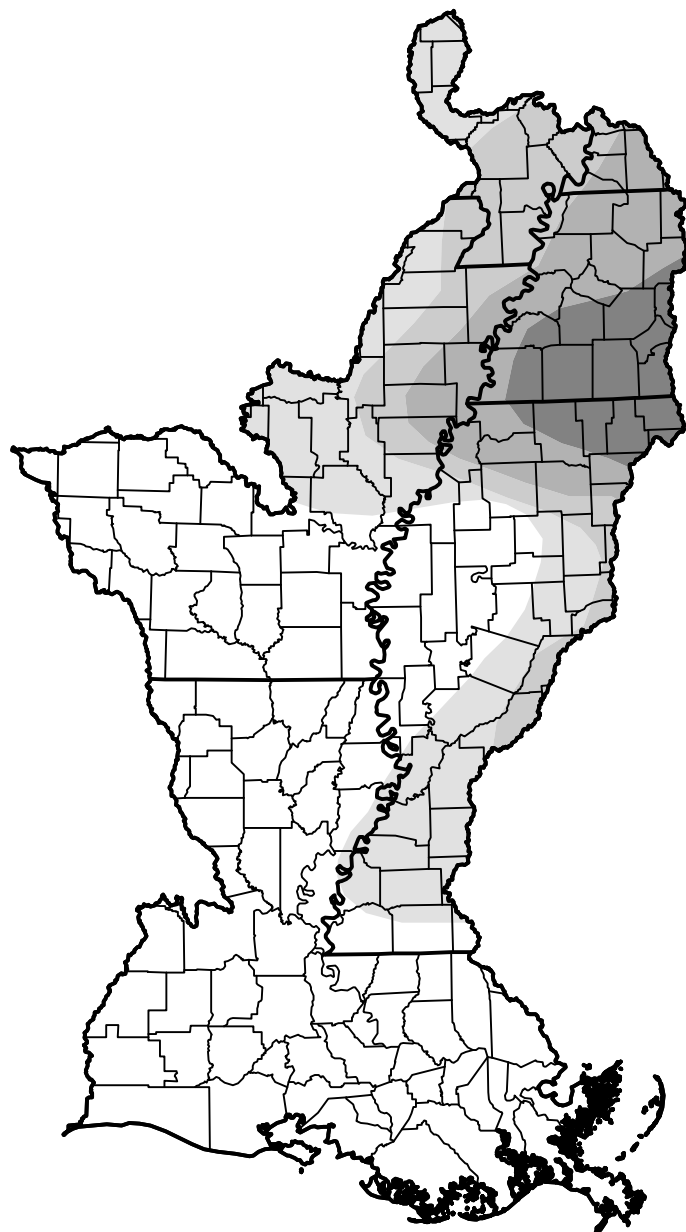


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed



August 7, 2007
(Released Thursday, Aug. 9, 2007)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	59.68	15.76	9.50	9.20	5.86	0.00
Last Week <i>08-02-2007</i>	61.71	18.92	8.38	7.31	3.68	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-10-2007</i>	31.43	33.73	20.37	13.23	1.24	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2007</i>	67.04	31.62	1.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2006</i>	21.32	62.46	14.80	1.42	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-10-2006</i>	4.03	11.05	39.72	31.40	13.80	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>

Author:

Brian Fuchs
 National Drought Mitigation Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu