



Texas Crop Progress and Condition

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Most of the state experienced variable temperatures last week. Rainfall ranged from trace amounts up to 6 inches, with the North East Texas and South East Texas districts receiving the most rain. Drought conditions ranged from none to exceptional drought with areas in the Trans-Pecos being the driest. There was an average of 5 days suitable for fieldwork.

Small Grains: In the Cross Timbers, winter wheat and oats were heading out with conditions rated fair to good. In the Edwards Plateau, winter wheat and oats were being grazed. In the Southern High Plains, producers noticed some winter wheat dying in non-irrigated fields. Winter wheat headed reached 5 percent, up 1 point from the previous year, but down 2 points from normal.

Row Crops: In the Trans-Pecos, the Coastal Bend, and South East Texas, producers were preparing fields for the planting of row crops.

Fruit, Vegetable, and Specialty Crops: In the Blacklands, fruit trees were budding. In the Trans-Pecos, producers were pruning pecan trees. In the Lower Valley, producers were harvesting citrus and vegetables.

Range and Pasture: In North East Texas, producers were noticing feral hog damage and implementing control methods. In the Coastal Bend, the Upper Coast, and the Lower Valley, pastures were greening up. However, most producers continued supplemental feeding across the state due to lack of forages. Pasture and range conditions were rated at 68 percent, poor to fair.

**Crop Progress by Percent
For Week Ending February 16, 2025**

Stage	Percentage of Acreage			
	Current Week	Previous Week	Previous Year	5 Year Average
Winter Wheat Headed	5	3	4	7

**Crop Condition by Percent
For Week Ending February 16, 2025**

Crop	Percent of Acreage					Index ¹	
	Excellent	Good	Fair	Poor	Very Poor	2025	2024
Winter Wheat	5	28	36	24	7	59	65
Oats	2	11	36	22	29	41	46
Range and Pasture	1	8	26	42	23	36	30

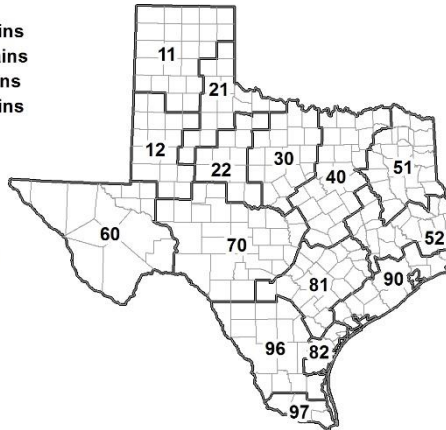
¹ The formula for the condition index is $I = (110E + 90G + 60F + 25P + 5V)/100$ where I = crop condition index and E, G, F, P, V = percentage of crop rated excellent, good, fair, poor, very poor.

**Soil Moisture and Days Suitable by District
For Week Ending February 16, 2025**

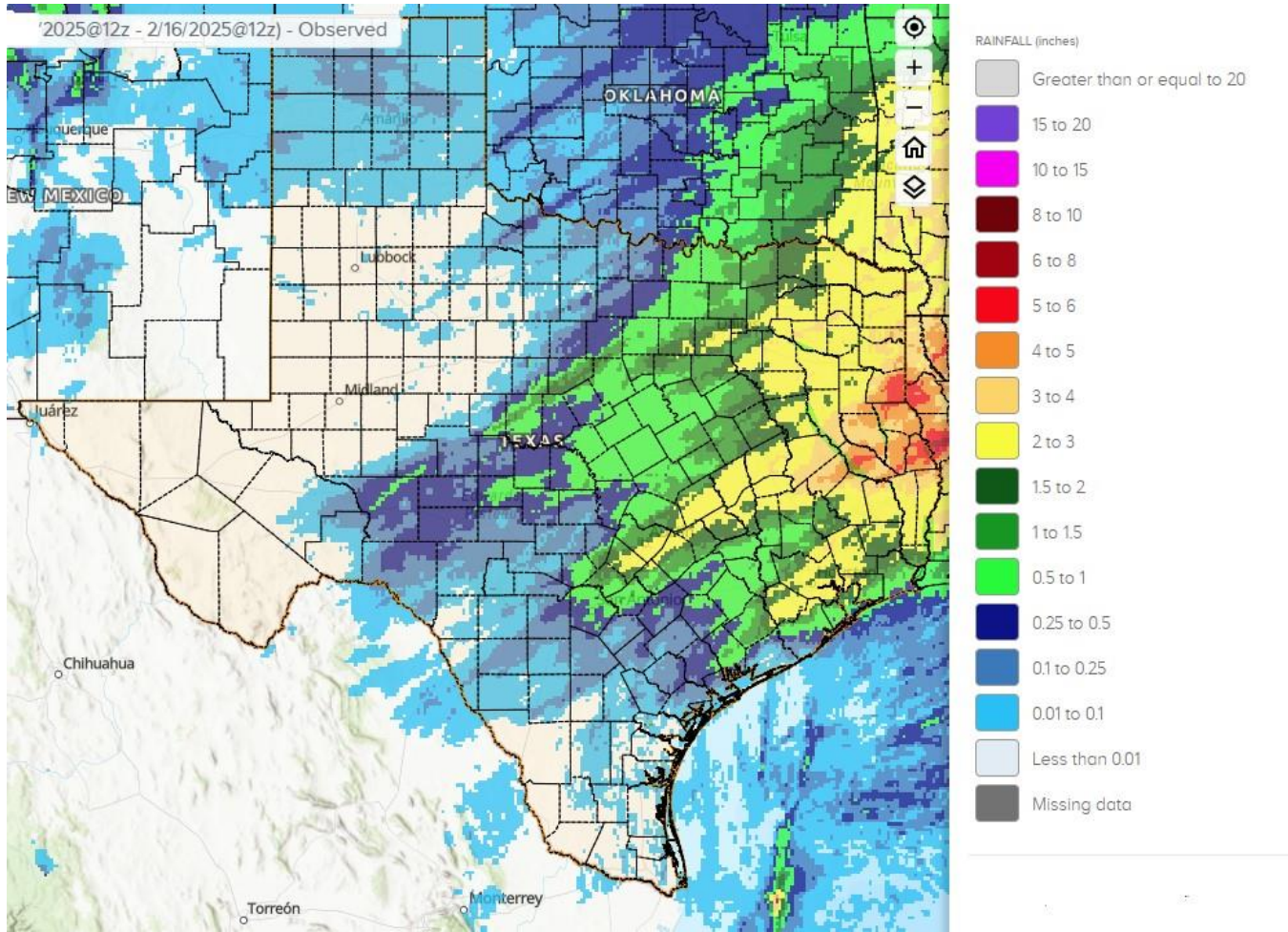
District	Subsoil Moisture Condition by District				Topsoil Moisture Condition by District				Days Suitable for Fieldwork
	Percentage of Acreage				Percentage of Acreage				
	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	Very Short	Short	Adequate	Surplus	
11	4	21	72	3	4	52	44	0	5.1
12	66	31	3	0	66	25	9	0	6.0
21	46	45	9	0	50	42	8	0	5.3
22	25	50	23	2	38	43	17	2	6.6
30	2	46	52	0	3	44	52	1	4.9
40	11	17	40	32	5	4	53	38	2.3
51	0	20	43	37	0	7	49	44	4.3
52	2	12	48	38	2	12	42	44	4.0
60	0	76	24	0	0	76	24	0	7.0
70	33	44	23	0	30	53	17	0	5.8
81	15	58	25	2	14	46	37	3	5.9
82	34	55	11	0	16	59	25	0	6.4
90	0	5	73	22	0	5	61	34	1.1
96	44	50	6	0	29	43	28	0	6.7
97	17	49	34	0	27	48	25	0	7.0
State	24	32	36	8	24	33	33	10	5.0

