

Texas Division of Emergency Management Texas State Operations Center

Situation Awareness Brief



Wednesday, April 16th, 2025
As of 0900 CDT

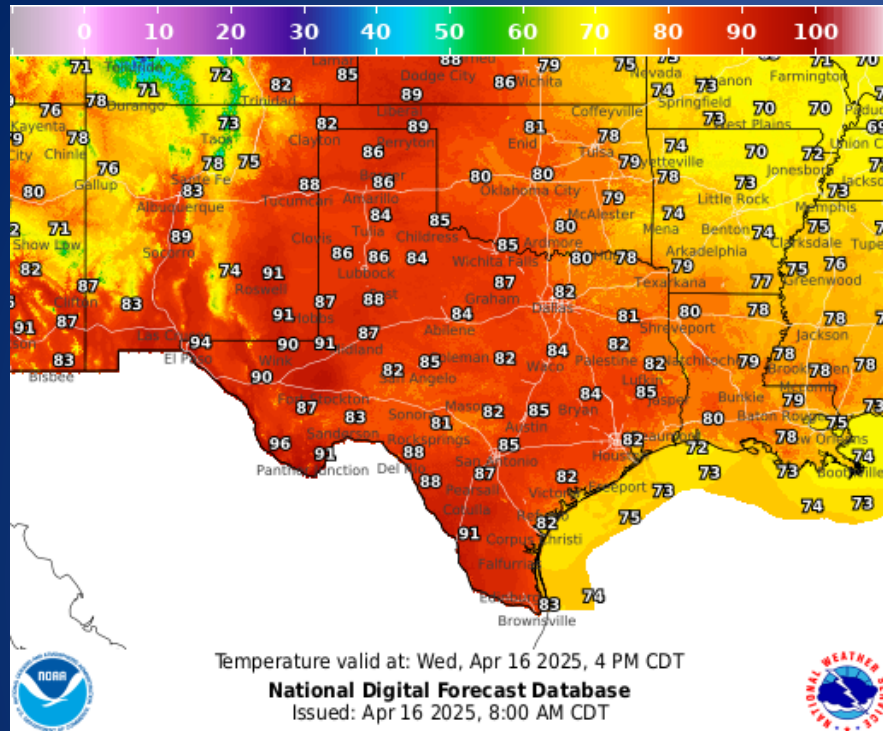
Incidents Reported to the State Operations Center (last 24 hours)

DATE	SUBJECT	LOCATION
04/15/25	Final Report of the Cedar Draw Fire	San Saba County
04/15/25	Final Report of the Gas Leak	Maverick County
04/15/25	Final Report of the Salt Creek Fire	Comanche County
04/15/25	Final Report of the Grind Stone Fire	Grimes County
04/15/25	Initial and Final Report of the Shorthorn Fire	Wilson County
04/15/25	Final Report of a Boil Water Notice	Hardeman County
04/15/25	Final Report of the Sayer Fire	Bastrop County
04/15/25	Update Report #2 of the Golden Eagle Fire	Real County
04/15/25	Final Report of the Salt Flats Fire	Aransas County
04/15/25	Final Report of an Industrial Fire	Tarrant County

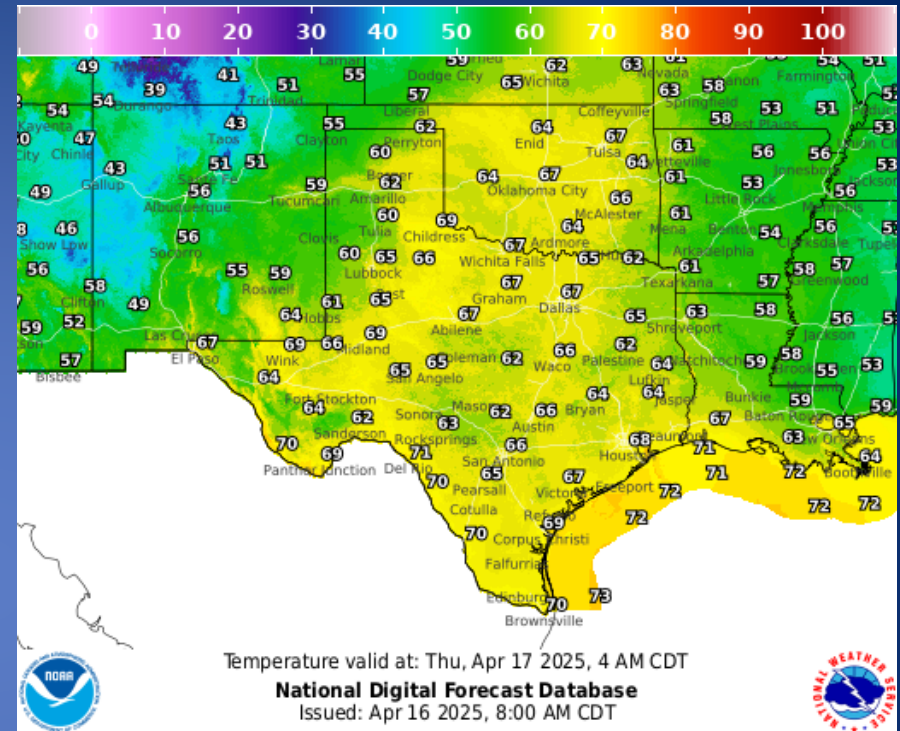
Informational Products Distributed by the State Operations Center

