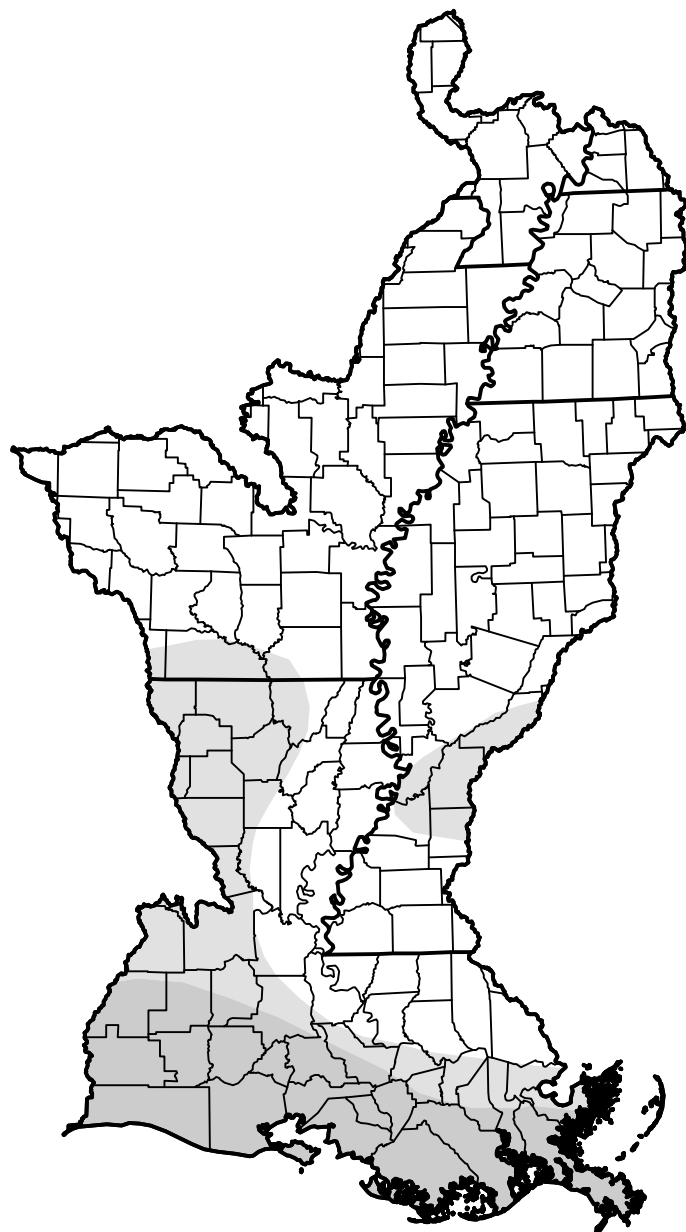


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed



August 4, 2015
(Released Thursday, Aug. 6, 2015)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	71.50	14.21	14.29	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>07-30-2015</i>	80.84	19.16	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>05-07-2015</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	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>08-07-2014</i>	99.36	0.64	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>

Author:

Mark Svoboda
 National Drought Mitigation Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu