

U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

October 21, 2014

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	92.53	5.35	2.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-16-2014	92.53	5.35	2.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-24-2014	99.57	0.43	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 01-02-2014	93.38	6.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	86.27	13.21	0.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-24-2013	46.88	26.35	25.29	1.49	0.00	0.00

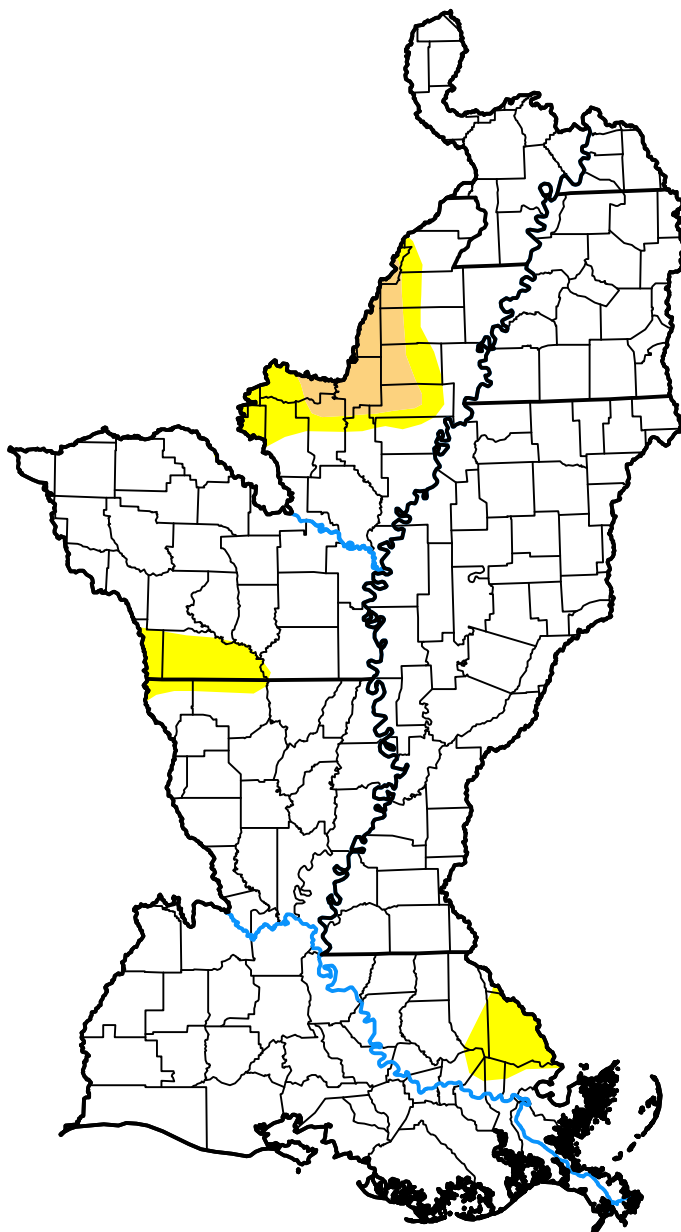
Intensity:

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

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