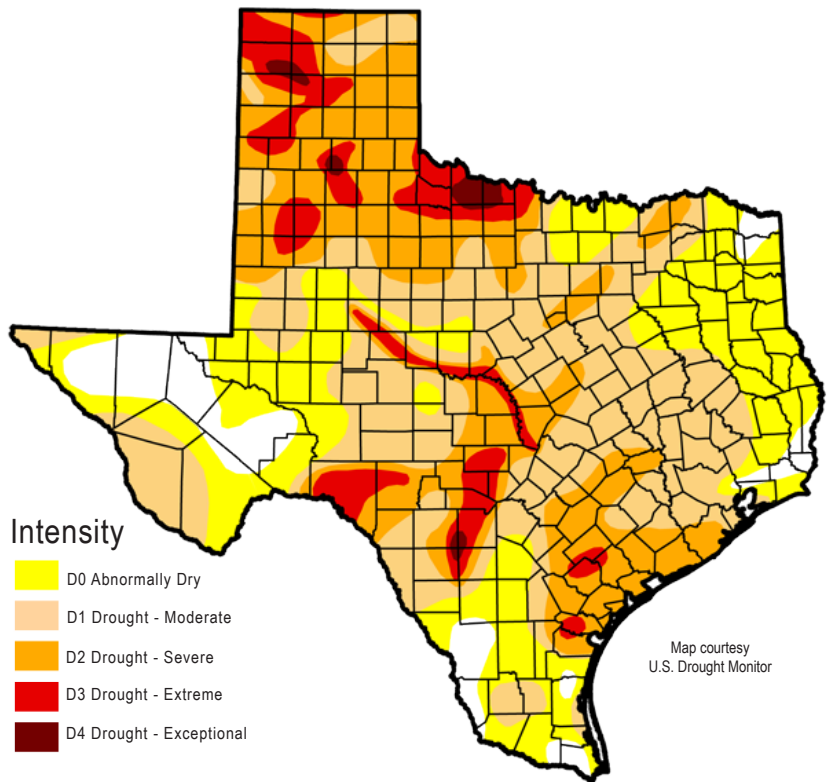


DROUGHT CONDITIONS

The past week saw the drought expand and intensify with two-thirds of the state now in moderate to severe drought. Statewide reservoir storage is at the lowest it's been since at least 1990 for this time of year and is nearly 20 percentage points less than normal. One bright spot: The eight counties in the southeast corner of the state saw improvement.

Drought statistics

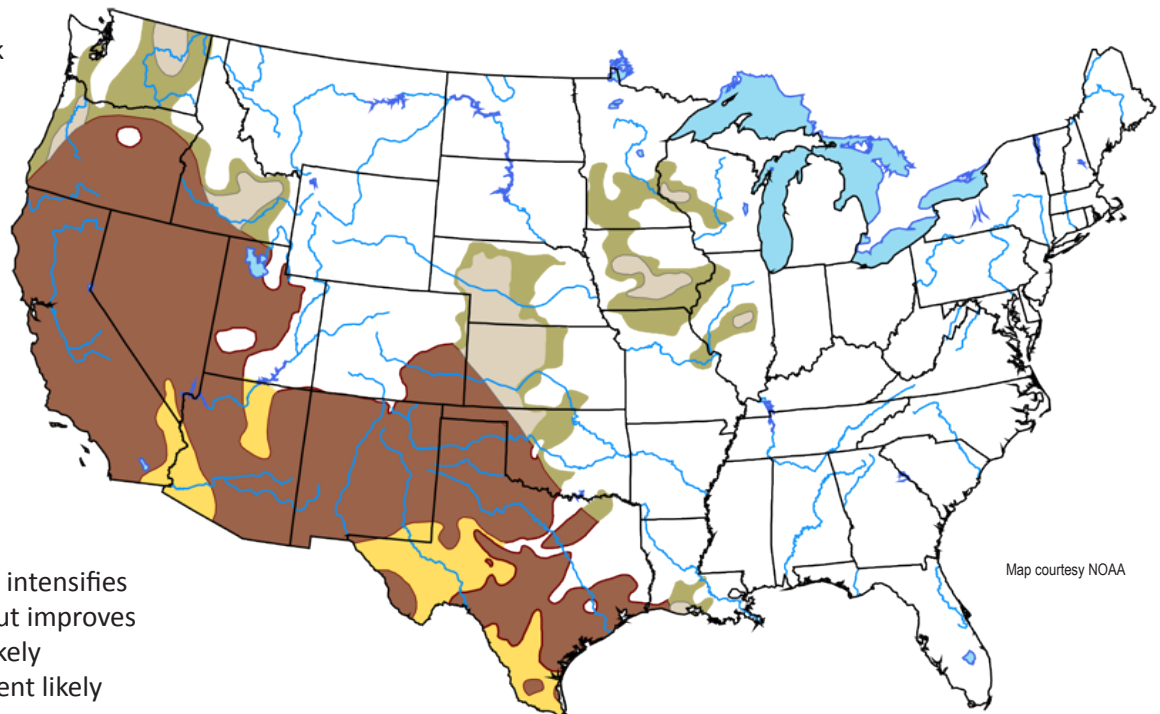
- 68% of state currently in moderate to exceptional drought
- 58% a week ago
- 47% three months ago
- 75% a year ago



U.S. SEASONAL DROUGHT OUTLOOK

Drought tendencies for the period 2/20/14 to 5/31/14

The U.S. drought outlook map depicts large-scale trends based on subjectively derived probabilities guided by short- and long-range statistical and dynamic forecasts.



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