

TEXAS DROUGHT REPORT

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DROUGHT CONDITIONS

Recent rains have improved drought conditions across the state. Still, the majority of Texas falls within the moderate to severe drought category, with a little over 6% registering as drought free. Statewide reservoir storage is at 60% full, while reservoir supplies for areas such as Corpus Christi, San Angelo, Austin, and Wichita Falls fall significantly below 50%.

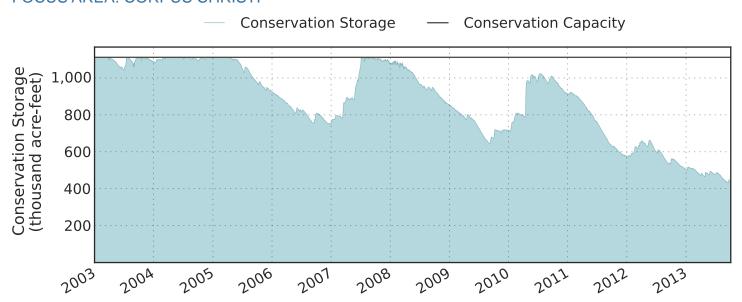




Choke Canyon, August 23, 2010, 85% full

Choke Canyon, August 15, 2013, 37 % full

FOCUS AREA: CORPUS CHRISTI



The Corpus Christi area relies, in part, on the Choke Canyon, Corpus Christi, and Texana reservoirs. Collectively, these reservoirs are currently 39.7% full. Choke Canyon, pictured above in August of this year, is currently 35.8% full. Lakes Corpus Christi and Texana are 24.8% and 80.8% percent full, respectively.

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