

# Water Weekly

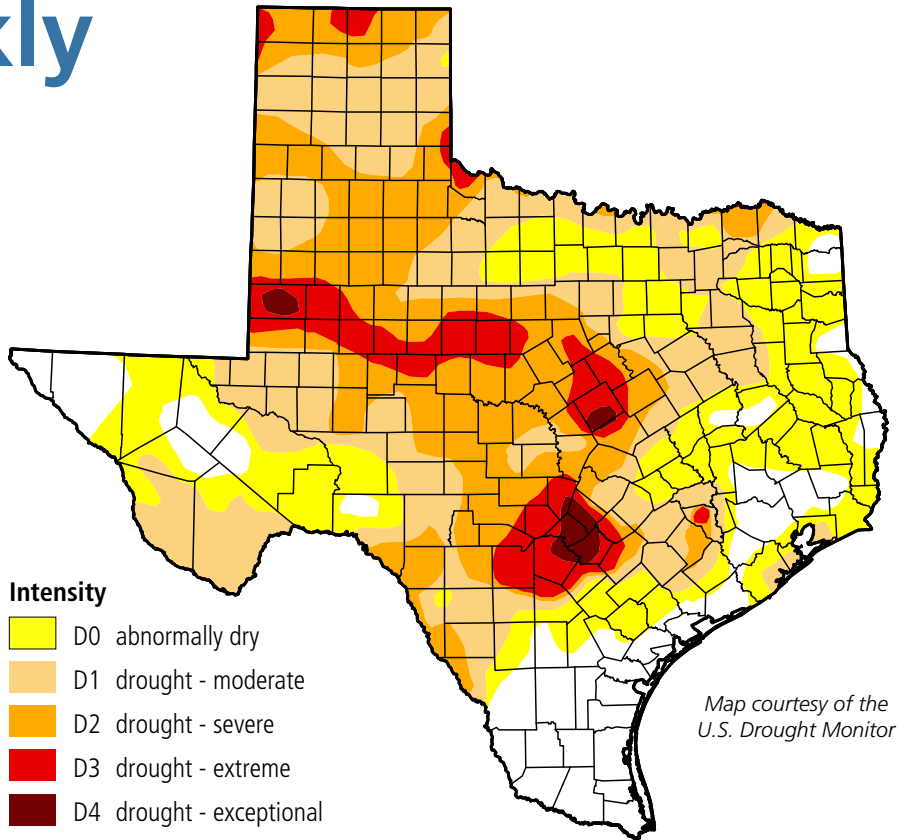
For the week of 10/03/22

## Water conditions

This week's drought map, for conditions as of September 27, shows an increase in the area of the state in drought. Because La Niña conditions are forecast to remain in place this fall and winter, drought is expected to increase in Texas in the coming months.

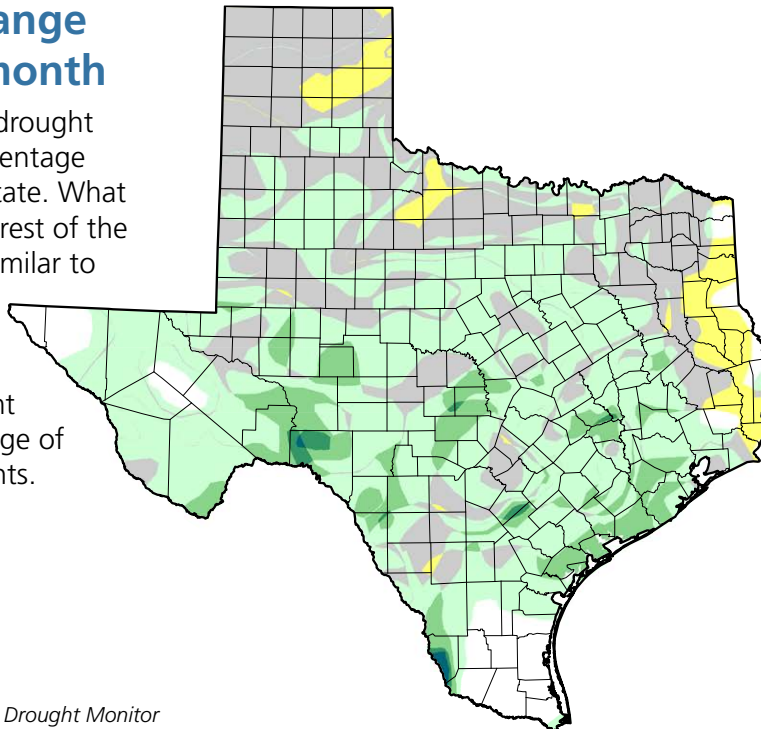
## Drought conditions

- ◆ 61% now
- ◆ 60% a week ago
- ◆ 86% three months ago
- ◆ 7% a year ago



## Drought change in the last month

In the last month, drought contracted 15 percentage points across the state. What can we expect the rest of the year? Something similar to what we saw in previous La Niña years in 2020 and 2021 when drought expanded an average of 55 percentage points.



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