

U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	19.96	34.03	23.55	7.87	6.72	7.88
Last Week <i>10-20-2011</i>	20.80	33.95	22.47	7.42	7.49	7.88
3 Months Ago <i>07-28-2011</i>	7.37	23.06	23.24	14.07	20.37	11.88
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	4.46	17.64	27.45	35.07	15.38	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2011</i>	41.41	26.40	15.42	7.41	8.48	0.89
One Year Ago <i>10-28-2010</i>	2.19	9.72	18.62	48.63	20.85	0.00

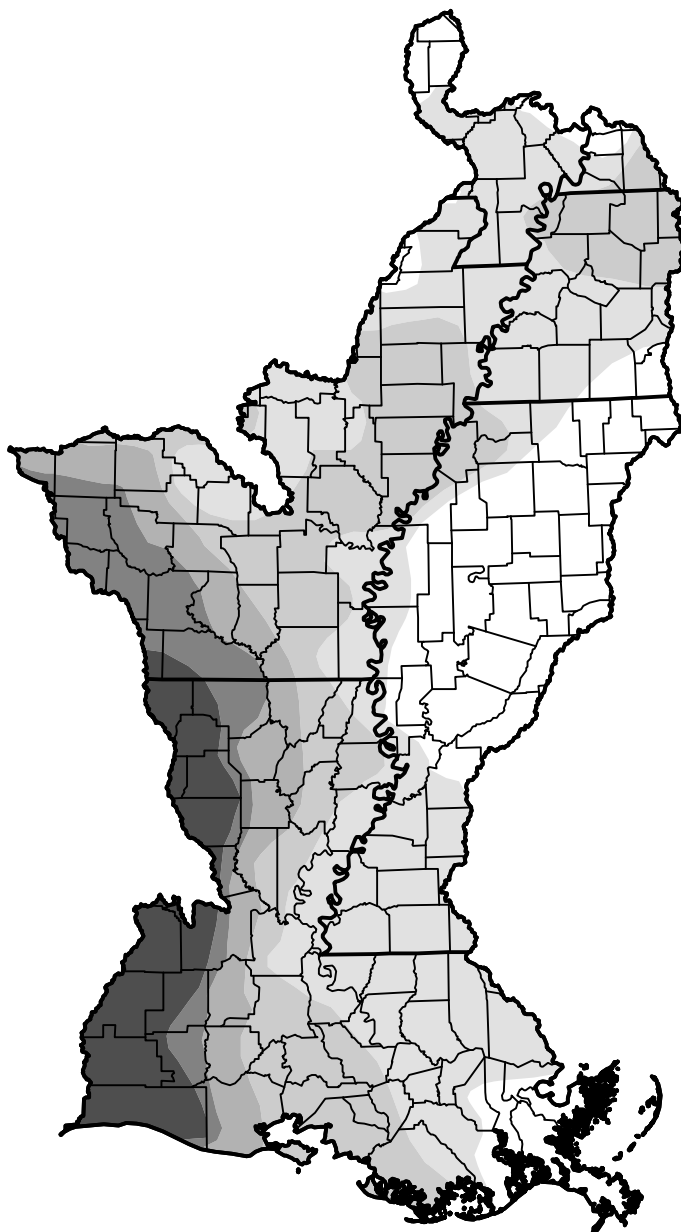
Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

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