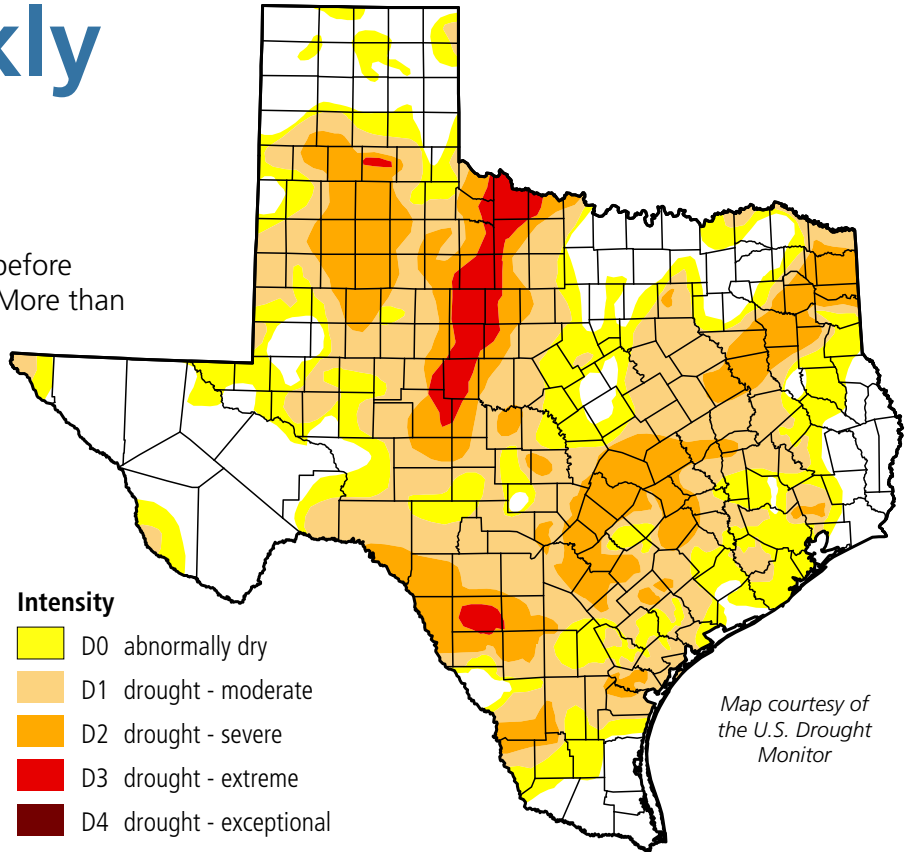


# Water Weekly

For the week of 09/23/19

## Water conditions

The latest drought map shows conditions before Tropical Depression Imelda reached Texas. More than half the state was impacted by moderate or worse drought, and 21 percent of the state was in severe or worse drought. Expect conditions in East Texas to be much different on next week's map.

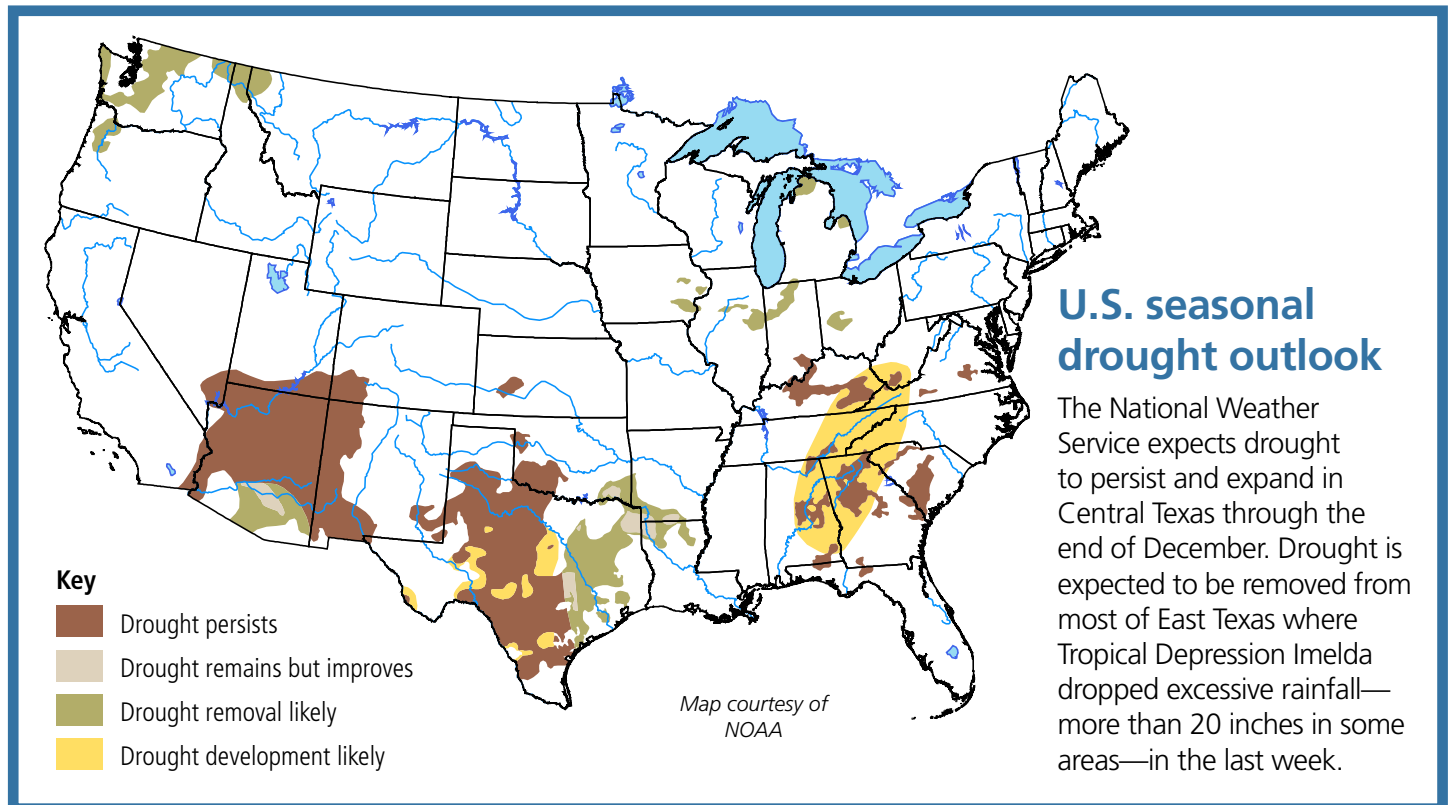


## Drought conditions

- ◆ 52% now
- ◆ 53% a week ago
- ◆ 2% three months ago
- ◆ 29% a year ago

### Intensity

- ◆ D0 abnormally dry
- ◆ D1 drought - moderate
- ◆ D2 drought - severe
- ◆ D3 drought - extreme
- ◆ D4 drought - exceptional



## U.S. seasonal drought outlook

The National Weather Service expects drought to persist and expand in Central Texas through the end of December. Drought is expected to be removed from most of East Texas where Tropical Depression Imelda dropped excessive rainfall—more than 20 inches in some areas—in the last week.

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