DROUGHT CONDITIONS

Another week of sunny weather for most of the state has led to an uptick of four percentage points in drought conditions with drought developing across Central and West Central Texas. The consolidation of drought conditions across Texas and the southwestern United States is an unfortunate development that we will continue to monitor.

Drought statistics

- 43% of state currently in moderate to exceptional drought
- 39% a week ago
- 44% three months ago
- 58% a year ago

U.S. SEASONAL DROUGHT OUTLOOK

The seasonal drought outlook map shows continuing drought conditions through May with the hope of some improvement north of Dallas and Fort Worth.