

The background of the slide is a close-up photograph of water. It features a series of concentric, overlapping ripples that create a textured, wavy pattern. Interspersed among these ripples are numerous small, clear bubbles of varying sizes, some of which are in sharp focus, showing their spherical shape and internal reflections. The overall color palette is a range of blues, from light, airy tones to deeper, more saturated hues, giving it a fresh and dynamic feel.

PRESENTATION

Water Resources

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System Storage 8/17/2025

97.6%

Total

+ 5.5%

94.0%

West Fork

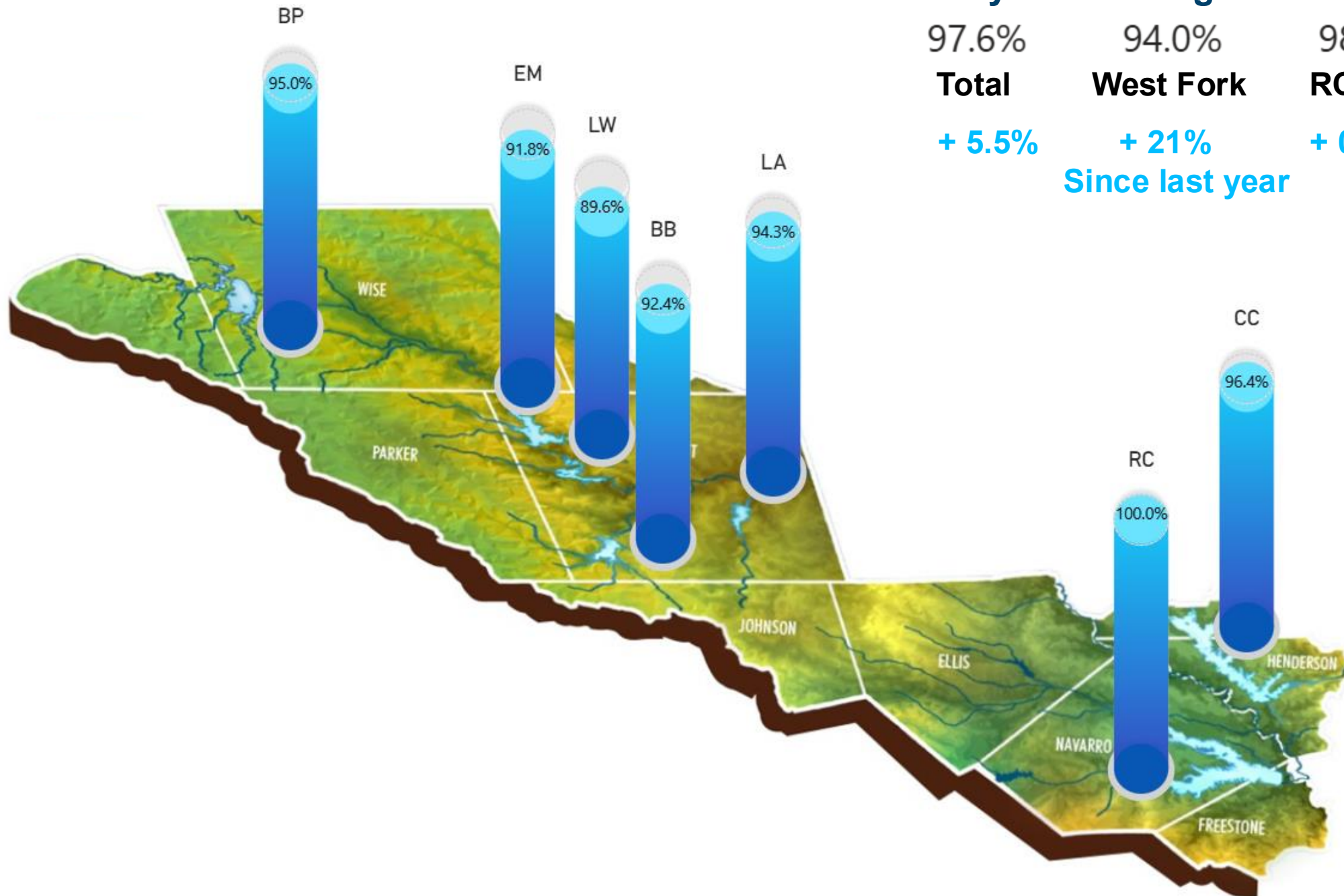
+ 21%

Since last year

98.7%

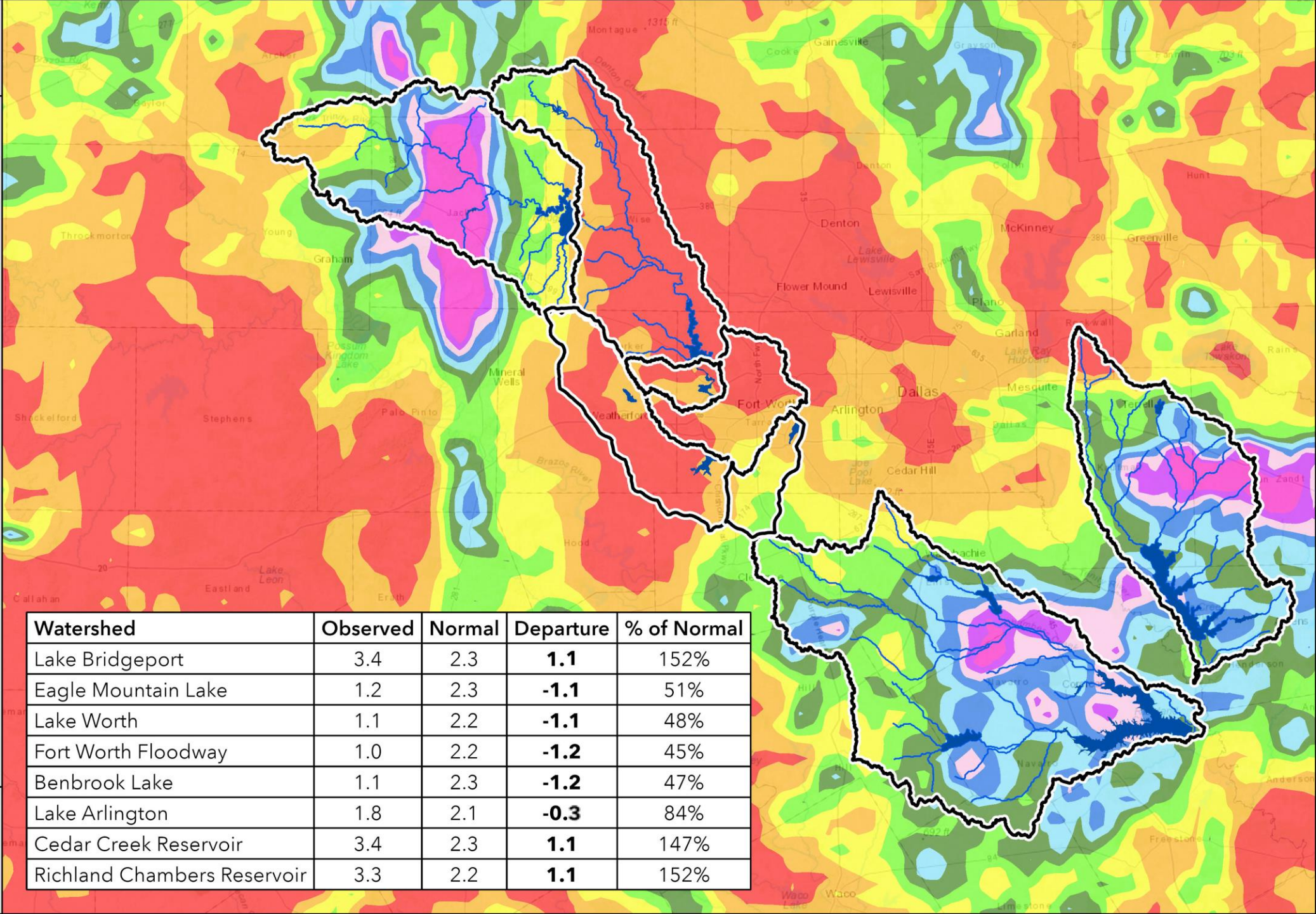
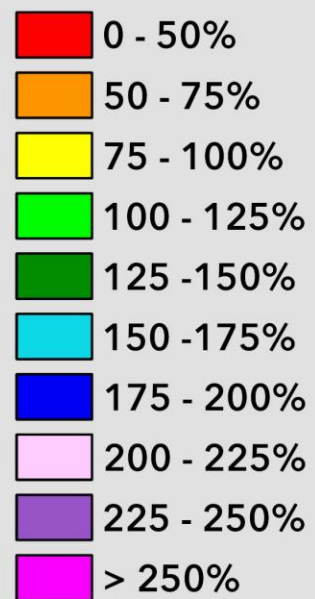
RC & CC

