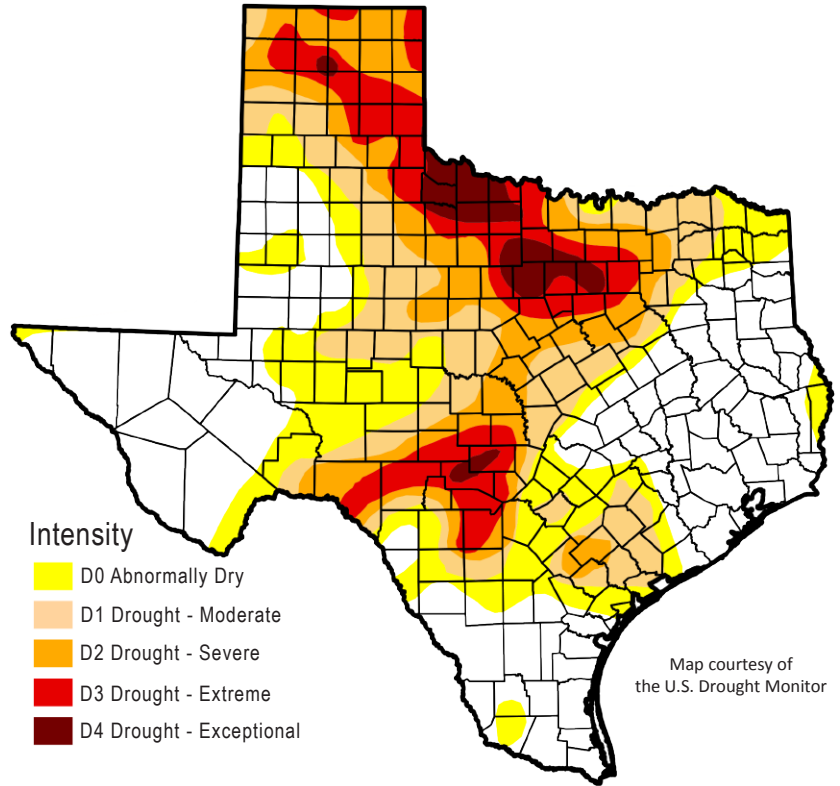


DROUGHT CONDITIONS

March is starting off well with drought severity decreasing in north-central Texas and statewide reservoir storage, as of last Thursday, up 0.9 percentage points (up 1.3 as of Monday morning). Dallas area reservoirs were up 2.6 percentage points as of Thursday (up 4.4 as of Monday morning). And more rain is expected.

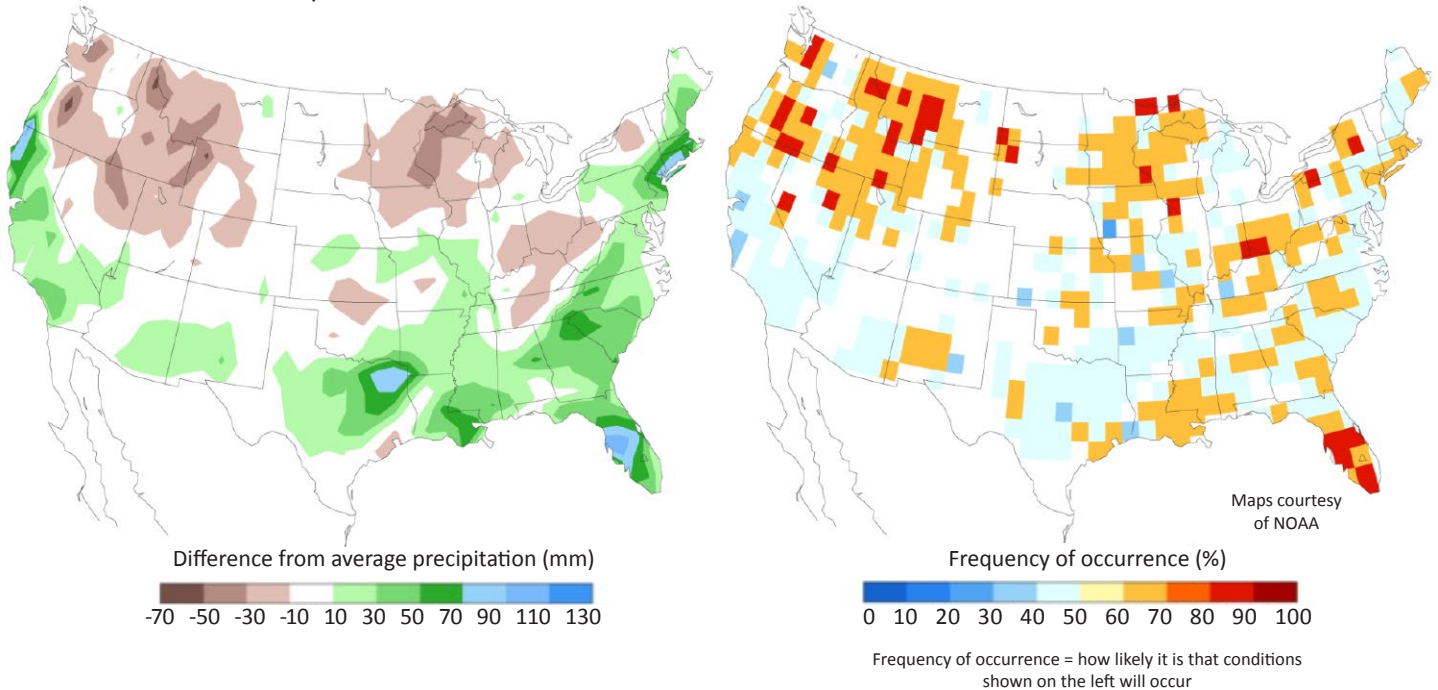
Drought statistics

- 43% of state currently in moderate to exceptional drought
- 43% a week ago
- 43% three months ago
- 67% a year ago



HISTORICAL MARCH-MAY EL NIÑO PRECIPITATION PATTERNS

File this under better-late-than-never: El Niño has arrived! And the Niño is projected to last through the summer. Implications for Texas? Possibly wetter than normal conditions for the north-east, north-central, central, and south-central parts of the state.



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