

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	78.15	21.85	8.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>04-02-2015</i>	79.76	20.24	8.19	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-08-2015</i>	72.37	27.63	8.13	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>04-10-2014</i>	85.44	14.56	3.79	0.00	0.00	0.00

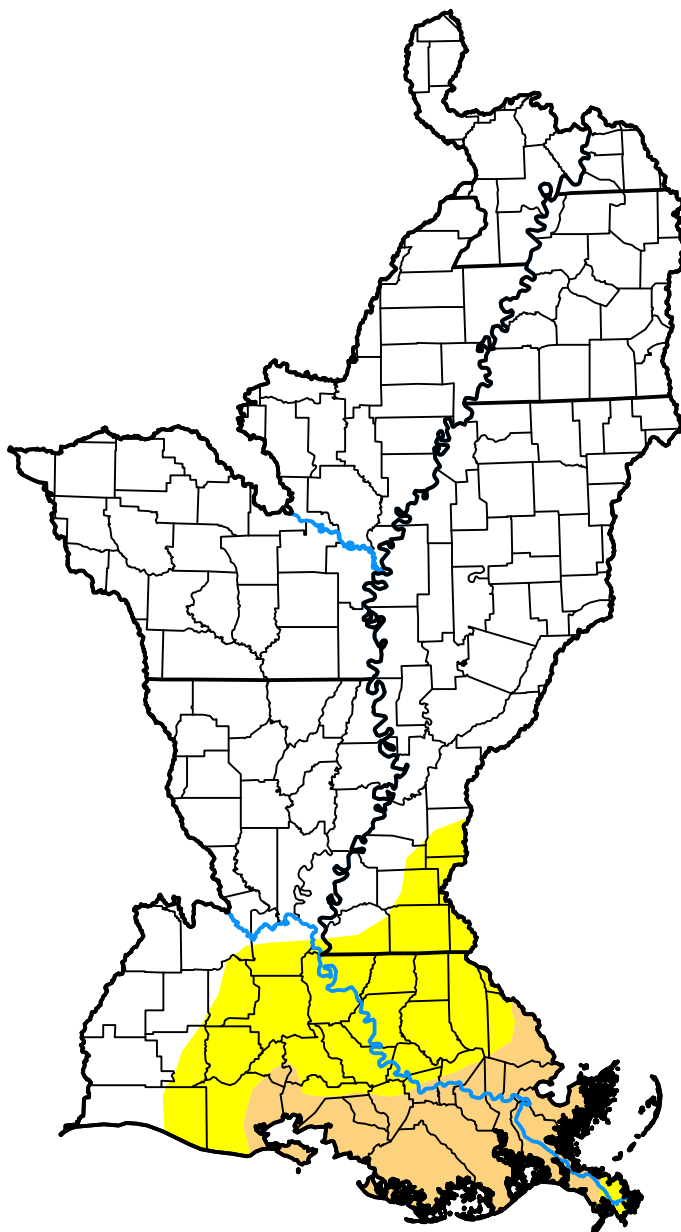
Intensity:

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

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