Water Weekly For the week of 08/28/17

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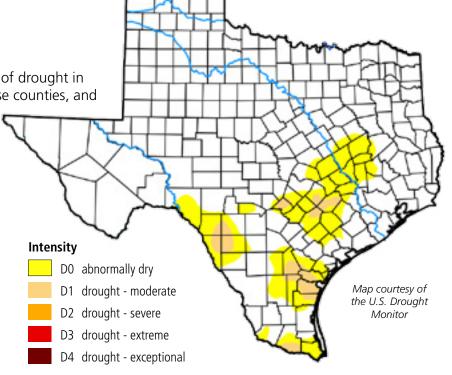
Water conditions

Last week's drought map shows a new patch of drought in Bastrop, Fayette, and Gonzales counties. These counties, and

much of the rest of South Texas, received 10+ inches of rainfall this past weekend as Hurricane Harvey arrived. Expect major changes in this week's drought map.

Drought conditions

- **♦** 2% now
- ♦ 1% a week ago
- ♦ 2% three months ago
- ♦ 4% a year ago



Choke Canyon Reservoir Storage Hydrograph

Choke Canyon Reservoir, in McMullen and Live Oak counties, supplies water to Corpus Christi and surrounding communities. Despite Choke Canyon's proximity to the coast, its watershed received limited rainfall from Hurricane Harvey. Storage in the reservoir is 34 percent of capacity, up less than one percentage point in the last week.



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