+ 0.50%



Past 30 Days (7/19/2025 - 8/18/2025)

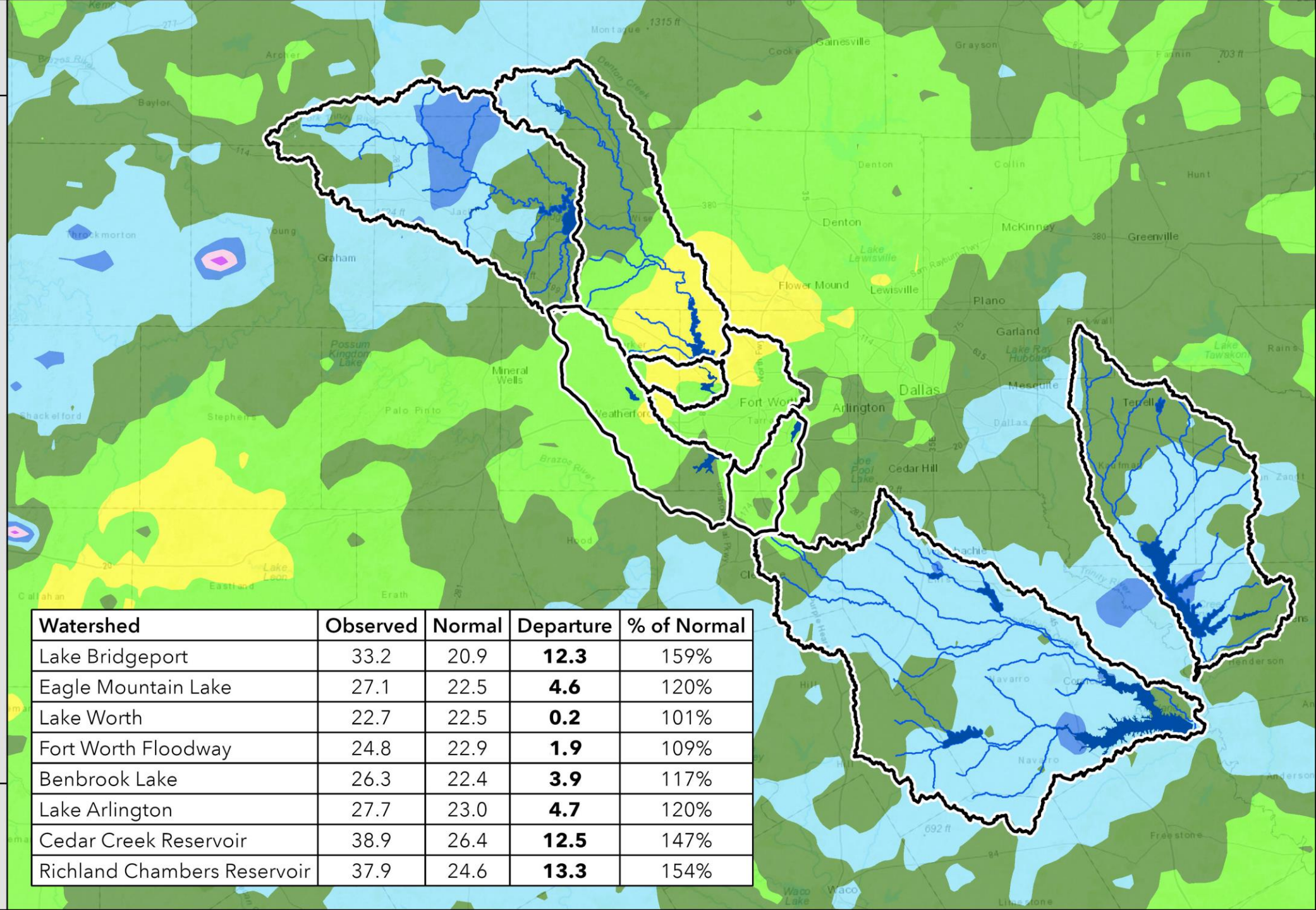
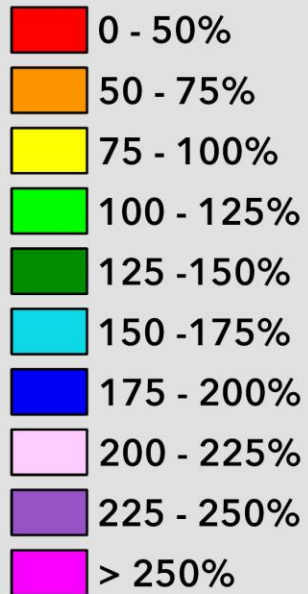
Percent of Normal Rainfall



Watershed	Observed	Normal	Departure	% of Normal
Lake Bridgeport	3.4	2.3	1.1	152%
Eagle Mountain Lake	1.2	2.3	-1.1	51%
Lake Worth	1.1	2.2	-1.1	48%
Fort Worth Floodway	1.0	2.2	-1.2	45%
Benbrook Lake	1.1	2.3	-1.2	47%
Lake Arlington	1.8	2.1	-0.3	84%
Cedar Creek Reservoir	3.4	2.3	1.1	147%
Richland Chambers Reservoir	3.3	2.2	1.1	152%

Year to Date
(1/1/2025 - 8/18/2025)
230 days

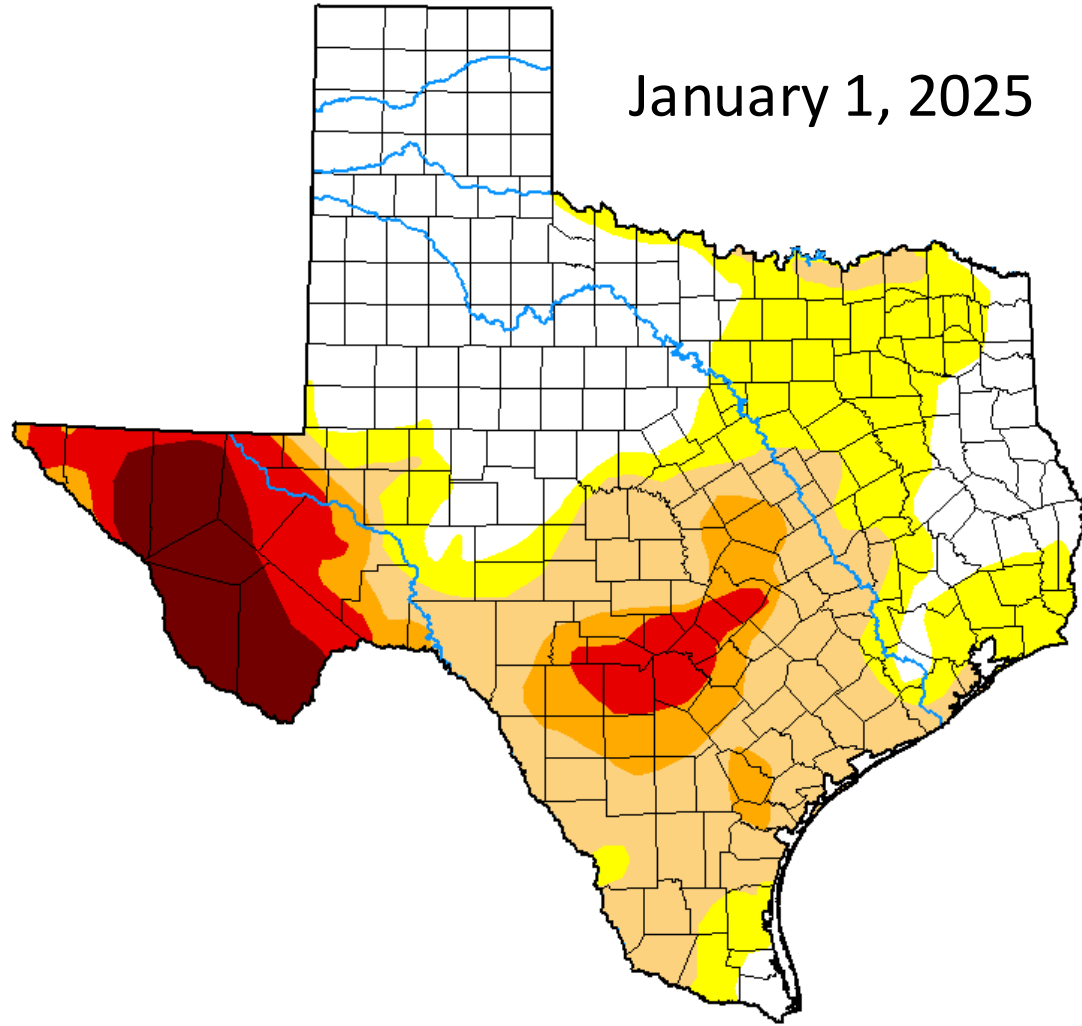
