

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	13.35	86.65	25.12	5.03	0.00	0.00
Last Week 07-11-2002	12.17	87.83	24.67	4.80	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 04-18-2002	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2002	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-27-2001	79.41	20.59	8.66	3.62	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 07-19-2001	70.11	29.89	16.43	8.82	0.00	0.00

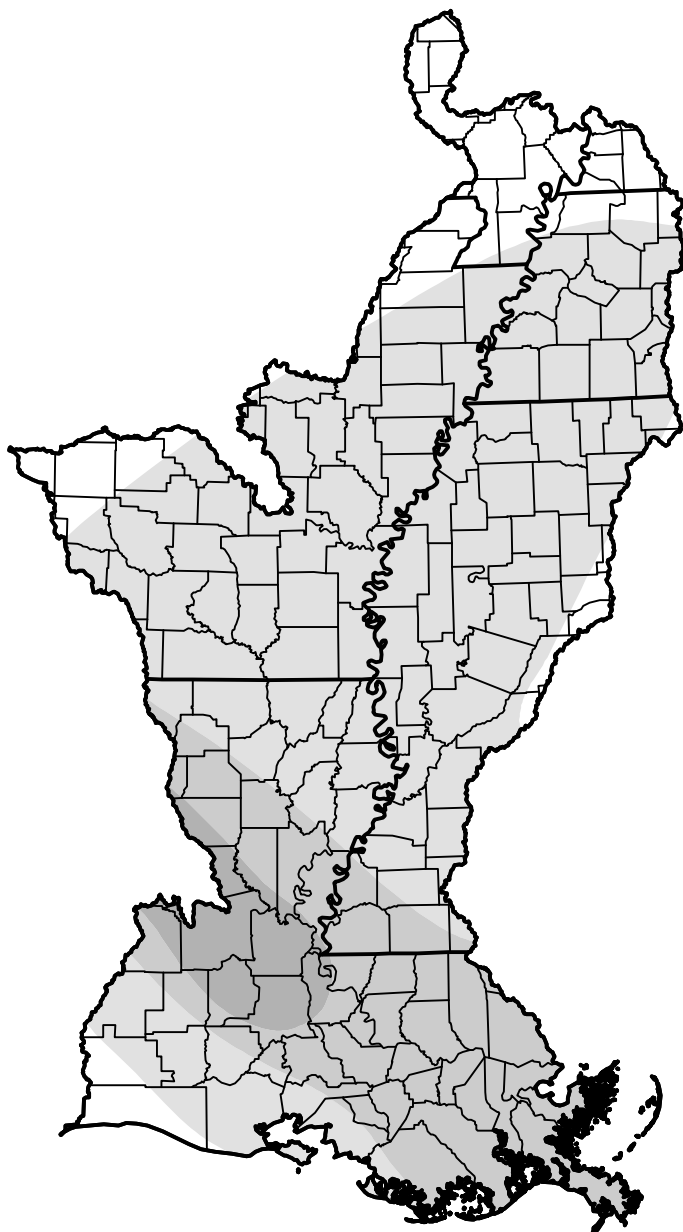
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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