Water Weekly

For the week of 04/17/17

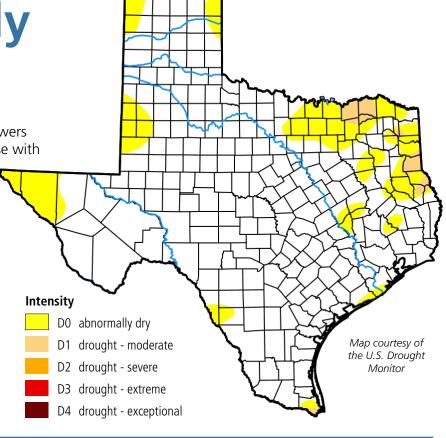
Water conditions

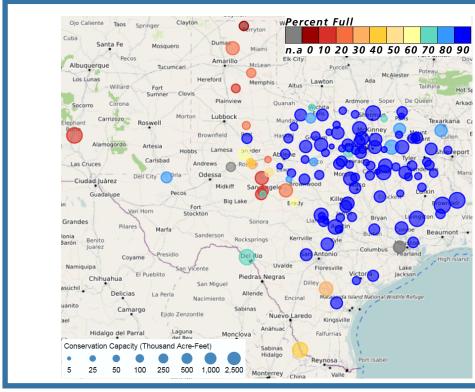
It might not be fast and furious, but April showers continue to smoothly slide drought into reverse with

the last remaining skid marks in northeast Texas. Despite these improvements, a new dent of drought appears in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Reservoirs continue to remain above typical levels for this time of year at 86 percent full.

Drought conditions

- **♦** 2% now
- ♦ 3% a week ago
- ♦ 6% three months ago
- ♦ 4% a year ago





Statewide reservoir storage

Most reservoirs in Texas are at least 90 percent full; however, many in south and west Texas continue to be at less than 50 percent capacity.

TWDB map

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