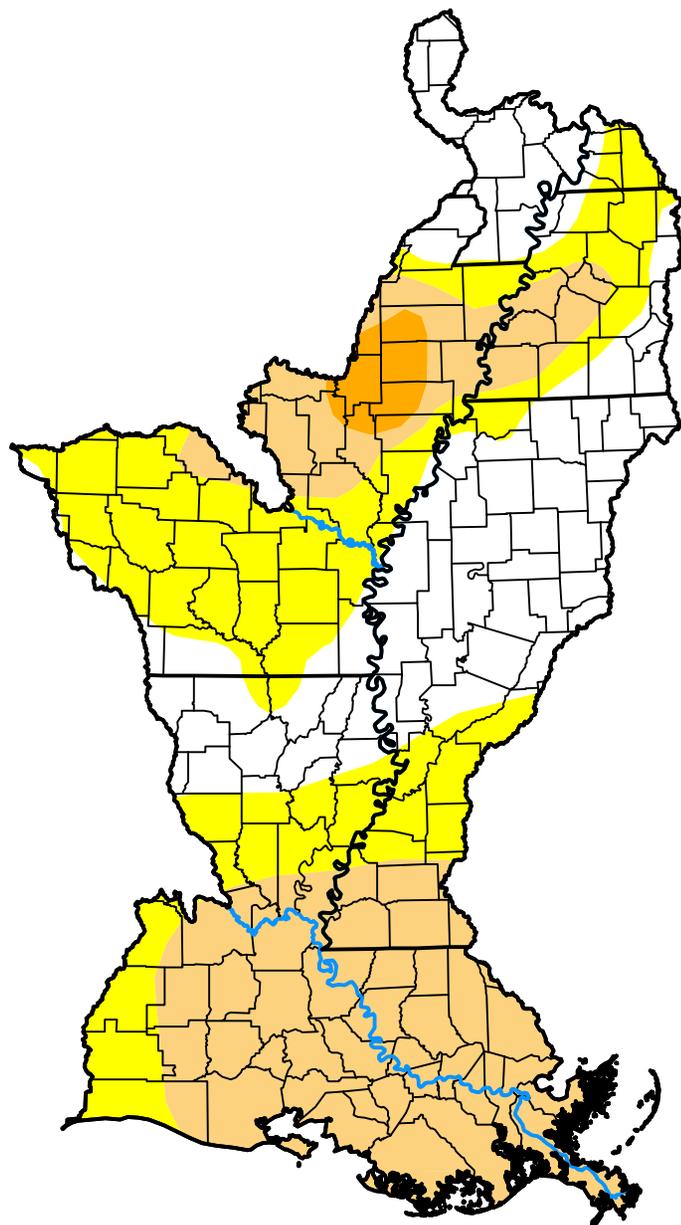


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	32.33	31.42	34.04	2.21	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-19-2015</i>	17.66	54.21	18.37	9.76	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-26-2014</i>	77.44	19.59	2.97	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	49.76	41.87	8.37	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	86.27	13.21	0.53	0.00	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-27-2014</i>	76.51	20.86	2.63	0.00	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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