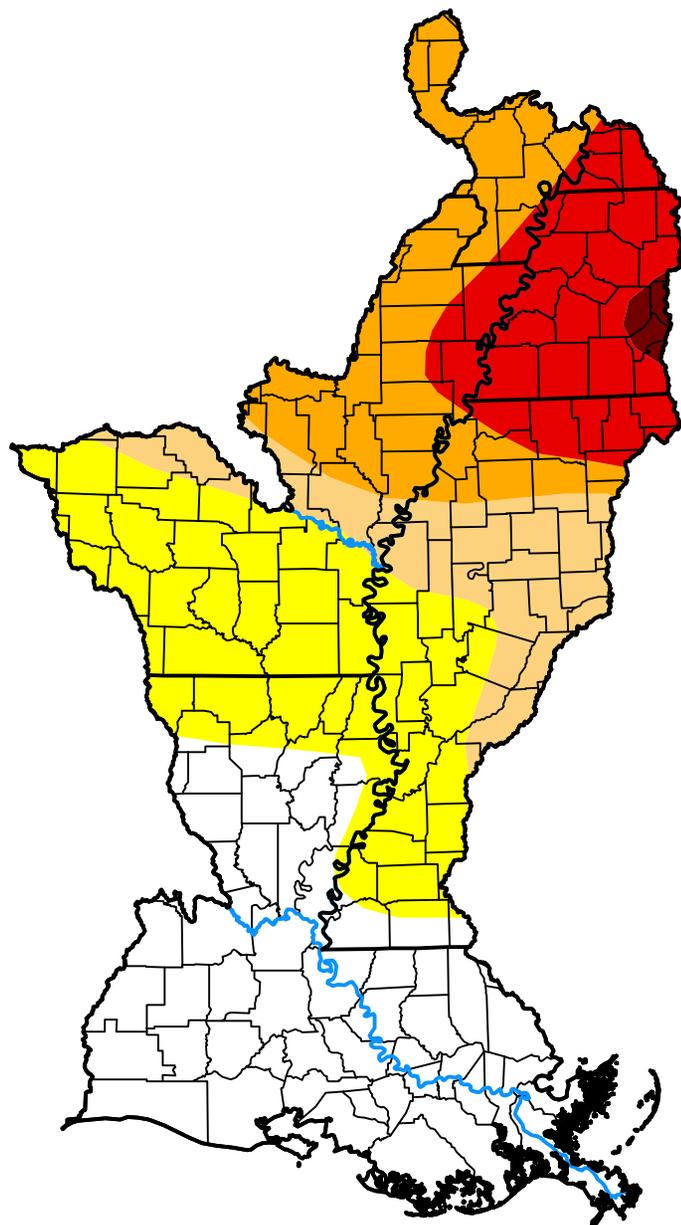


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

**August 21, 2007**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	33.26	66.74	40.56	29.51	14.46	0.69
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-16-2007</i>	51.64	48.36	35.34	19.72	9.80	0.69
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-24-2007</i>	25.74	74.26	30.54	16.45	5.51	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2007</i>	67.04	32.96	1.34	0.00	0.00	0.00
<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>08-24-2006</i>	4.29	95.71	84.08	39.81	5.82	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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