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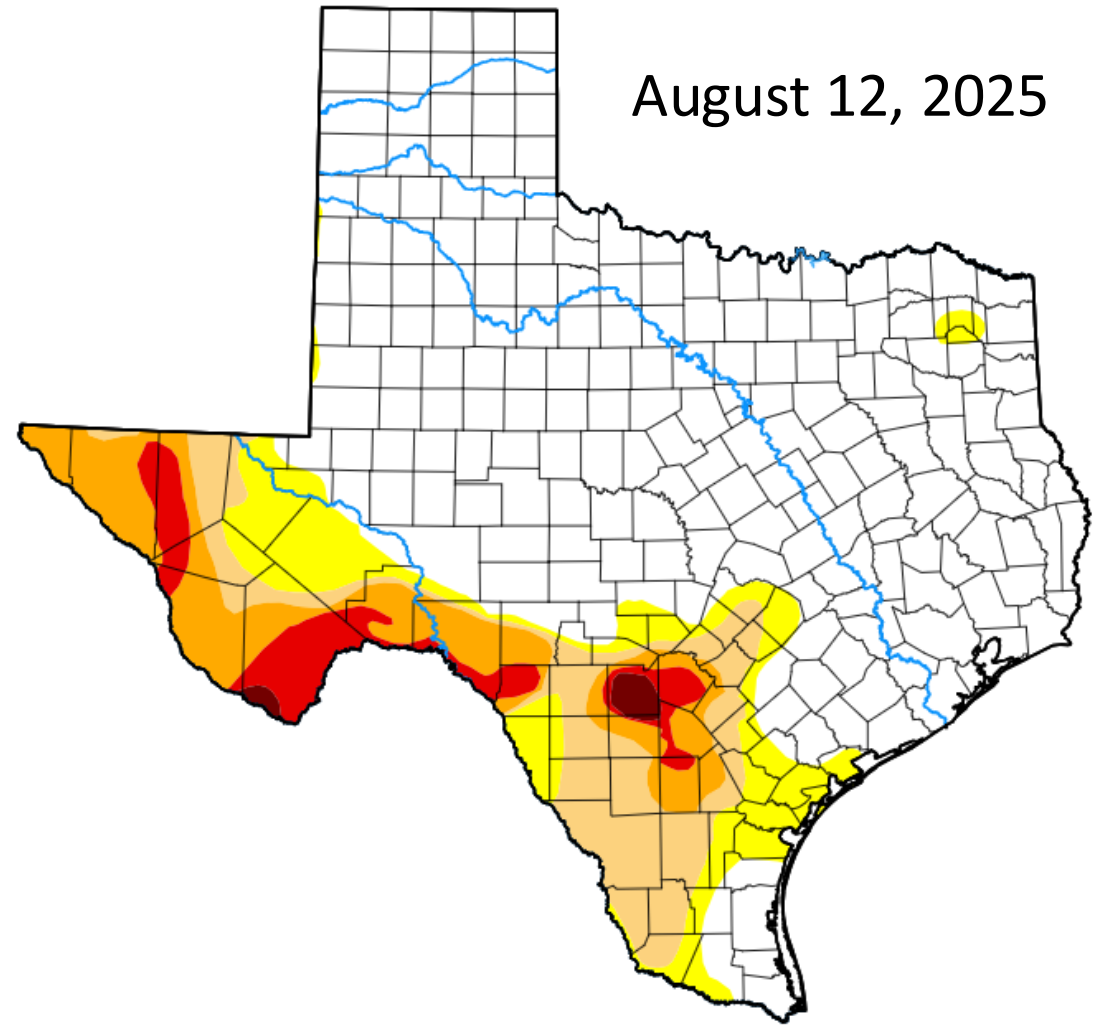
Watershed	Observed	Normal	Departure	% of Normal
Lake Bridgeport	33.2	20.9	12.3	159%
Eagle Mountain Lake	27.1	22.5	4.6	120%
Lake Worth	22.7	22.5	0.2	101%
Fort Worth Floodway	24.8	22.9	1.9	109%
Benbrook Lake	26.3	22.4	3.9	117%
Lake Arlington	27.7	23.0	4.7	120%
Cedar Creek Reservoir	38.9	26.4	12.5	147%
Richland Chambers Reservoir	37.9	24.6	13.3	154%

