

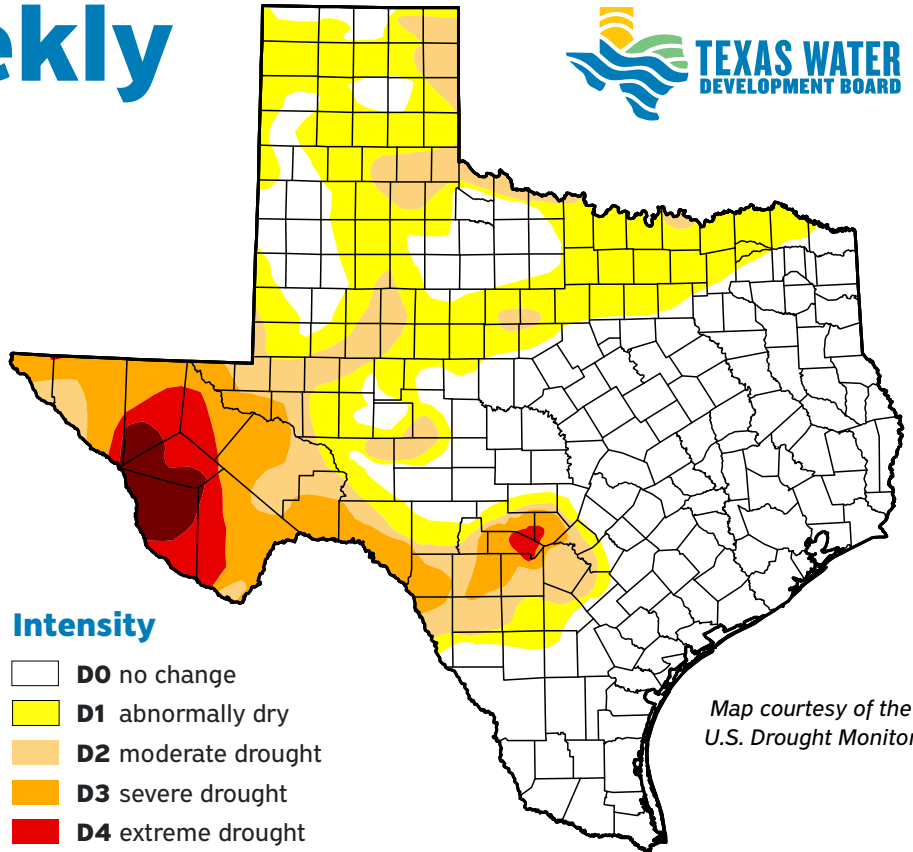
# Water Weekly

For the week of 08/12/24



## Water conditions

The latest drought map for conditions as of August 6 shows an increase in the area of the state impacted by drought, the first weekly increase in the last six weeks. In the last week, large areas of the Panhandle and West Texas experienced one category of drought degradation.



Map courtesy of the U.S. Drought Monitor

## Drought conditions

**24%** now

**20%** a week ago

**26%** three months ago

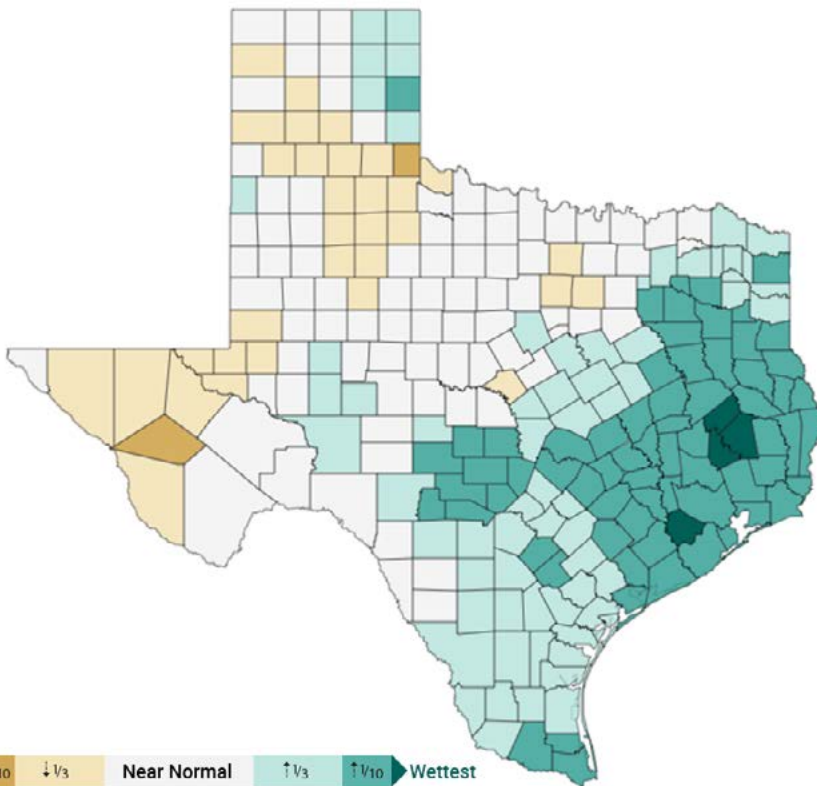
**69%** a year ago

## Intensity

- D0** no change
- D1** abnormally dry
- D2** moderate drought
- D3** severe drought
- D4** extreme drought
- D5** exceptional drought

## July 2024 precipitation rank

July rainfall averaged 3.74 inches statewide, well above normal for the month. Four counties in East Texas (Fort Bend, Polk, San Jacinto, and Trinity) recorded their wettest July in 130 years. Meanwhile, many counties in the Panhandle and North and West Texas received well below normal precipitation.



Map courtesy of NOAA

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