DATE	SUBJECT
04/15/25	NWS Amarillo: Critical Fire Weather Conditions Expected Thursday April 17th, 2025
04/15/25	NWS El Paso: NWS Situational Awareness Briefing for High Wind and Fire Danger - Thursday, April 17
04/15/25	NWS Brownsville: **Announcement**: The 15th Annual Rio Grande Valley Emergency Management Partners Hurricane Workshop - May 21, 2025
04/16/25	Daily NWS Threat Brief for FEMA Region 6

Weather Forecast

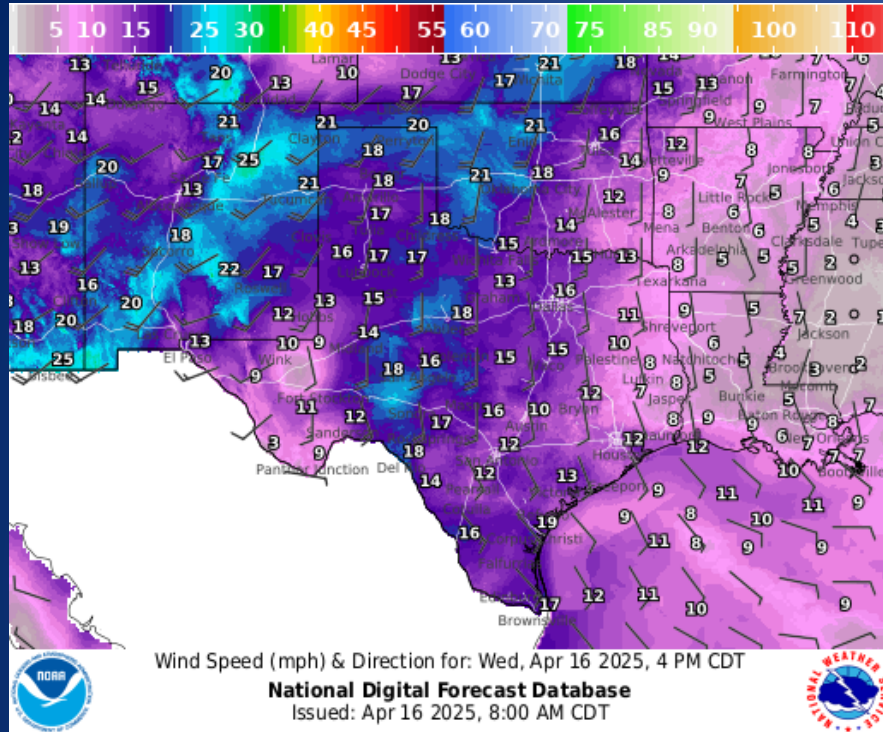


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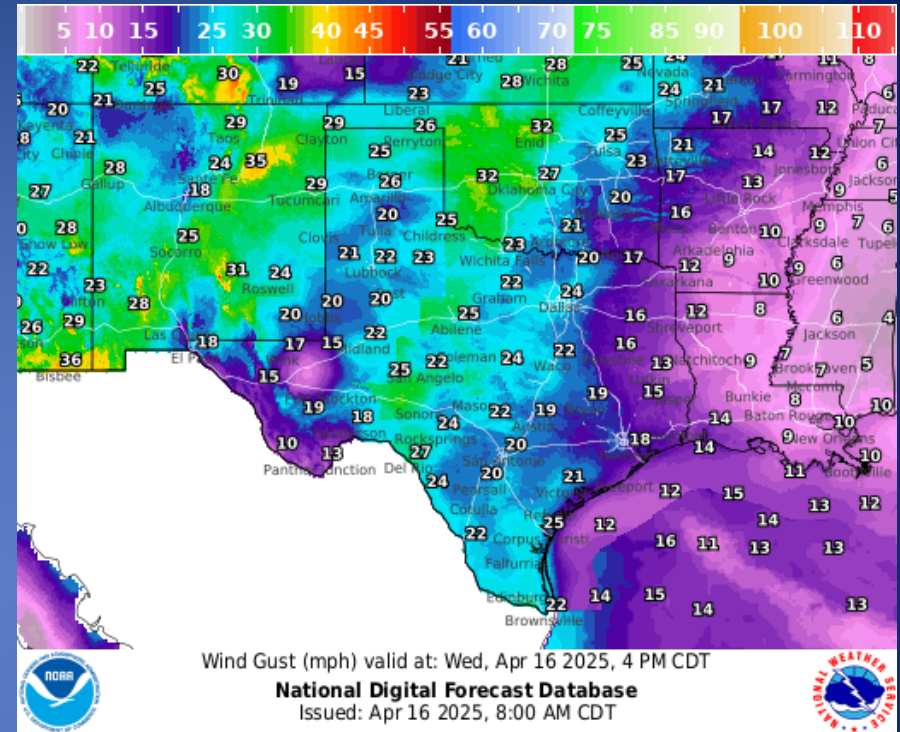


Lows

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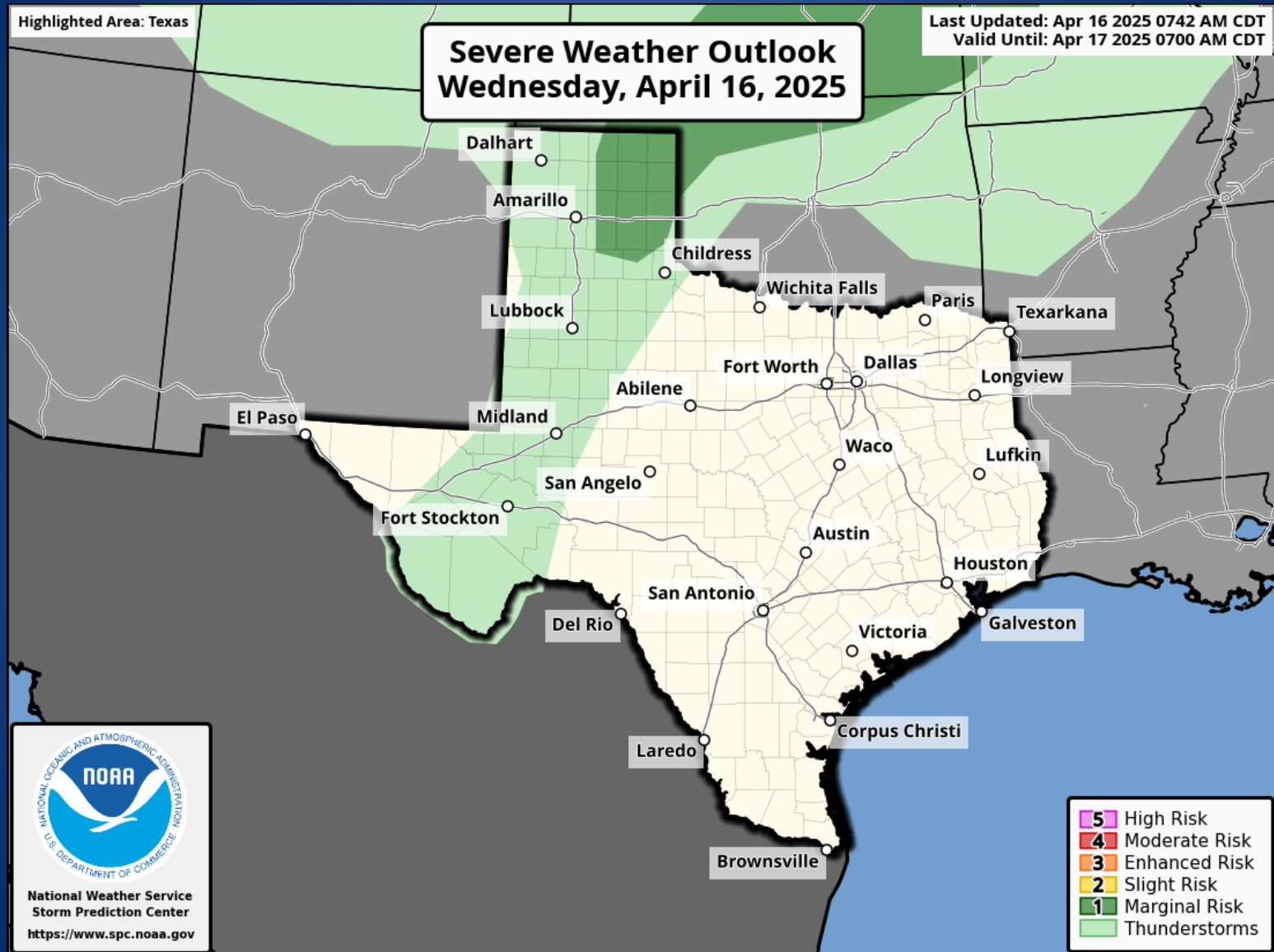