U.S. Drought Monitor

January 1, 2025



August 12, 2025



None
D0 (Abnormally Dry)
D1 (Moderate Drought)

D2 (Severe Drought)
D3 (Extreme Drought)

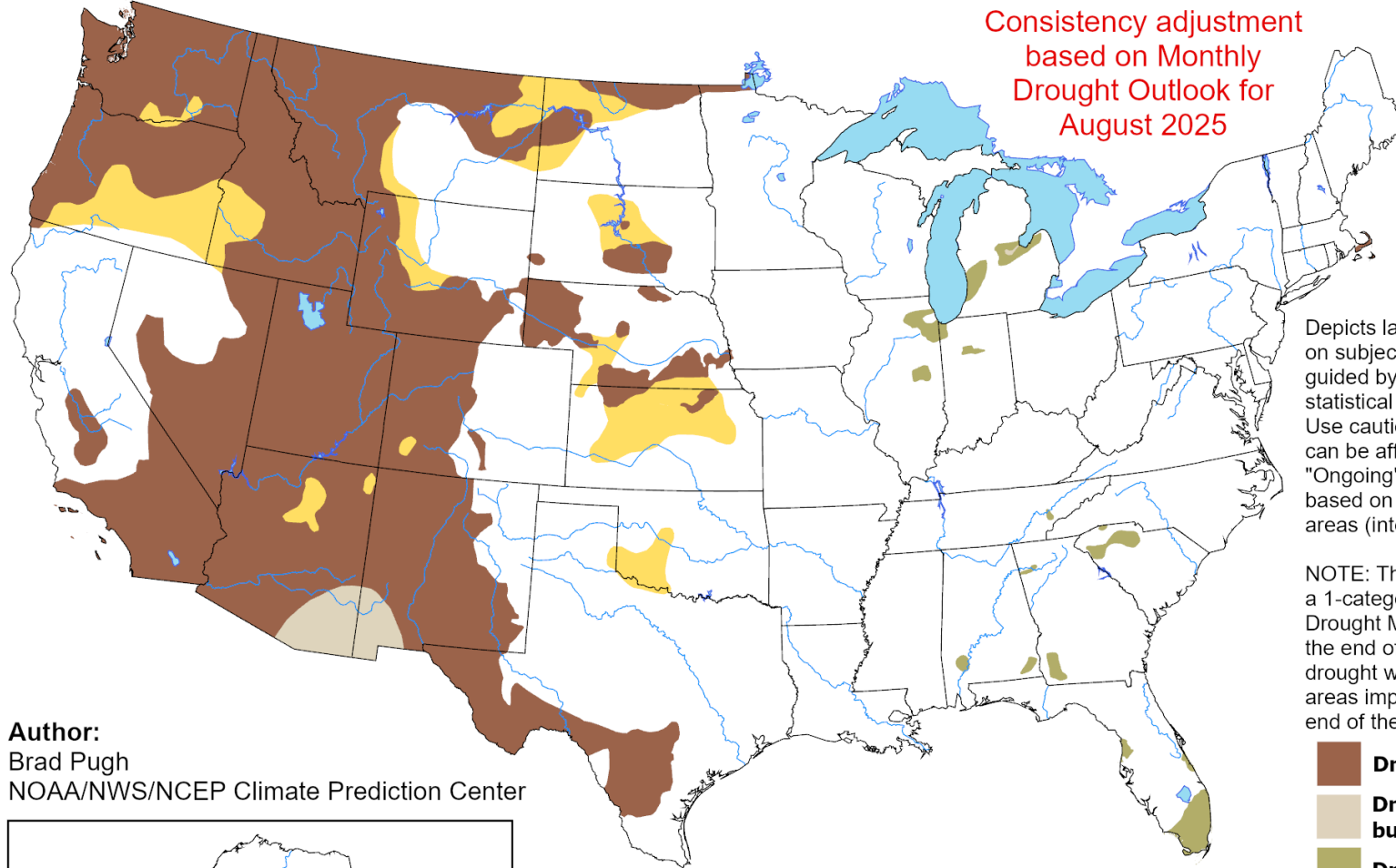
D4 (Exceptional Drought)
No Data

U.S. Seasonal Drought Outlook

Drought Tendency During the Valid Period

Valid for August 1 - October 31, 2025
Released July 31, 2025

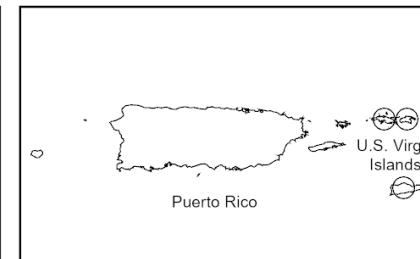
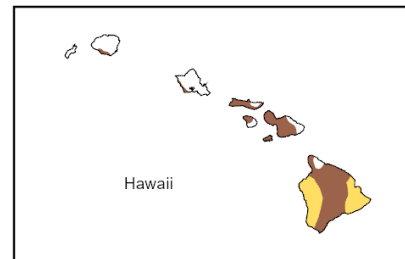
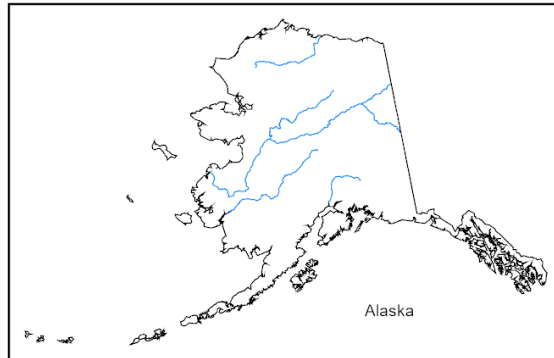
Consistency adjustment
based on Monthly
Drought Outlook for
August 2025



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).

NOTE: The tan areas imply at least a 1-category improvement in the Drought Monitor intensity levels by the end of the period, although drought will remain. The green areas imply drought removal by the end of the period (D0 or none).

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-  **Drought persists**
-  **Drought remains, but improves**
-  **Drought removal likely**
-  **Drought development likely**
-  **No drought**



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