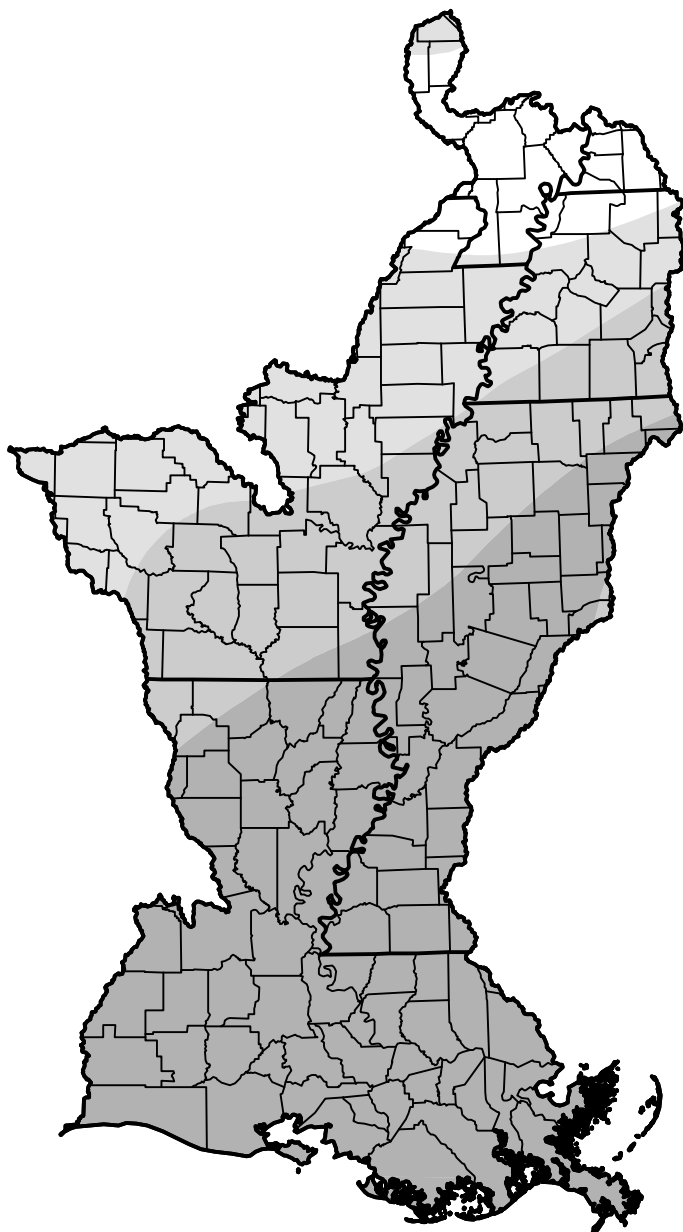


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	7.44	92.56	73.77	52.28	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>03-16-2000</i>	7.33	92.67	81.96	63.22	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago	-	-	-	-	-	-
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2000</i>	1.27	98.73	59.76	17.53	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year	-	-	-	-	-	-
One Year Ago	-	-	-	-	-	-

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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