

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Louisiana

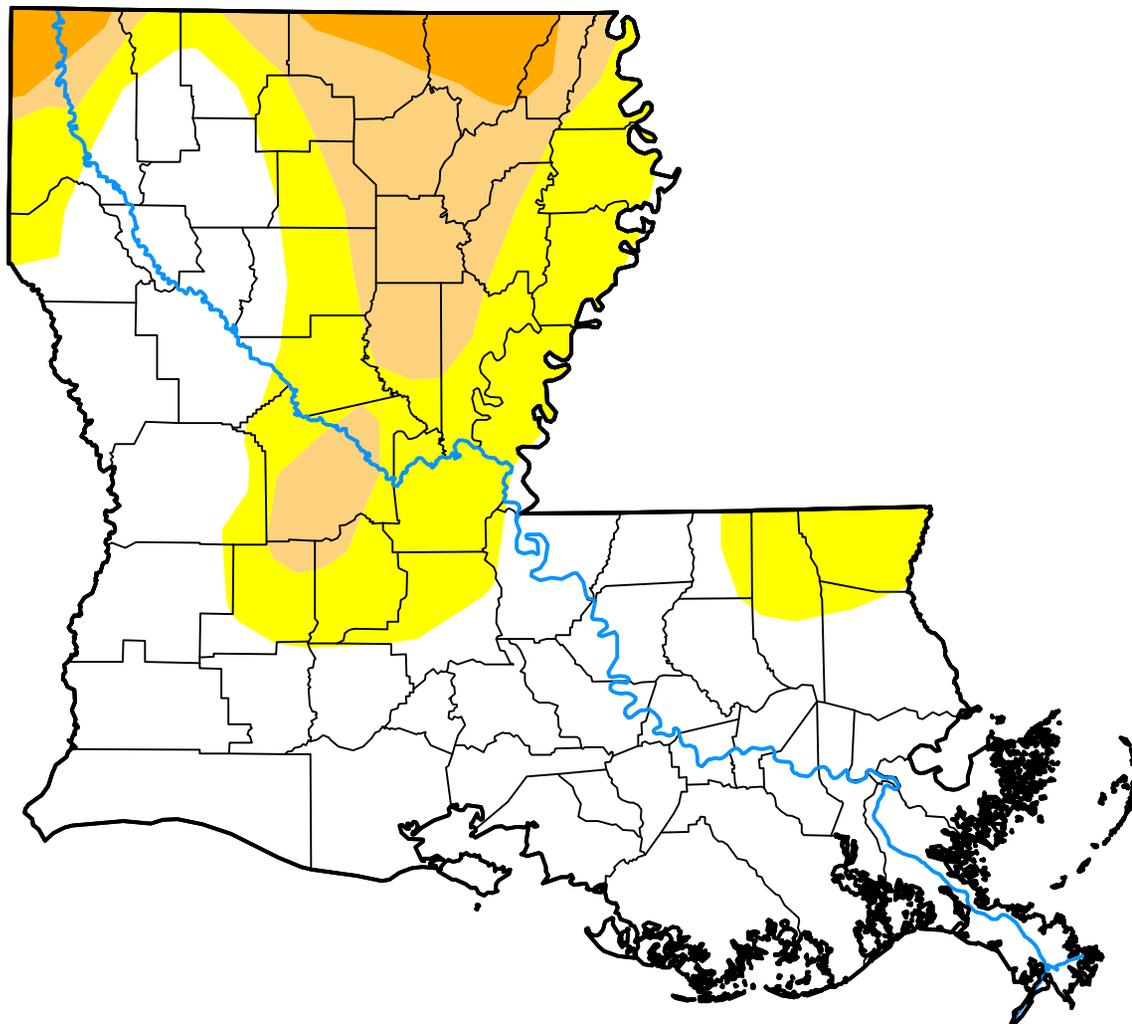
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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	59.97	40.03	15.88	3.23	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-12-2012</i>	44.56	55.44	32.66	3.23	0.17	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-19-2012</i>	83.71	16.29	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	5.57	94.43	83.40	58.92	26.55	4.10
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2011</i>	45.37	54.63	44.43	35.94	27.14	16.37
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-21-2011</i>	0.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	86.18	41.78



### 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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