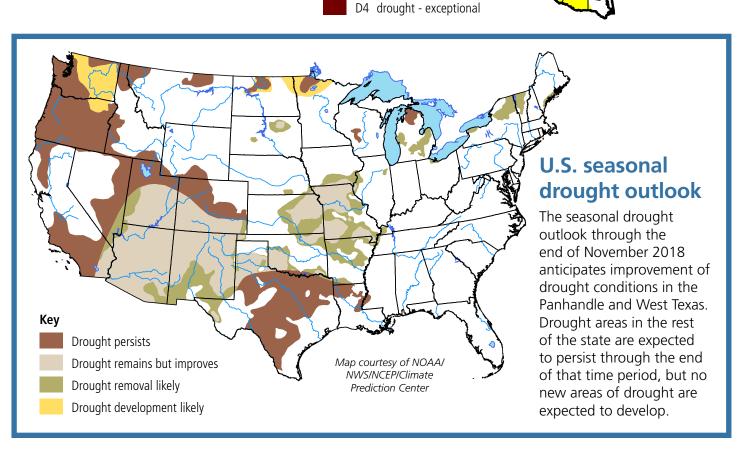
Water Weekly For the week of 08/20/18 Water conditions After three weeks of increasing drought, the latest drought map shows a 5 percentage point decrease in the area of the state impacted by drought. That improvement came thanks to beneficial rains that fell August 10 to August 14 and brought 2 or more inches of precipitation to many areas. **Drought conditions ♦** 59% now Intensity ♦ 64% a week ago D0 abnormally dry ♦ 43% three months ago ♦ 1% a year ago D1 drought - moderate Map courtesy of the U.S. Drought D2 drought - severe Monitor D3 drought - extreme



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