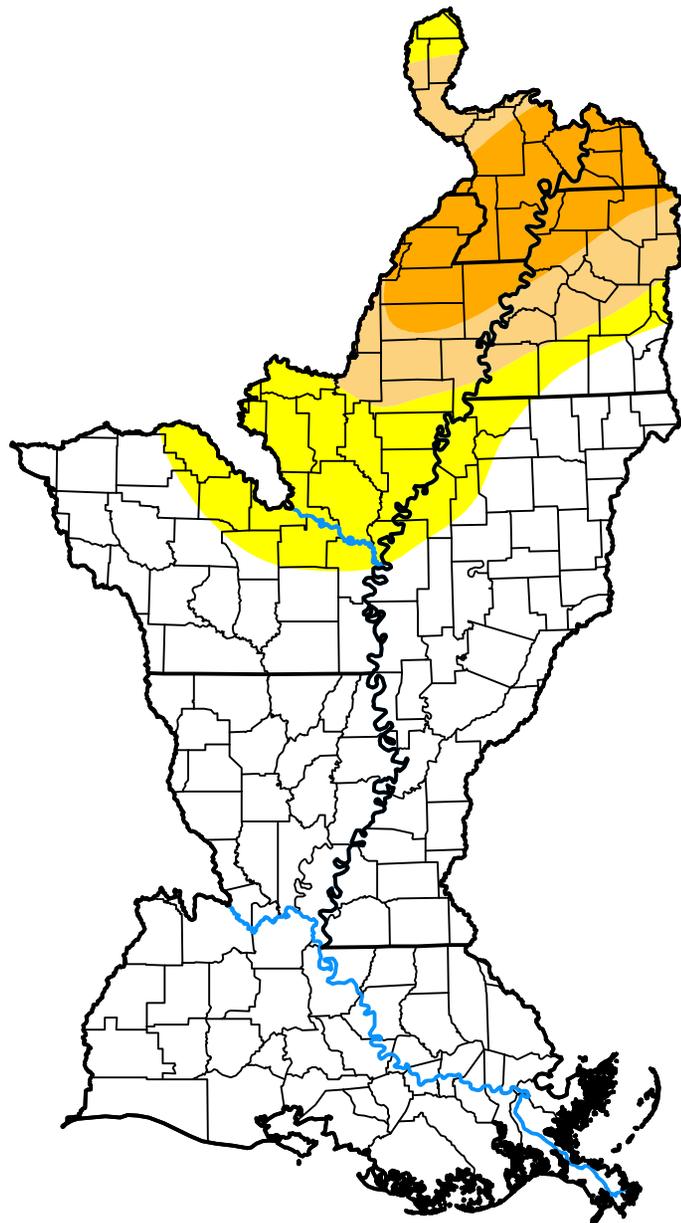


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.11	29.89	16.43	8.82	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-12-2001</i>	70.11	29.89	16.43	8.82	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-19-2001</i>	66.89	33.11	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	51.29	48.71	25.64	10.44	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	0.10	99.90	97.61	90.67	66.24	0.18
One Year Ago <i>07-20-2000</i>	10.65	89.35	59.75	21.66	11.40	1.90

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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