

# U.S. Drought Monitor

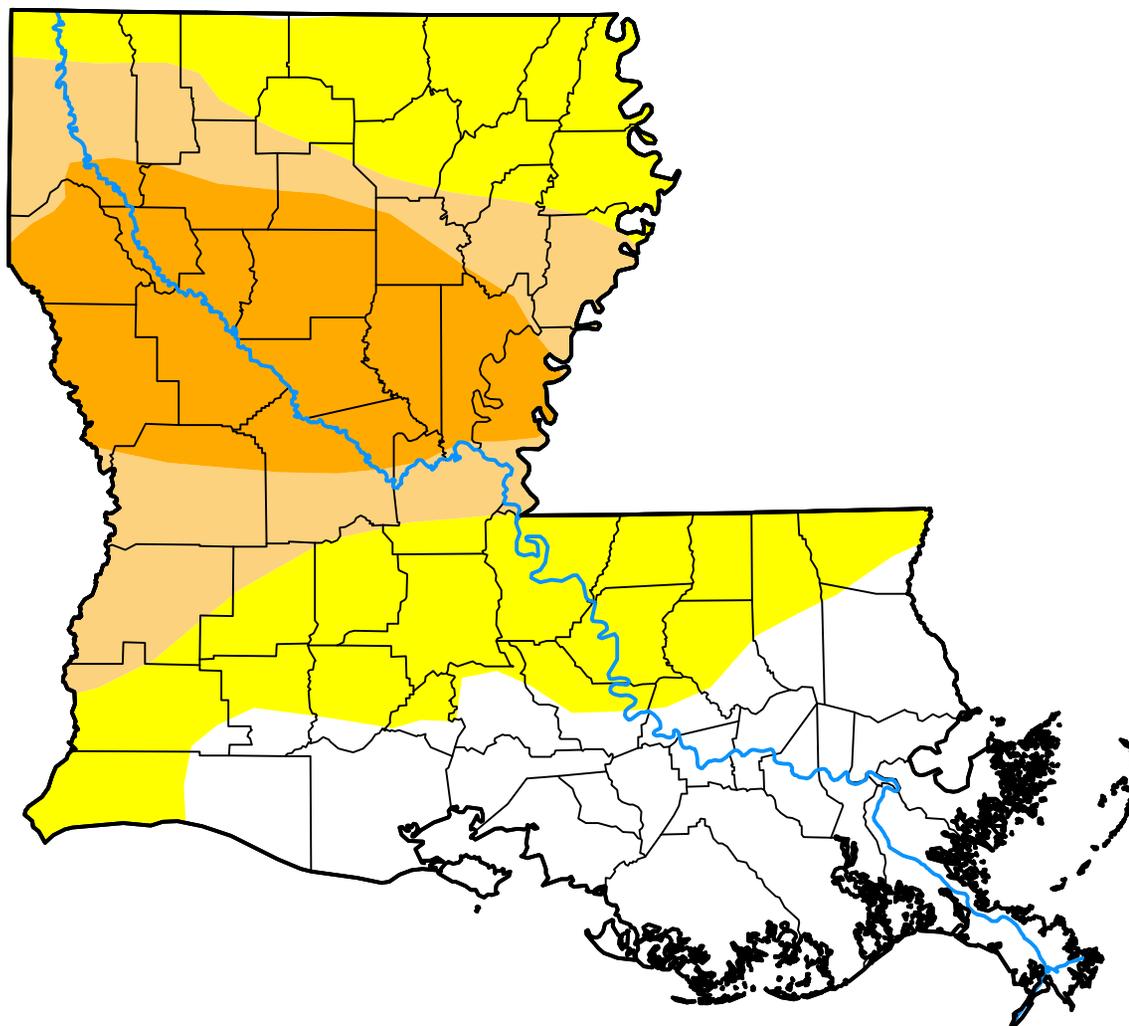
## Louisiana

**August 12, 2008**  
*(Released Thursday, Aug. 14, 2008)*

Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	29.05	34.11	16.70	20.15	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-07-2008</i>	12.73	42.08	21.22	23.98	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-15-2008</i>	37.53	51.53	10.94	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	44.23	55.77	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	80.15	19.85	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-16-2007</i>	98.95	1.05	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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