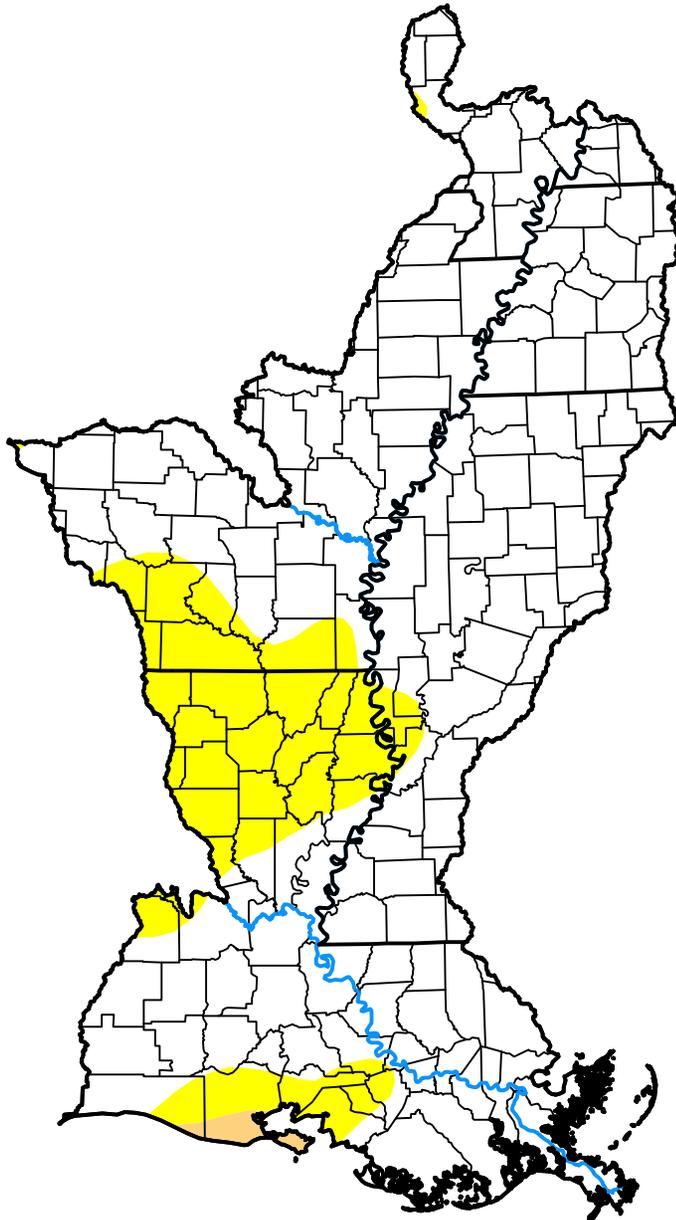


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	82.48	16.90	0.62	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-27-2014</i>	76.51	20.86	2.63	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>12-05-2013</i>	88.66	11.34	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2014</i>	93.38	6.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2013</i>	40.45	23.32	22.38	11.01	2.83	0.00
One Year Ago <i>03-07-2013</i>	93.88	3.67	2.15	0.30	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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