

# **TEXAS DROUGHT REPORT**

FOR THE 83RD LEGISLATURE | WEEK OF 1/14/13

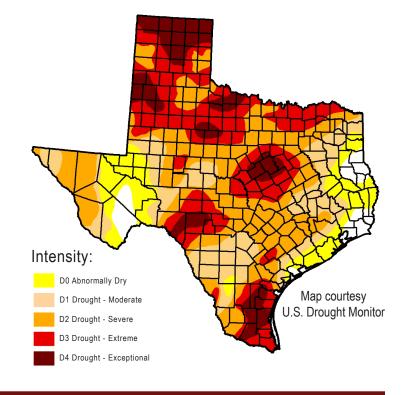
## **DROUGHT CONDITIONS**

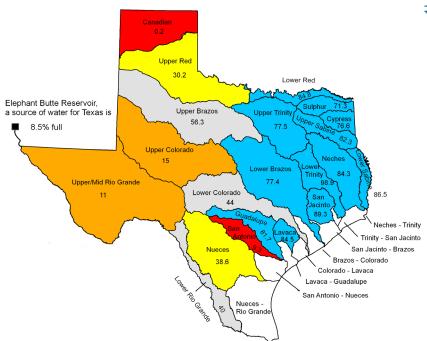
### **Drought status**

The most recent U.S. drought monitor map for Texas shows some long-awaited improvement. In the past week, statewide reservoir storage is up about 310,000 acre-feet with statewide storage now at 66 percent of capacity. Although reservoir storage rose in most of the state, it continued to decline in West and South Texas.

#### **Drought statistics**

- 96% of state currently in drought
- 97% a week ago
- 83% three months ago
- 100% a year ago





# RESERVOIR CONDITIONS (% FULL)

#### **Reservoir statistics**

- Statewide: currently 67% full
- 65% a week ago
- 68% three months ago
- 62% a year ago
- Normally 80% at this time

#### **Key reservoirs**

- Amistad (Lower Rio Grande Valley area): 47%
- Corpus Christi (Corpus Christi area): 16%
- Elephant Butte (El Paso area): 8%
- Lavon (Dallas area): 63%
- Livingston (Houston area): 100%
- Meredith (Amarillo-Lubbock area): 0%
- O.H. Ivie (San Angelo-Midland-Odessa area):
  23%
- Travis (Austin area): 39%

Get more drought information on TWDB's website and social media accounts!

www.twdb.texas.gov



www.facebook.com/twdboard

