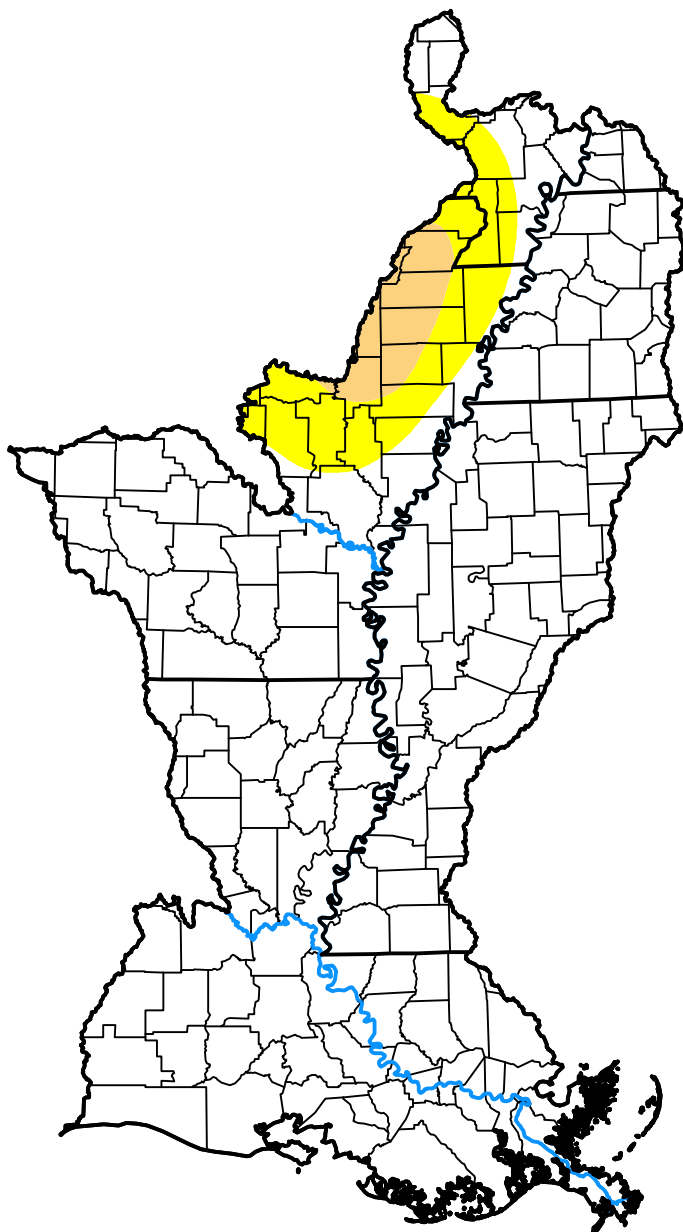


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	90.13	9.87	2.77	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-15-2001</i>	93.91	6.09	1.44	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-23-2001</i>	65.30	34.70	8.04	2.08	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>09-27-2001</i>	79.41	20.59	8.66	3.62	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-22-2000</i>	12.83	87.17	70.52	50.16	15.82	0.00

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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