

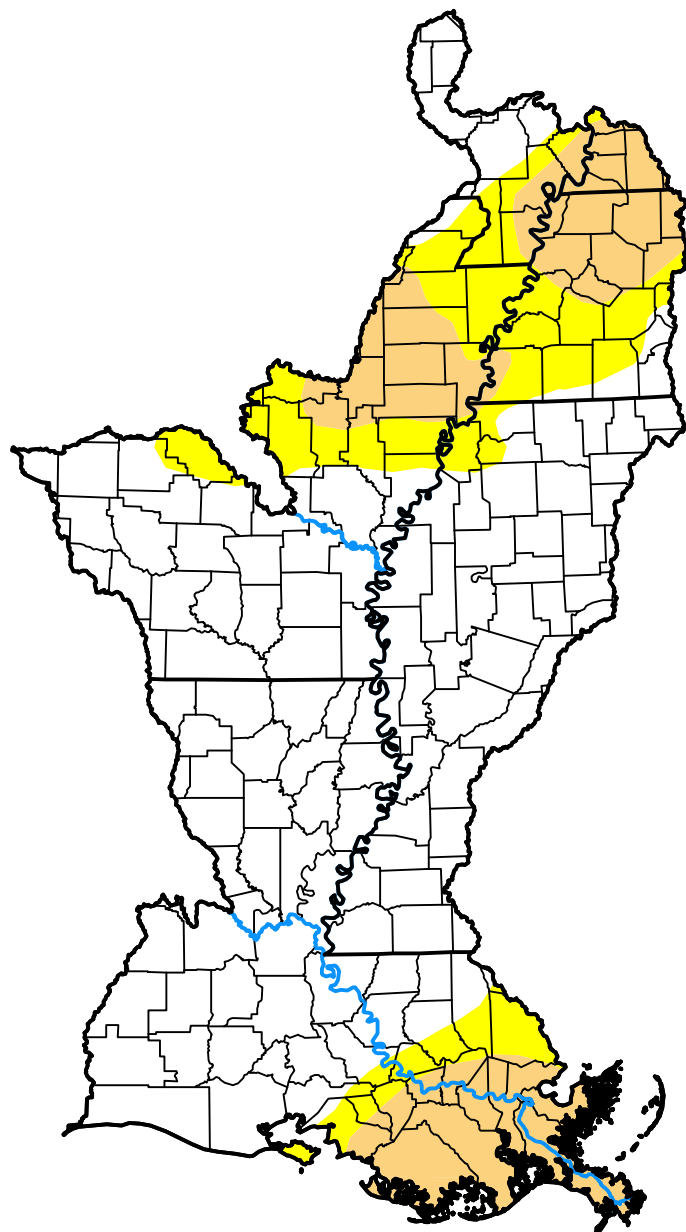
U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	69.26	30.74	16.49	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>01-08-2015</i>	72.37	27.63	8.13	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-16-2014</i>	92.53	7.47	2.11	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	49.76	50.24	8.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	86.27	13.73	0.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>01-16-2014</i>	92.38	7.62	0.00	0.00	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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