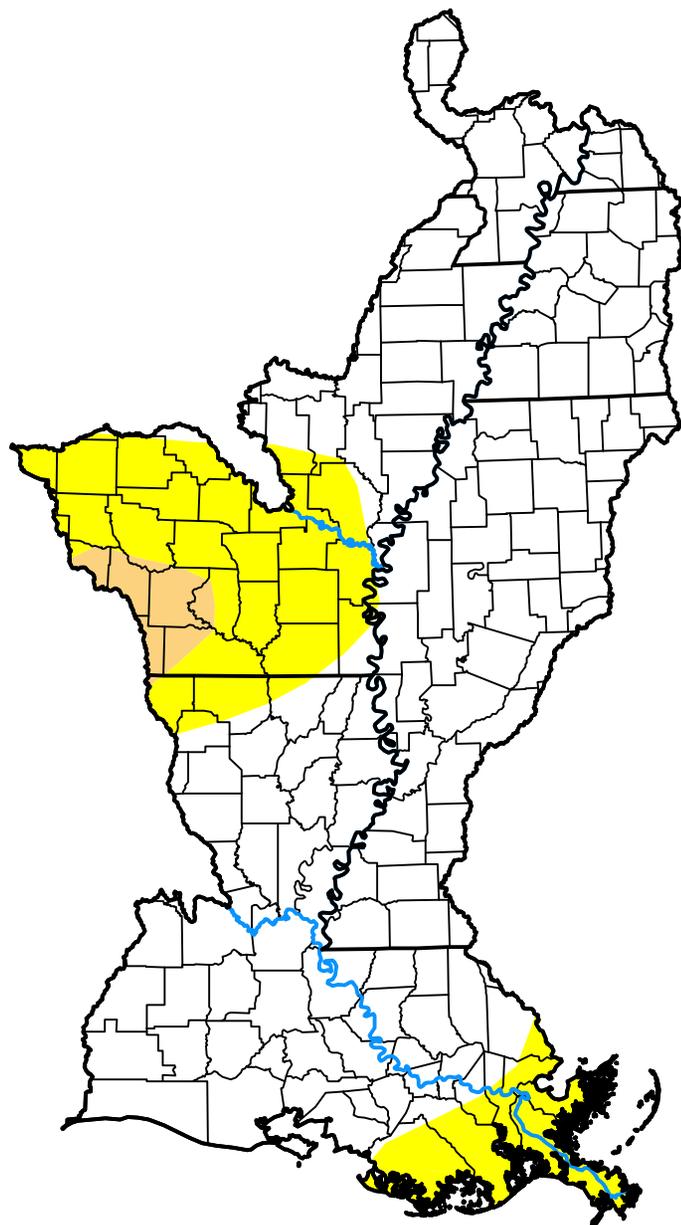


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

**November 21, 2006**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	78.24	21.76	2.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-16-2006</i>	78.38	21.62	2.20	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-24-2006</i>	4.29	95.71	84.08	39.81	5.82	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2006</i>	31.92	68.08	38.75	18.15	3.65	0.87
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2006</i>	21.32	78.68	16.22	1.42	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-24-2005</i>	7.98	92.02	38.39	5.09	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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