Wind Speeds



Gusts

Hazardous Weather

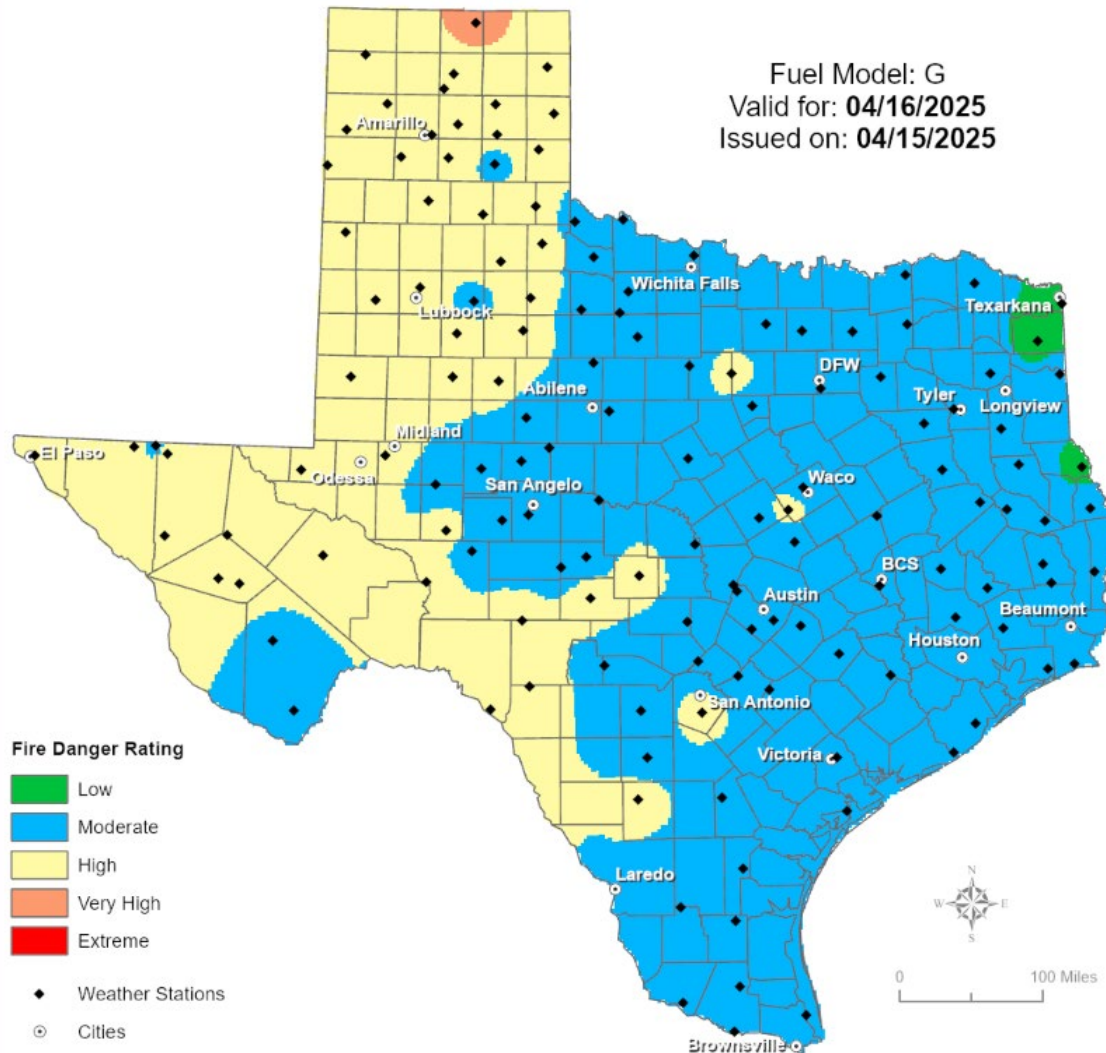


Weather Advisory/Statement/Watch/Warning Issued

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/15/25	Special Weather Statement	Anderson, Angelina, Atascosa, Bastrop, Bexar, Caldwell, Cherokee, Comal, DeWitt, Fayette, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hays, Karnes, Lavaca, Lee, Nacogdoches, Sabine, San Augustine, Travis, Williamson and Wilson Counties
04/15/25	Flood Warning	Anderson, Cass, Cherokee, Gregg, Harrison, Houston, Marion, Newton, Orange, Smith, Upshur and Wood Counties
04/15/25	High Wind Watch	Culberson County
04/16/25	Dense Fog Advisory	Colorado, Jackson, Matagorda and Wharton Counties
04/16/25	Wind Advisory	El Paso County
04/16/25	Blowing Dust Advisory	El Paso County
04/16/25	Airport Weather Warning	El Paso County

