Water Weekly
For the week of 01/04/21

Water conditions
The latest drought map for conditions as of December 29 shows little change from the previous week. However, storms on December 30 and 31 brought an inch or more of rainfall to large areas of Central and East Texas. We can expect some improvements on next week’s map.

Drought conditions
- 81% now
- 81% a week ago
- 32% three months ago
- 36% a year ago

Intensity
- D0 abnormally dry
- D1 drought - moderate
- D2 drought - severe
- D3 drought - extreme
- D4 drought - exceptional

2020 precipitation
Areas of the state currently experiencing the worst drought conditions received below average rainfall for 2020. But because of a statewide lack of rainfall over the last 90 days, even areas whose rainfall totals for 2020 were above average (north central, northeast, and South Texas) are now experiencing drought.

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