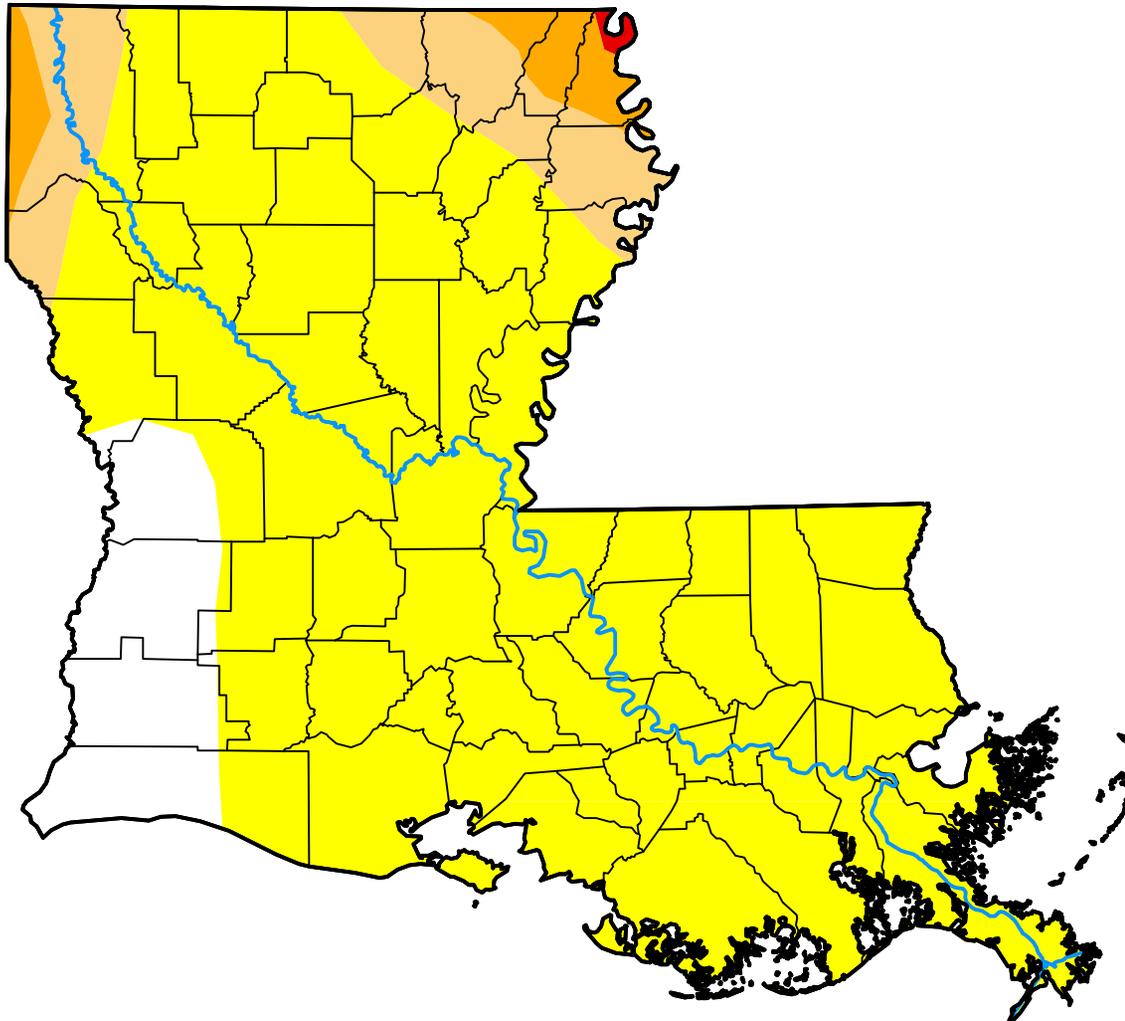


U.S. Drought Monitor

Louisiana

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	8.82	80.75	7.72	2.56	0.16	0.00
Last Week <i>08-24-2006</i>	8.18	22.47	54.14	15.05	0.16	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-01-2006</i>	0.00	40.55	30.89	28.57	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>09-01-2005</i>	55.77	36.24	5.26	2.74	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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