

Water Weekly

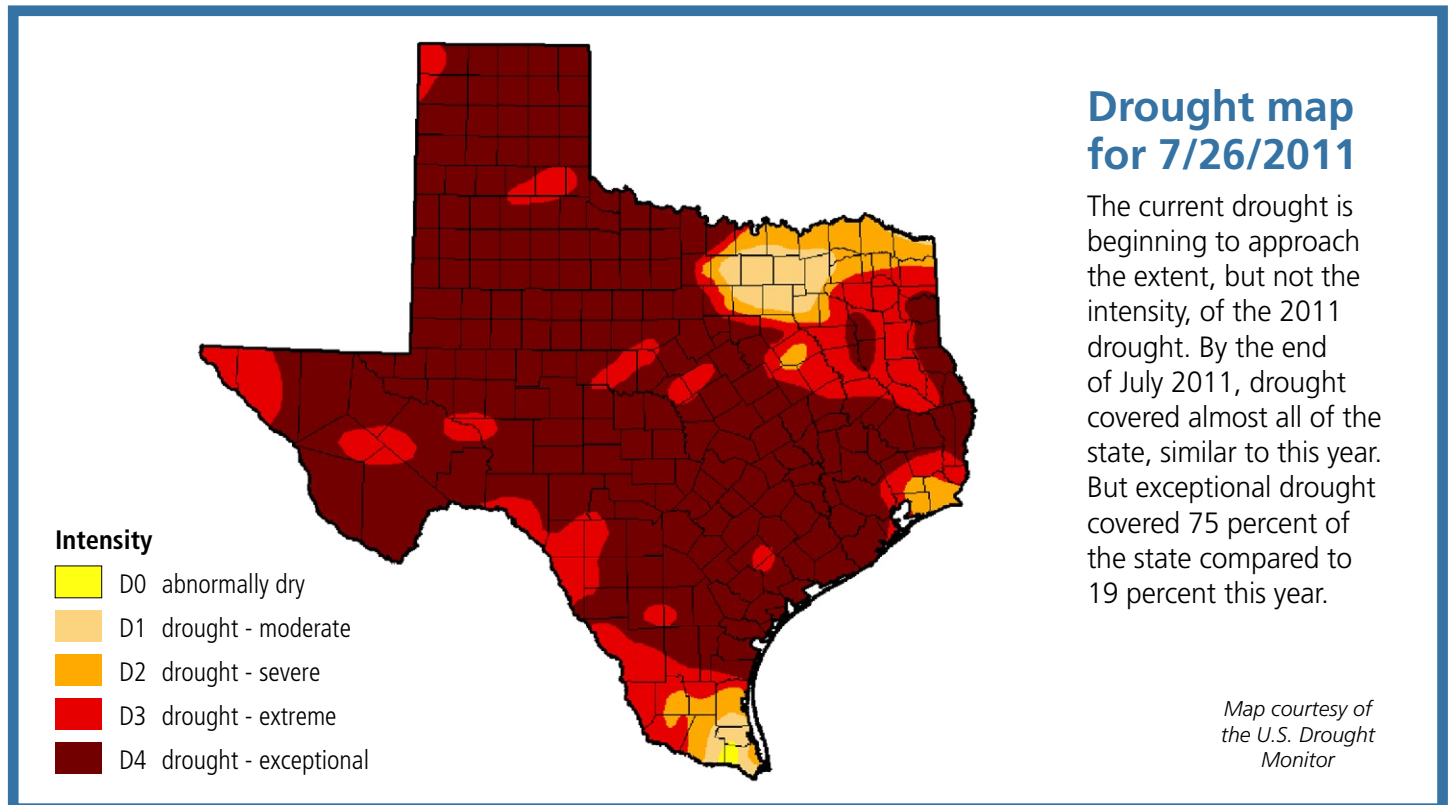
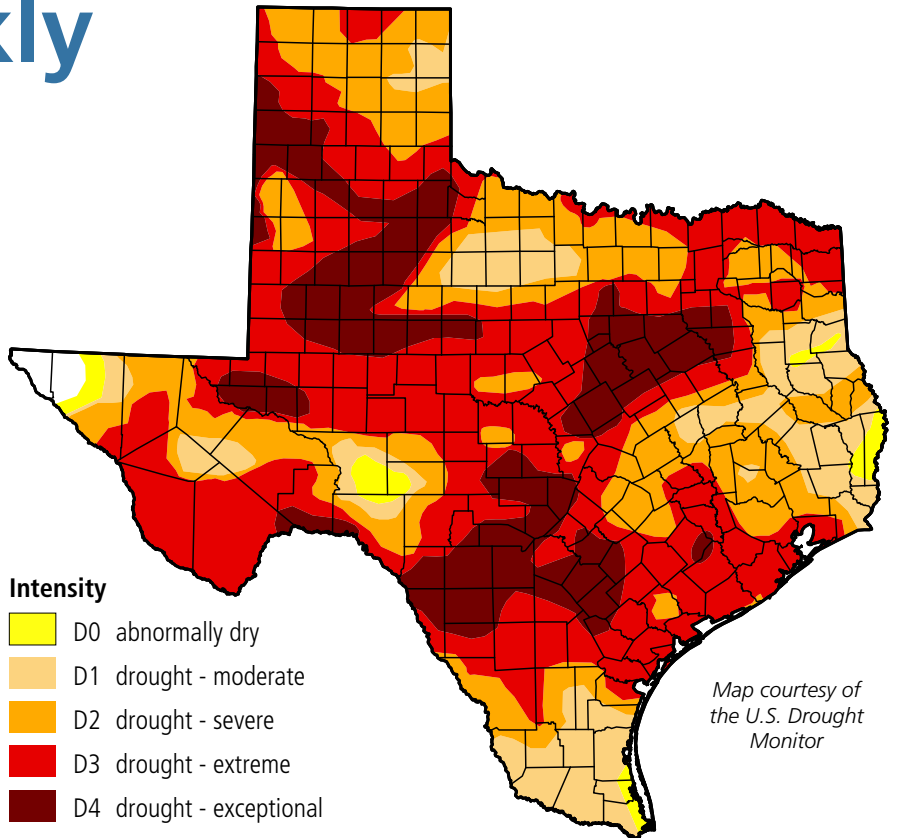
For the week of 08/01/22

Water conditions

The most recent drought map for conditions as of July 26 shows drought continuing to expand. Less than 3 percent of the state remains drought free. Since the creation of the U.S. Drought Monitor in 2000, the only year that Texas reached 100 percent drought coverage is 2011.

Drought conditions

- ◆ 97% now
- ◆ 95% a week ago
- ◆ 82% three months ago
- ◆ 1% a year ago



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