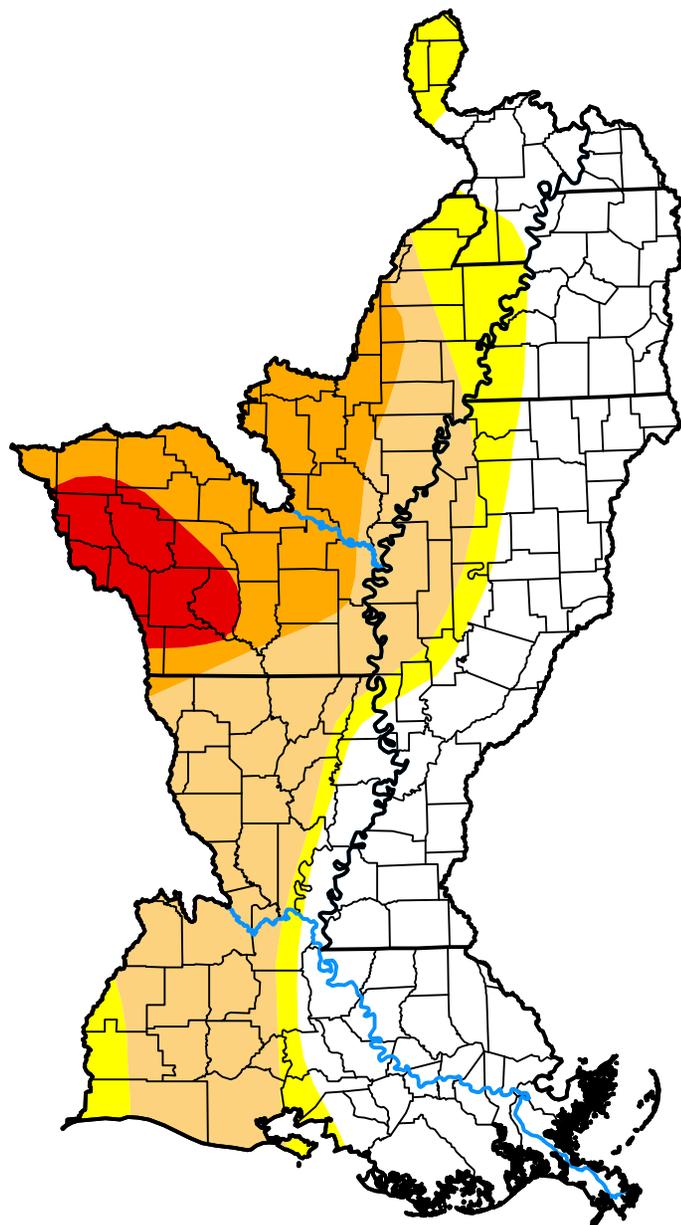


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	44.12	11.85	26.45	12.73	4.85	0.00
Last Week <i>09-08-2005</i>	52.41	19.76	11.43	13.76	2.64	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-16-2005</i>	27.04	27.56	29.63	15.77	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2005</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2004</i>	53.43	46.57	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-16-2004</i>	83.83	16.17	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00

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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