

U.S. Drought Monitor

Louisiana

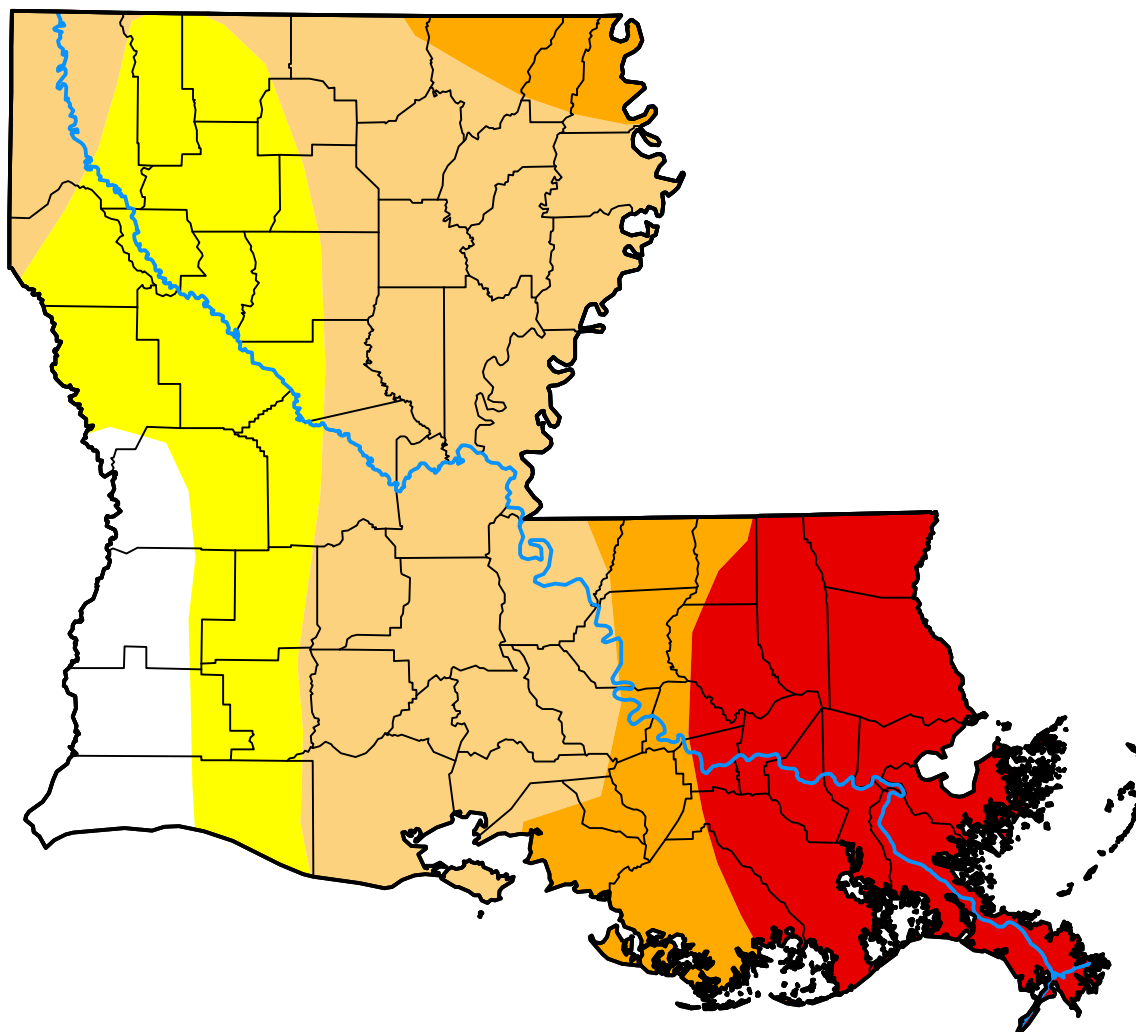
August 1, 2006

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	6.88	23.06	41.05	11.05	17.96	0.00
Last Week <i>07-27-2006</i>	4.08	17.78	45.87	14.31	17.96	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-04-2006</i>	10.14	40.31	35.78	13.77	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	35.06	45.45	8.10	10.12	1.26	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2005</i>	98.92	1.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-04-2005</i>	55.05	33.46	7.82	3.64	0.03	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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