

DROUGHT CONDITIONS THIS WEEK

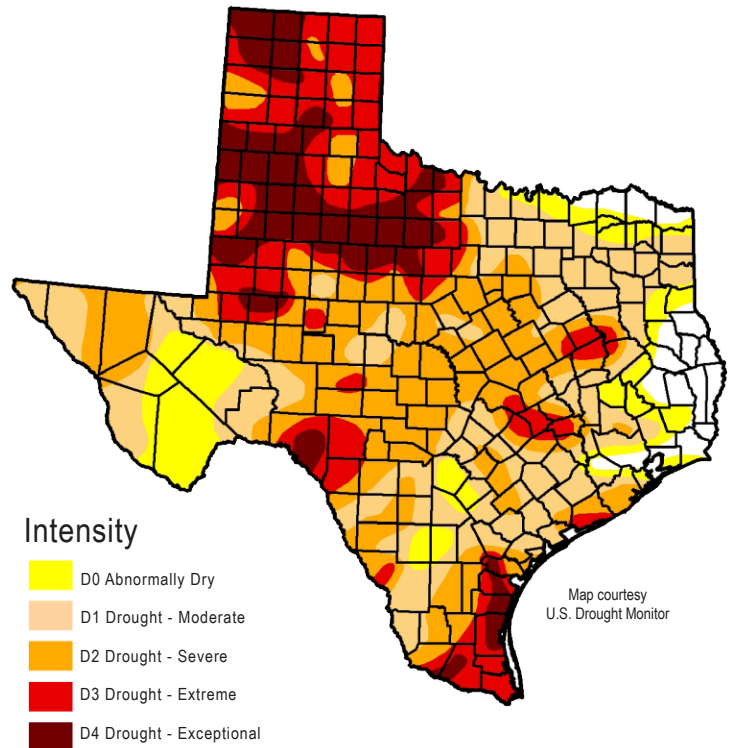
Short story: Continuing drought with slight improvements. While the flooding in Eagle Pass was troubling, those rainfalls resulted in Falcon Reservoir rising more than five feet. The most recent drought outlook is promising for East Texas (most predicted to be out of drought in three months) but troubling for West Texas (continuing and developing drought).

Current Drought statistics

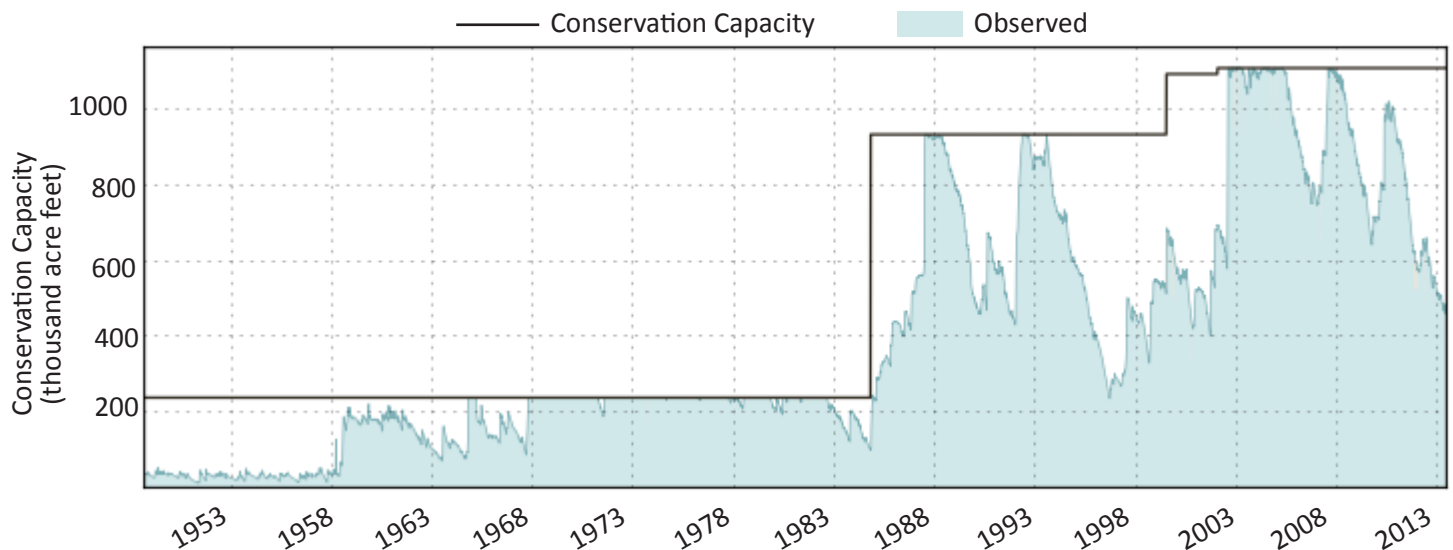
- 95% of state currently in drought
- 95% a week ago
- 96% three months ago
- 90% a year ago

Corpus Christi Area Reservoirs

Choke Canyon: 40% full (278,000 acre-feet in storage)
 Corpus Christi: 22% full (57,000 acre-feet in storage)
 Texana: 92% full (147,000 acre-feet in storage)



FOCUS: CORPUS CHRISTI AREA



The Corpus Christi area relies, in part, on the Choke Canyon, Corpus Christi, and Texana reservoirs. Collectively, those reservoirs are currently 43 percent full. The current drought has not exceeded the drought in the late 1990s when water in storage was more than 200,000 acre-feet lower than today.

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