Fire Danger Forecast

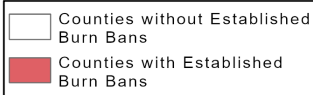
Forecast Fire Danger



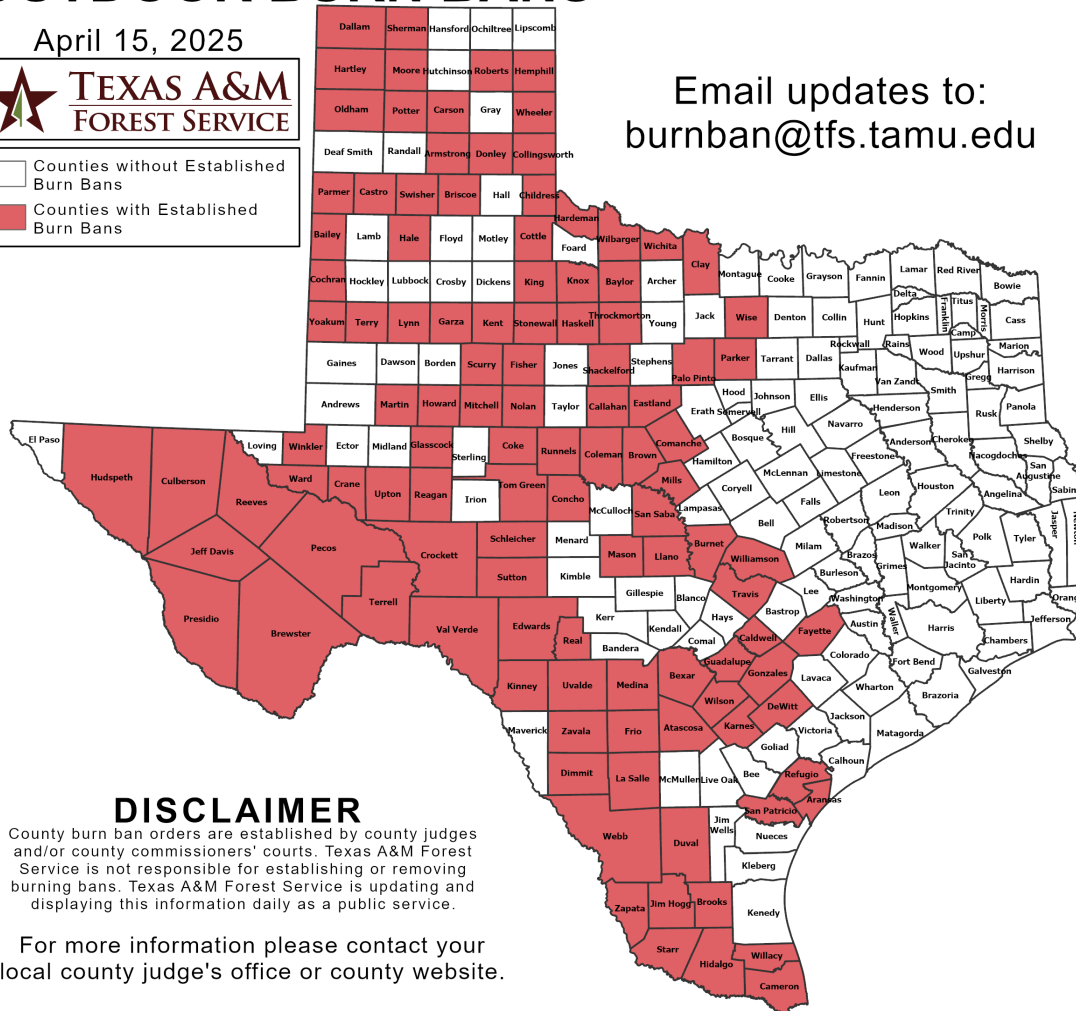
Burn Ban

OUTDOOR BURN BANS

April 15, 2025



Email updates to:
burnban@tfs.tamu.edu



Counties with Burn Bans: 111

Aransas	Frio	Reagan
Armstrong	Garza	Real
Atascosa	Glasscock	Reeves
Bailey	Gonzales	Refugio
Baylor	Guadalupe	Roberts
Bexar	Hale	Runnels
Brewster	Hardeman	San Patricio
Briscoe	Hartley	San Saba
Brooks	Haskell	Schleicher
Brown	Hemphill	Scurry
Burnet	Hidalgo	Shackelford
Caldwell	Howard	Sherman
Callahan	Hudspeth	Starr
Cameron	Jeff Davis	Stonewall
Carson	Jim Hogg	Sutton
Castro	Karnes	Swisher
Childress	Kent	Terrell
Clay	King	Terry
Cochran	Kinney	Throckmorton
Coke	Knox	Tom Green
Coleman	La Salle	Travis
Collingsworth	Llano	Upton
Comanche	Lynn	Uvalde
Concho	Martin	Val Verde
Cottle	Mason	Ward
Crane	Medina	Webb
Crockett	Mills	Wheeler
Culberson	Mitchell	Wichita
Dallam	Moore	Wilbarger
DeWitt	Nolan	Willacy
Dimmit	Oldham	Williamson
Donley	Palo Pinto	Wilson
Duval	Parker	Winkler
Eastland	Parmer	Wise
Edwards	Pecos	Yoakum
Fayette	Potter	Zapata
Fisher	Presidio	Zavala

DISCLAIMER

County burn ban orders are established by county judges and/or county commissioners' courts. Texas A&M Forest Service is not responsible for establishing or removing burning bans. Texas A&M Forest Service is updating and displaying this information daily as a public service.

For more information please contact your local county judge's office or county website.

