

U.S. Drought Monitor

Louisiana

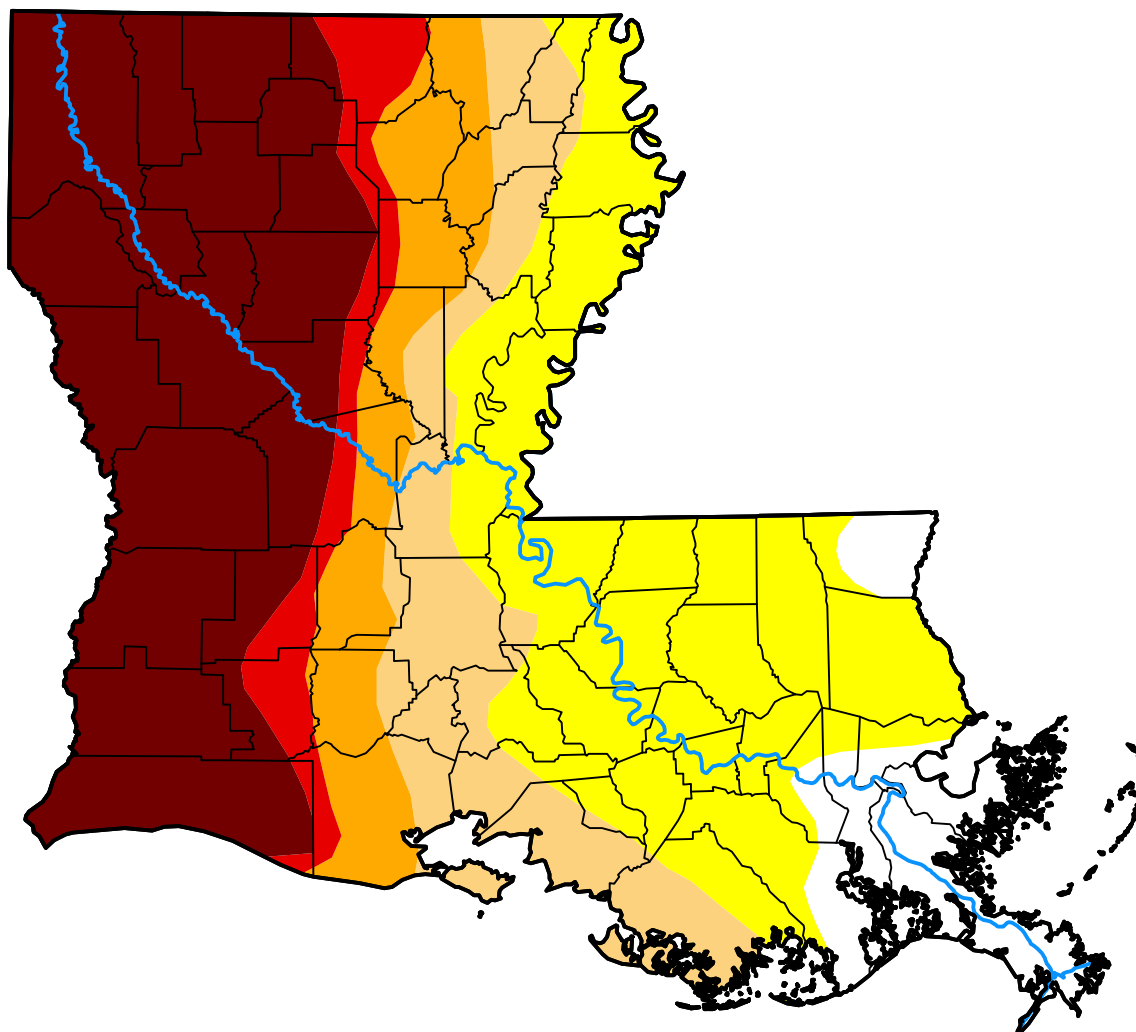
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	7.24	28.36	13.92	9.86	5.27	35.36
Last Week <i>10-13-2011</i>	7.24	31.73	19.23	5.67	11.94	24.20
3 Months Ago <i>07-21-2011</i>	0.00	0.00	0.00	13.82	44.39	41.78
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	8.59	11.36	23.99	20.49	35.57	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.37	10.21	8.49	8.80	10.77	16.37
One Year Ago <i>10-21-2010</i>	3.67	13.47	21.98	28.91	31.97	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>

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