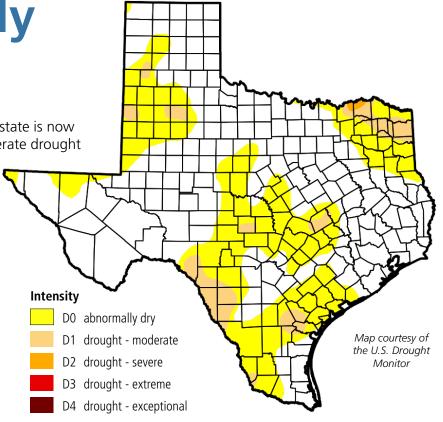
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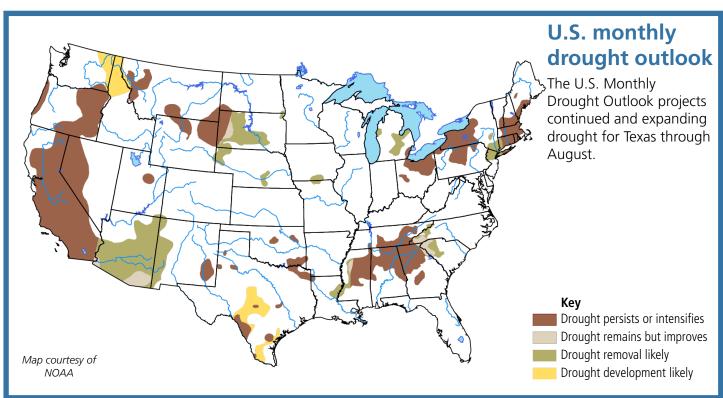
Despite some recent rains, 31 percent of the state is now abnormally dry with about 6 percent in moderate drought and even a small part of the state in Fannin

and Lamar counties in severe drought. Yes, summers in Texas are hot and dry, but this summer is proving to be much drier than normal.

Drought conditions

- **♦** 6% now
- ♦ 2% a week ago
- ♦ 2% three months ago
- ♦ 0.6% a year ago





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