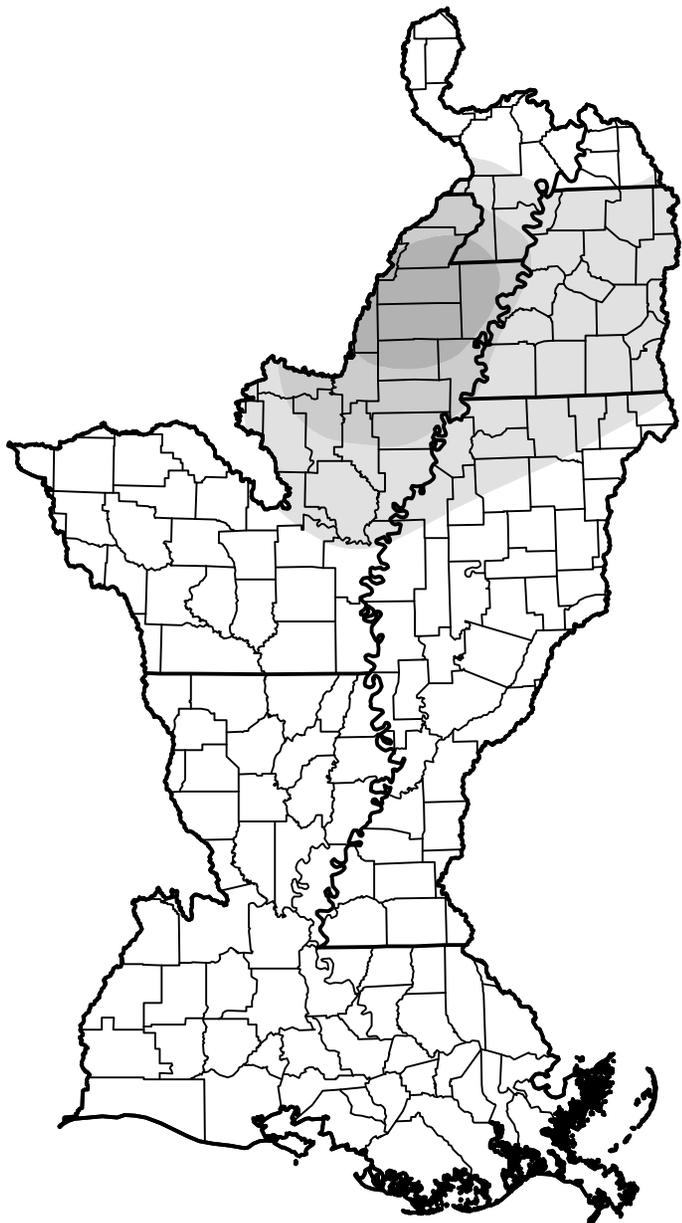


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

**September 11, 2001**  
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 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 74.14 | 25.86 | 8.66  | 3.62  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-06-2001</i>              | 75.24 | 24.76 | 8.66  | 3.62  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-14-2001</i>           | 82.13 | 17.87 | 12.16 | 7.41  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2001</i> | 51.29 | 48.71 | 25.64 | 10.44 | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2000</i>    | 0.10  | 99.90 | 97.61 | 90.67 | 66.24 | 0.18 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>09-14-2000</i>           | 0.19  | 99.81 | 97.37 | 94.42 | 68.18 | 5.59 |

***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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