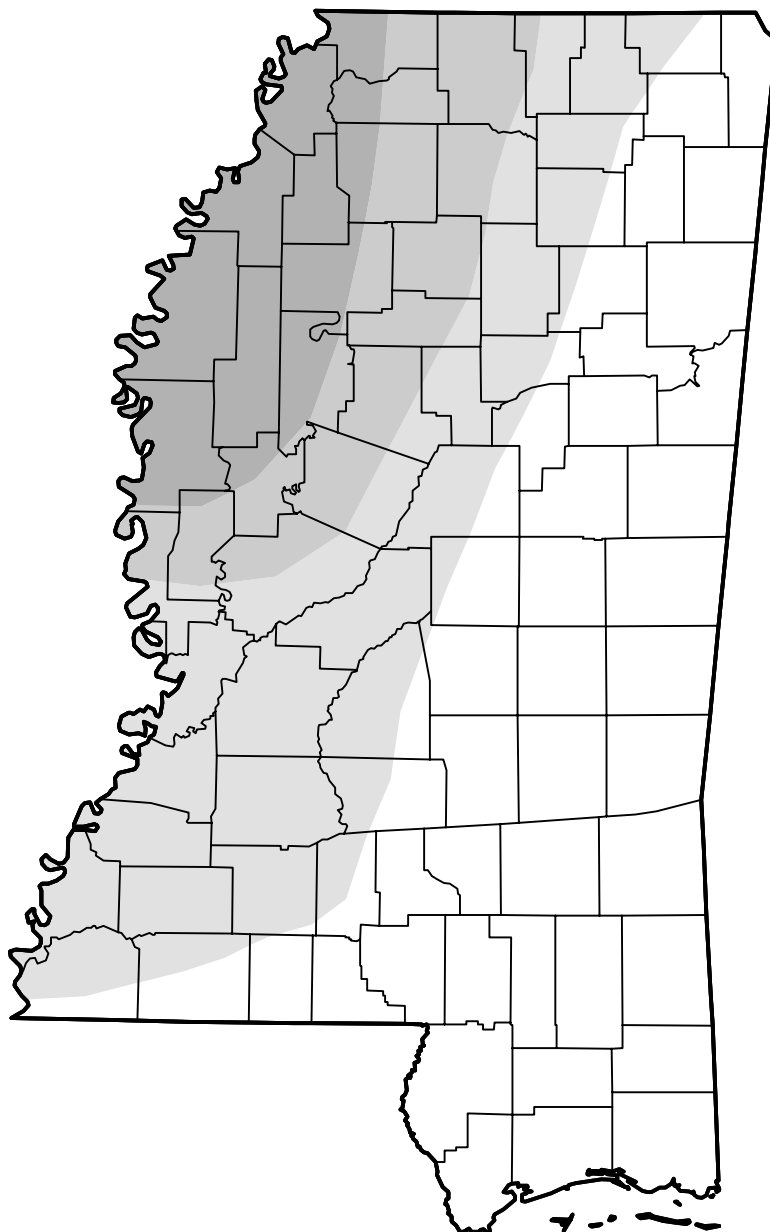


U.S. Drought Monitor

Mississippi



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.32	50.67	23.10	11.50	0.00	0.00
Last Week 08-18-2005	61.10	38.90	13.92	7.44	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 05-26-2005	61.32	38.67	0.89	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-06-2005	99.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-30-2004	90.74	9.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 08-26-2004	99.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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