

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Louisiana

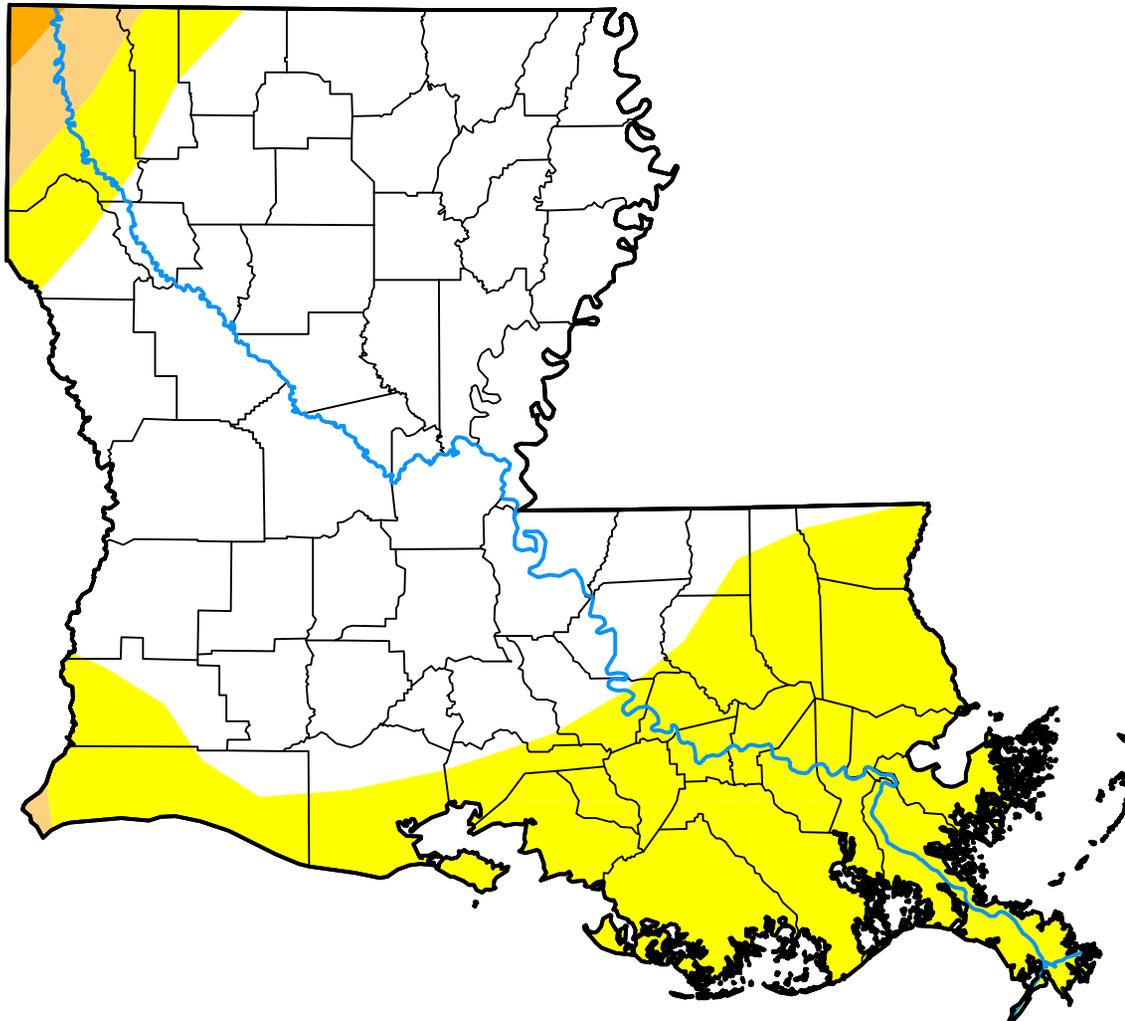
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	63.17	34.46	2.04	0.32	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-02-2006</i>	62.76	34.96	1.86	0.42	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-08-2005</i>	17.45	38.00	43.25	1.30	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2006</i>	35.06	45.45	8.10	10.12	1.26	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2005</i>	98.92	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-10-2005</i>	99.95	0.05	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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