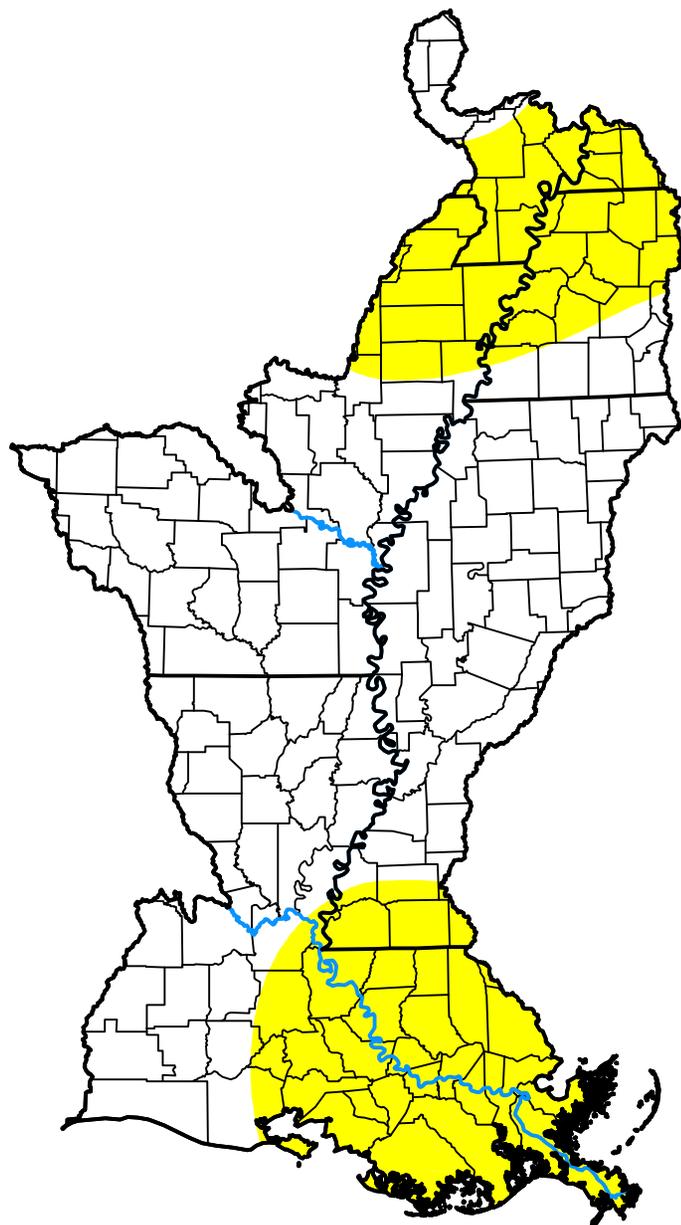


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

**April 17, 2001**  
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	66.89	33.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-12-2001</i>	84.32	15.68	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-18-2001</i>	49.53	24.26	15.14	11.07	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2001</i>	51.29	23.07	15.20	10.44	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2000</i>	0.10	2.28	6.95	24.43	66.06	0.18
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-20-2000</i>	20.22	39.79	14.24	25.75	0.00	0.00

### Intensity:



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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