

# Water Weekly

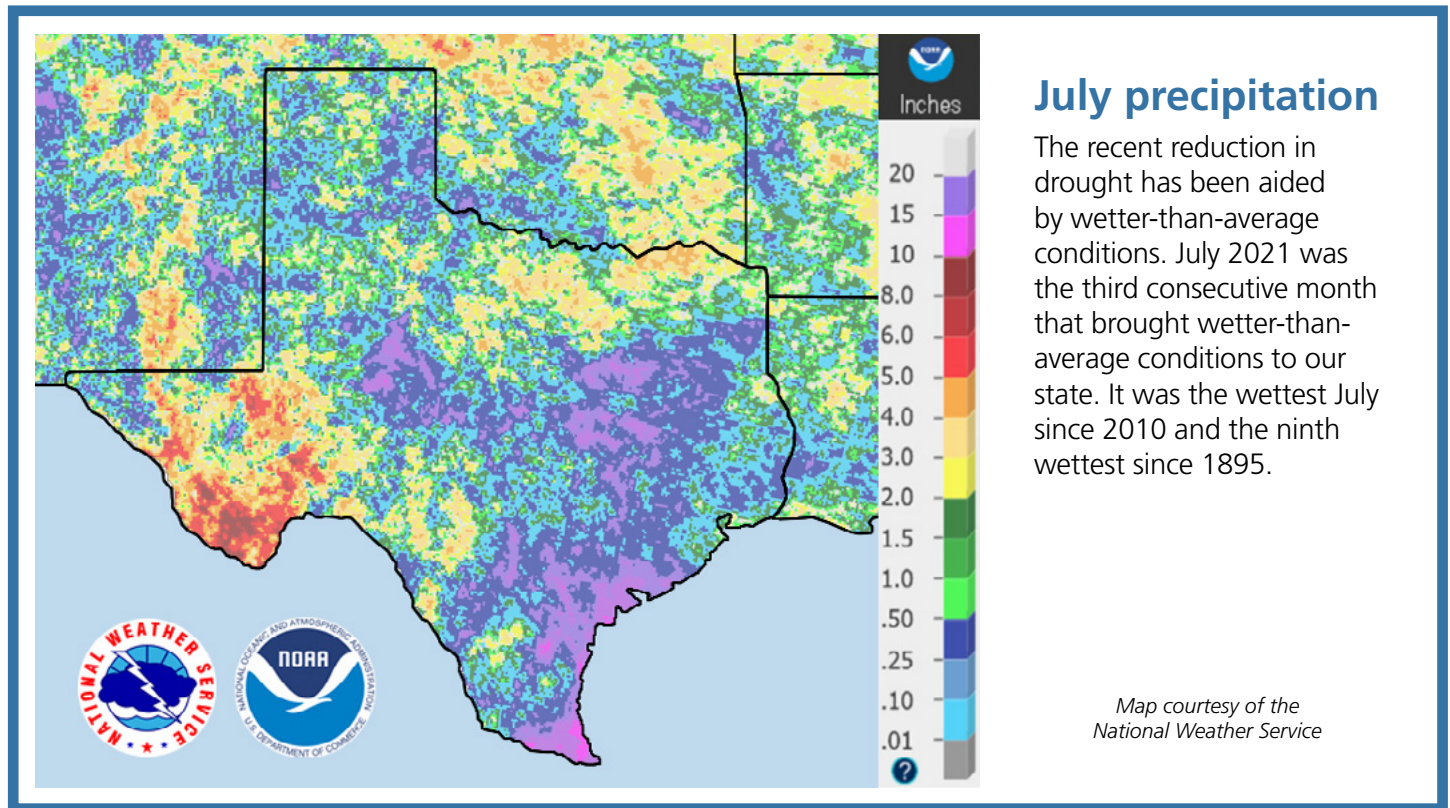
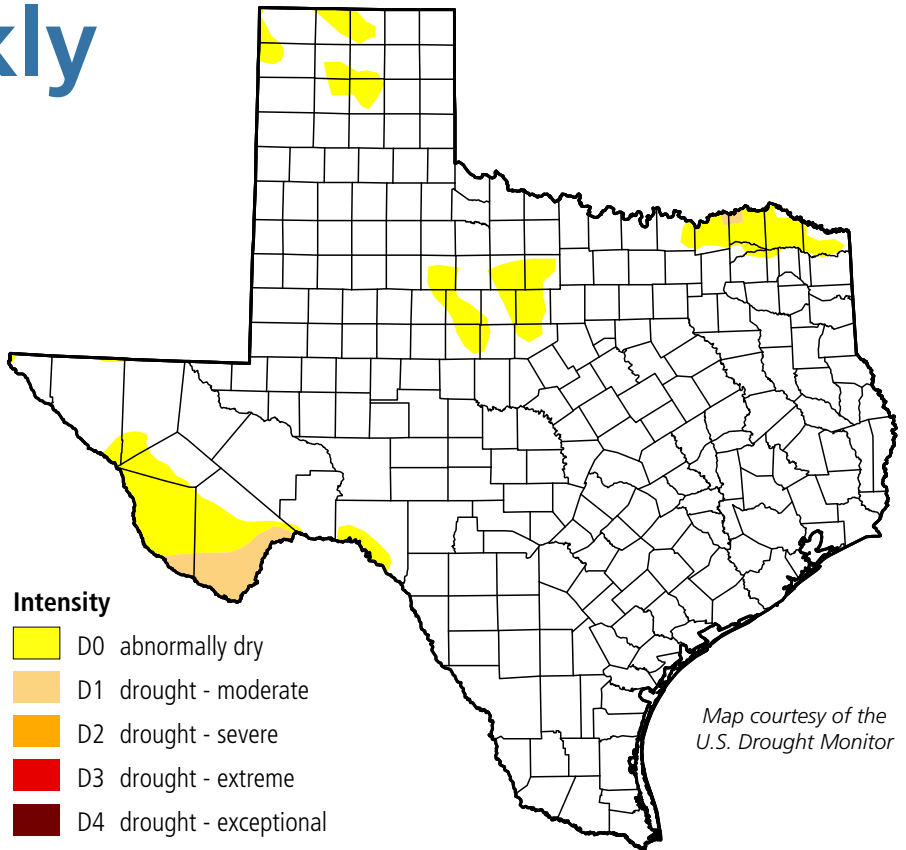
For the week of 08/23/21

## Water conditions

The area of the state impacted by drought shrank less than one-fifth of a percentage point in the last week. The latest drought monitor map for conditions as of August 17 shows two pockets of moderate drought covering slightly more than 1 percent of the area of the state.

## Drought conditions

- ◆ 1% now
- ◆ 1% a week ago
- ◆ 33% three months ago
- ◆ 48% a year ago



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