RED FLAG WARNINGS: www.weather.gov

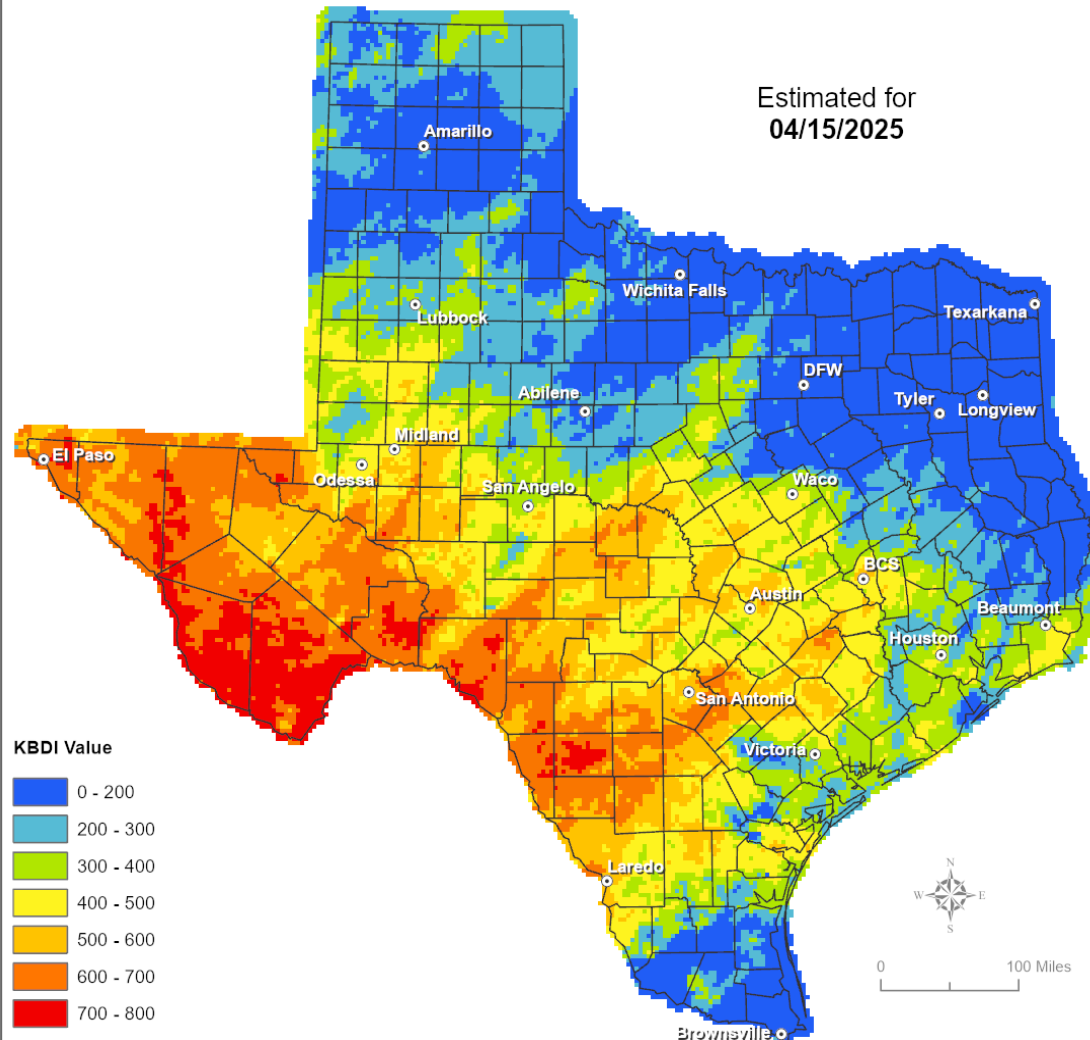
Additional map formats available at <https://tfsweb.tamu.edu/Burnbans/>

Keetch-Byram Drought Index

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(4 km x 4 km resolution)

