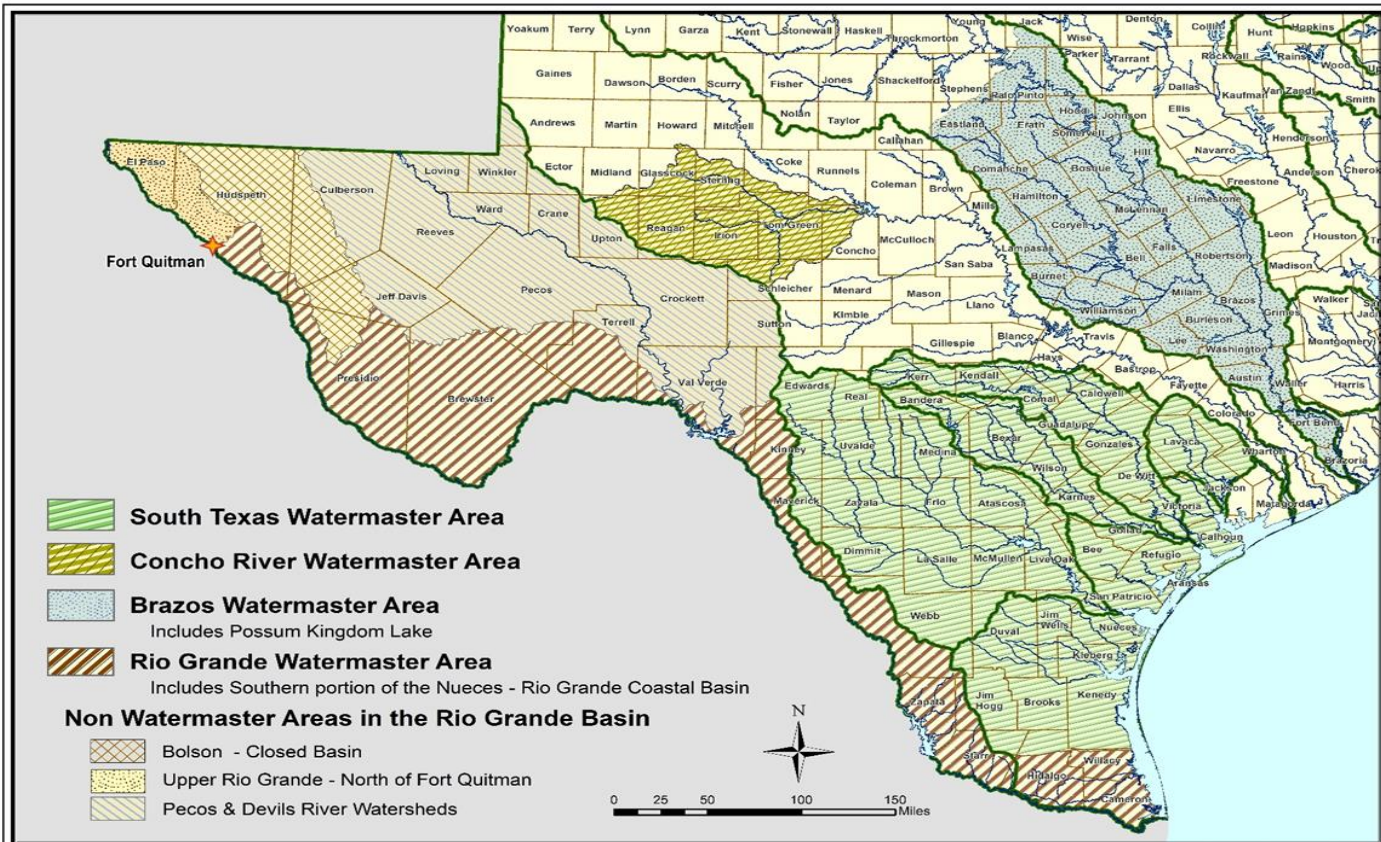


WATERMASTER SECTION



Texas Watermaster Areas

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BUDGET WORK & WM BASIN EVALUATIONS

- FY23 Watermaster Assessments
- FY22 Watermaster Basin Evaluations
 - Brazos River Basin (Upper)
 - Brazos–Colorado Coastal Basin
 - San Jacinto-Brazos Coastal Basin
 - Colorado River Basin
 - Colorado–Lavaca Coastal Basin