Texas Agricultural Districts

- 11 Northern High Plains
- 12 Southern High Plains
- 21 Northern Low Plains
- 22 Southern Low Plains
- 30 Cross Timbers
- 40 Blacklands
- 51 North East
- 52 South East
- 60 Trans-Pecos
- 70 Edwards Plateau
- 81 South Central
- 82 Coastal Bend
- 90 Upper Coast
- 96 South
- 97 Lower Valley

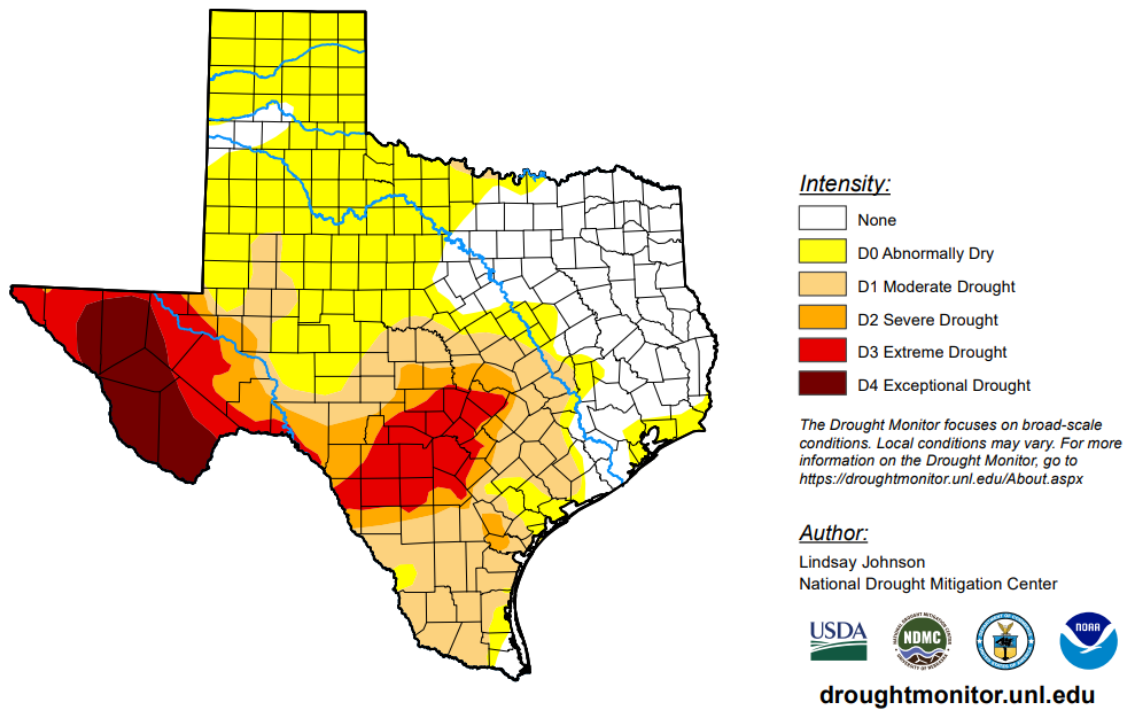


Seven Day Observed Regional Precipitation, February 16, 2025



Source: National Weather Service, www.nws.noaa.gov

Drought Monitor, Map Released: February 13, 2025



Source: National Drought Mitigation Center, a partnership with USDA, U.S. Department of Commerce/NOAA, <http://droughtmonitor.unl.edu>