Estimated for
04/15/2025



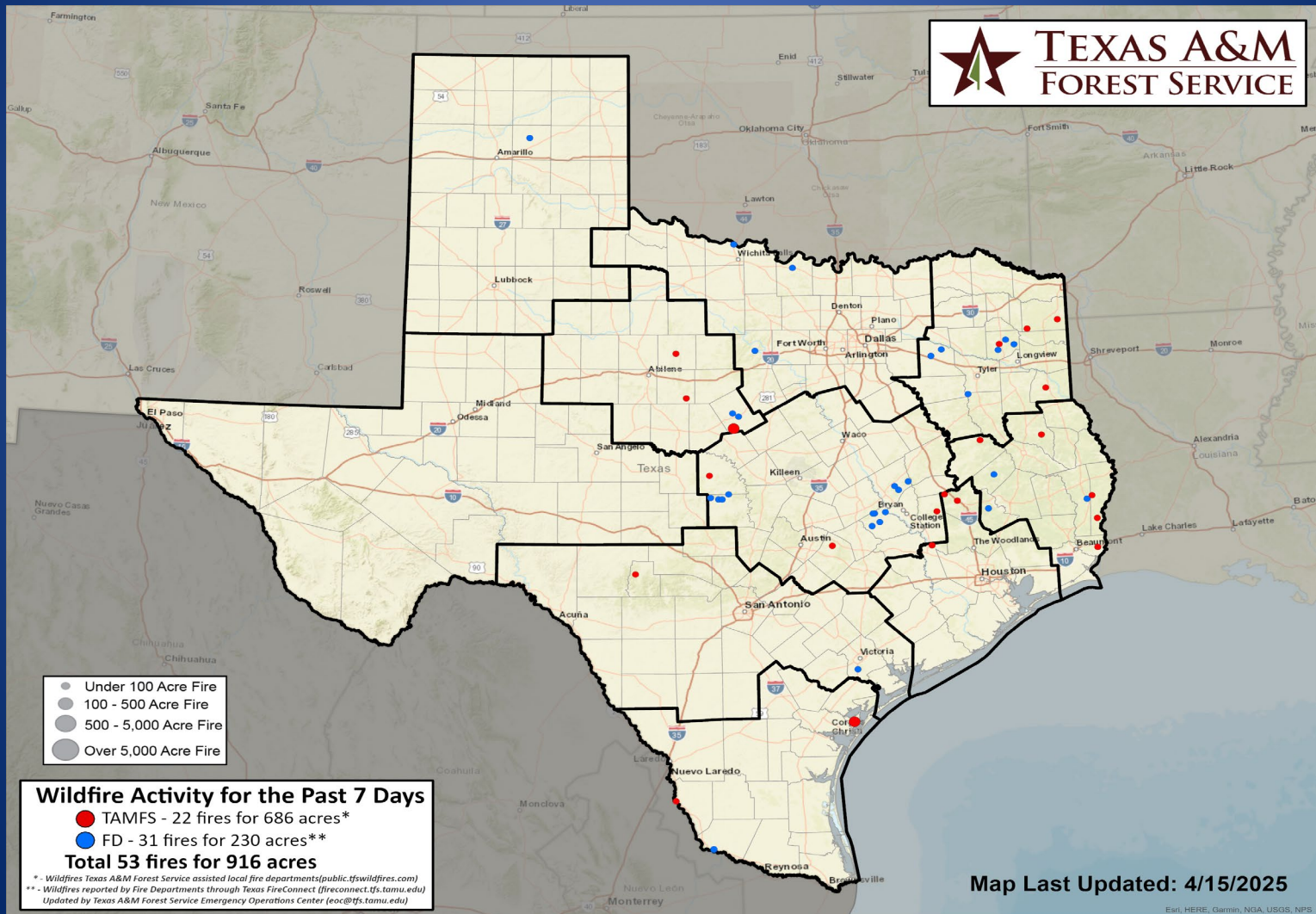
Fire Weather

Warnings/Watches/Statements

DATE	WARNING TYPE	LOCATION
04/15/25	Red Flag Warning	El Paso and Hudspeth Counties
04/15/25	Fire Weather Watch	Andrews, Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Brewster, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Cochran, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crosby, Culberson, Dawson, Deaf Smith, Dickens, Donley, Ector, Floyd, Foard, Gaines, Garza, Gray, Hale, Hall, Hansford, Hardeman Hemphill, Hockley, Hutchinson, Jeff Davis, Knox, Lamb, Lipscomb, Loving, Lubbock, Lynn, Martin, Motley, Ochiltree, Parmer, Pecos, Potter, Presidio, Randall, Reeves, Roberts, Smith, Swisher, Terry, Ward, Wheeler, Winkler and Yoakum Counties

Fire Activity (*Last 24 Hours)

Report of 310 (+17) fires and 74,655 (+426) acres have been burned this year. There are 111 (-1) counties with burn bans. The Keetch–Byram Drought Index list contains 84 (+4) counties with an average over 400.



Training

Dates		TITLE	COURSE	LOCATION
04/14/25	04/16/25	Intermediate Emergency Operations Center Functions	G-2300	Waxahachie
04/14/25	04/16/25	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	McAllen
04/14/25	04/16/25	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Pflugerville
04/14/25	04/16/25	Intermediate Incident Command System for Expanding Incidents	G-300	Wharton
04/15/25	04/16/25	G-400: Advanced Incident Command System for Complex Incidents	G-400	Beeville
04/15/25	04/16/25	NIMS ICS All-Hazards Liaison Officer Course	L-956	Amarillo, Fredericksburg McKinney San Angelo
04/16/25	04/17/25	TDEM Supervisor Training	T-INT502	Austin

Statewide Significant Events

DATES		LOCATION	EVENT
04/05/25	04/27/25	Dallas	Lone Star Classic
04/16/26	04/16/25	Arlington	MLB: 2025 Texas Rangers Game 9

Exercises

DATES		LOCATION	TYPE: EXERCISE NAME
04/15/25	04/17/25	PanTex	Full Scale: PanTex Full Scale Exercise
04/16/25	04/16/25	Alpine	Tabletop: Brewster County Mass Casualty Incident