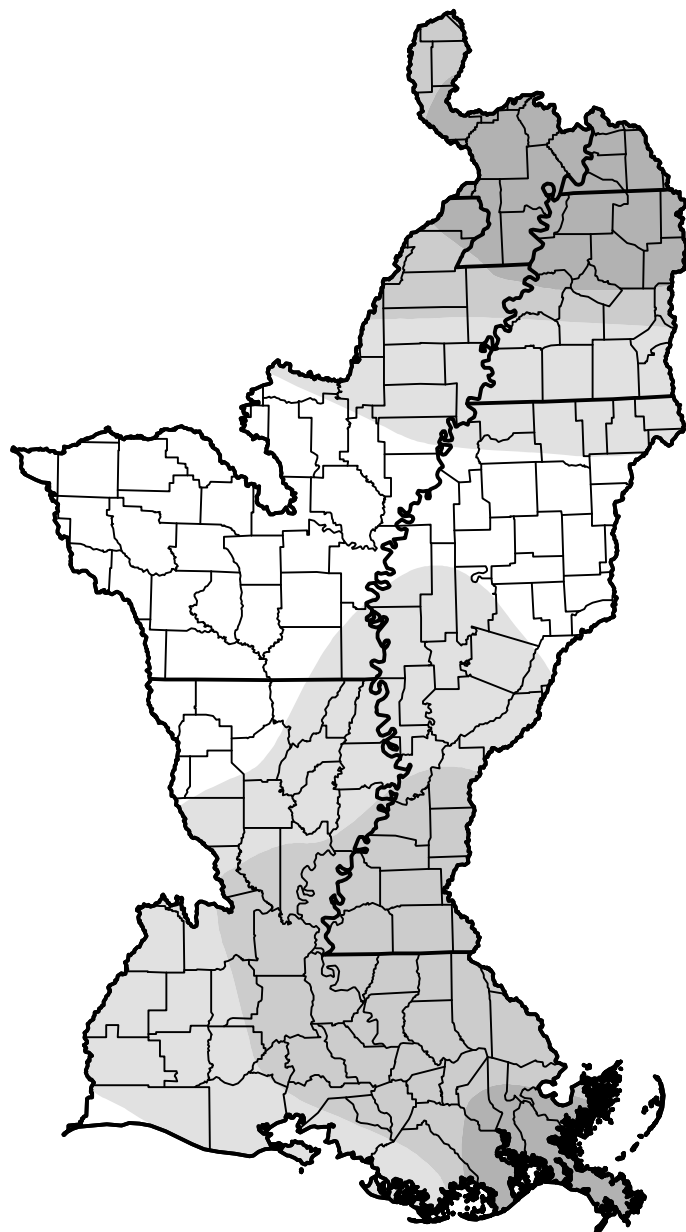


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	30.13	33.17	24.50	12.20	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>05-24-2001</i>	30.13	33.93	23.64	12.30	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>03-01-2001</i>	73.63	22.61	3.76	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	51.29	23.07	15.20	10.44	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	0.10	2.28	6.95	24.43	66.06	0.18
One Year Ago <i>06-01-2000</i>	62.20	13.00	3.65	7.11	6.18	7.87

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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