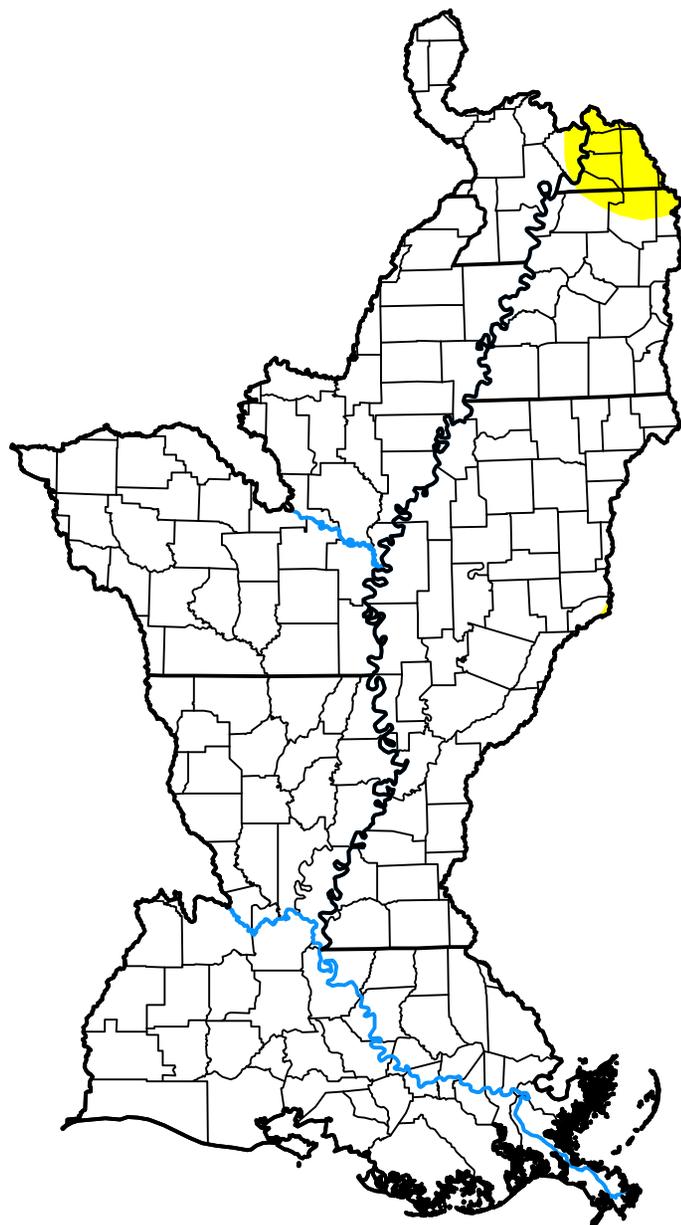


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

**August 19, 2014**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 21, 2014)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	97.98	2.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-14-2014</i>	99.36	0.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-22-2014</i>	77.13	16.93	4.90	1.04	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-02-2014</i>	93.38	6.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-03-2013</i>	40.45	23.32	22.38	11.01	2.83	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-22-2013</i>	40.83	32.82	25.12	1.23	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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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