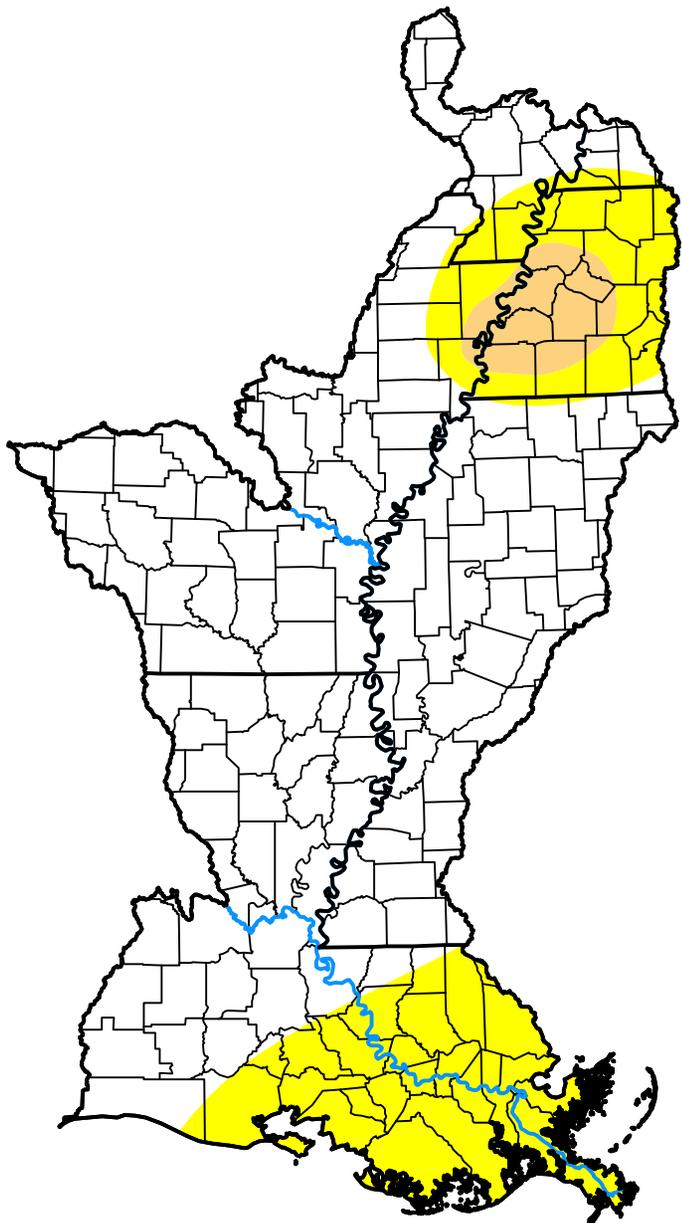


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	73.63	26.37	3.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-22-2001</i>	77.00	23.00	6.01	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>11-30-2000</i>	35.13	64.87	36.79	19.48	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2001</i>	51.29	48.71	25.64	10.44	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2000</i>	0.10	99.90	97.61	90.67	66.24	0.18
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-02-2000</i>	7.33	92.67	80.77	39.04	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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