

U.S. Drought Monitor

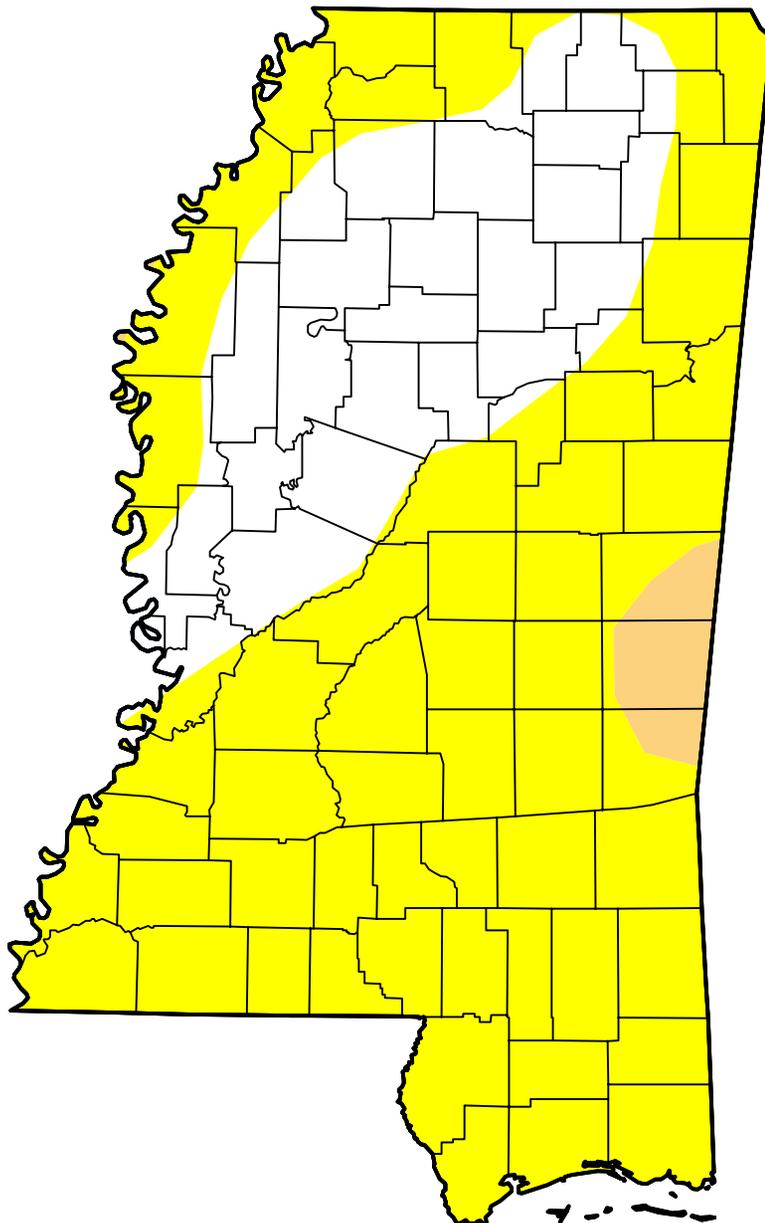
Mississippi

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	27.61	69.72	2.66	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>10-12-2006</i>	13.45	49.34	34.93	2.26	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>07-20-2006</i>	0.00	5.49	30.56	43.27	20.68	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2006</i>	80.42	11.70	7.87	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	13.45	55.74	28.54	2.26	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>10-20-2005</i>	99.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	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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