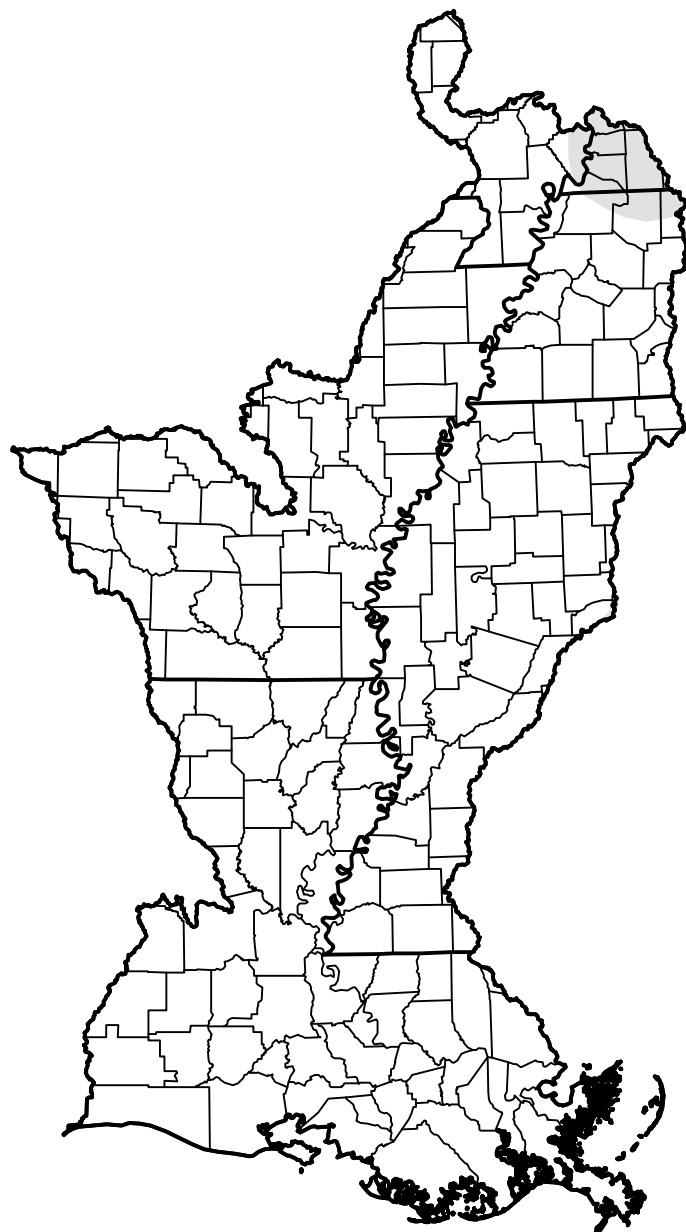


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	97.98	2.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>08-14-2014</i>	99.36	0.64	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-22-2014</i>	77.13	22.87	5.94	1.04	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	59.55	36.23	13.85	2.83	0.00
One Year Ago <i>08-22-2013</i>	40.83	59.17	26.35	1.23	0.00	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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