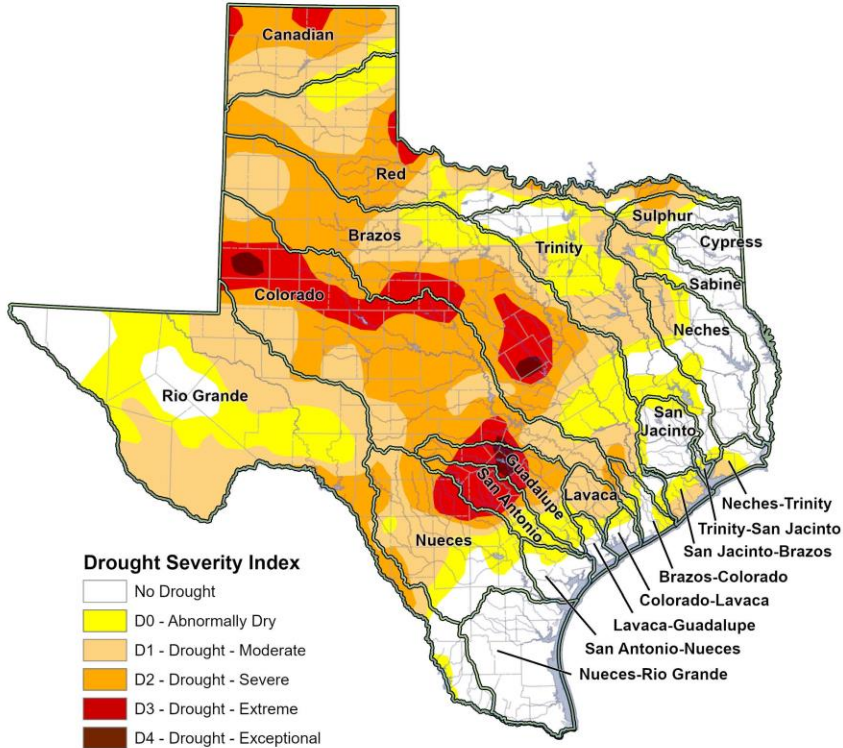
- Rio Grande
- South Texas
- Concho
- Brazos

PROGRAM UPDATES



Drought Comparison

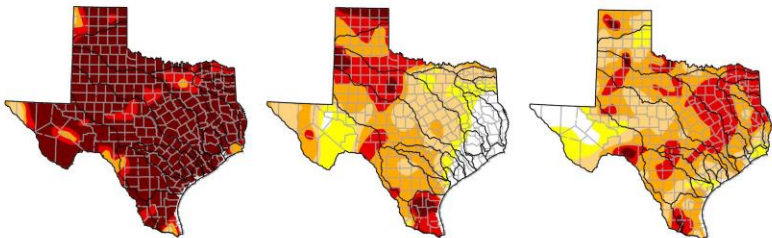
September 20, 2022



Drought Severity Index

- No Drought
- D0 - Abnormally Dry
- D1 - Drought - Moderate
- D2 - Drought - Severe
- D3 - Drought - Extreme
- D4 - Drought - Exceptional

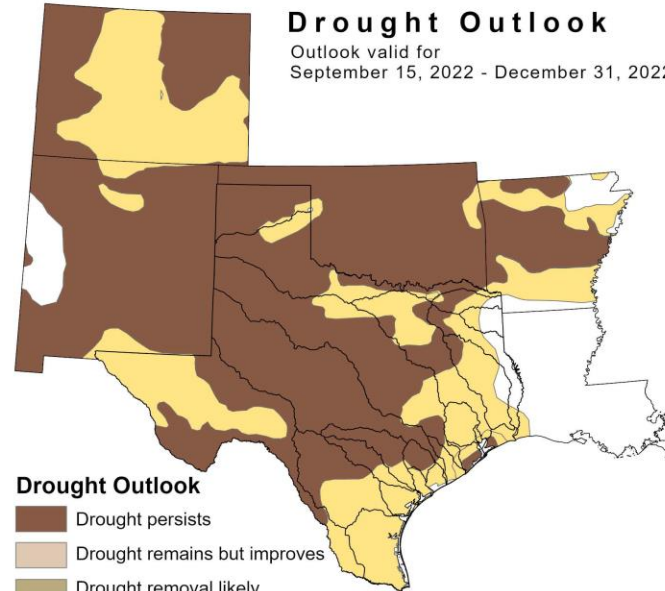
Historical Drought Conditions



September 20, 2011 September 18, 2012 September 17, 2013

Drought Outlook

Outlook valid for
September 15, 2022 - December 31, 2022



Drought Outlook

- Drought persists
- Drought remains but improves
- Drought removal likely
- Drought development likely

Depicts large-scale trends based on subjectively derived probabilities guided by short- and long-range statistical and dynamical forecasts. Use caution for applications that can be affected by short lived events. "Ongoing" drought areas are based on the U.S. Drought Monitor areas (intensities of D1 to D4).

Week	Drought Conditions (Percent Area)					
	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current 9/20/2022	21	19	28	23	8	1
Last Week 9/13/2022	22	19	27	24	8	1
3 Months Ago 6/21/2022	7	12	17	21	27	17
Start of Calendar Year 12/28/2021	13	20	31	26	11	0
Start of Water Year 9/28/2021	46	47	7	0	0	0
One Year Ago 9/21/2021	69	25	5	0	0	0

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