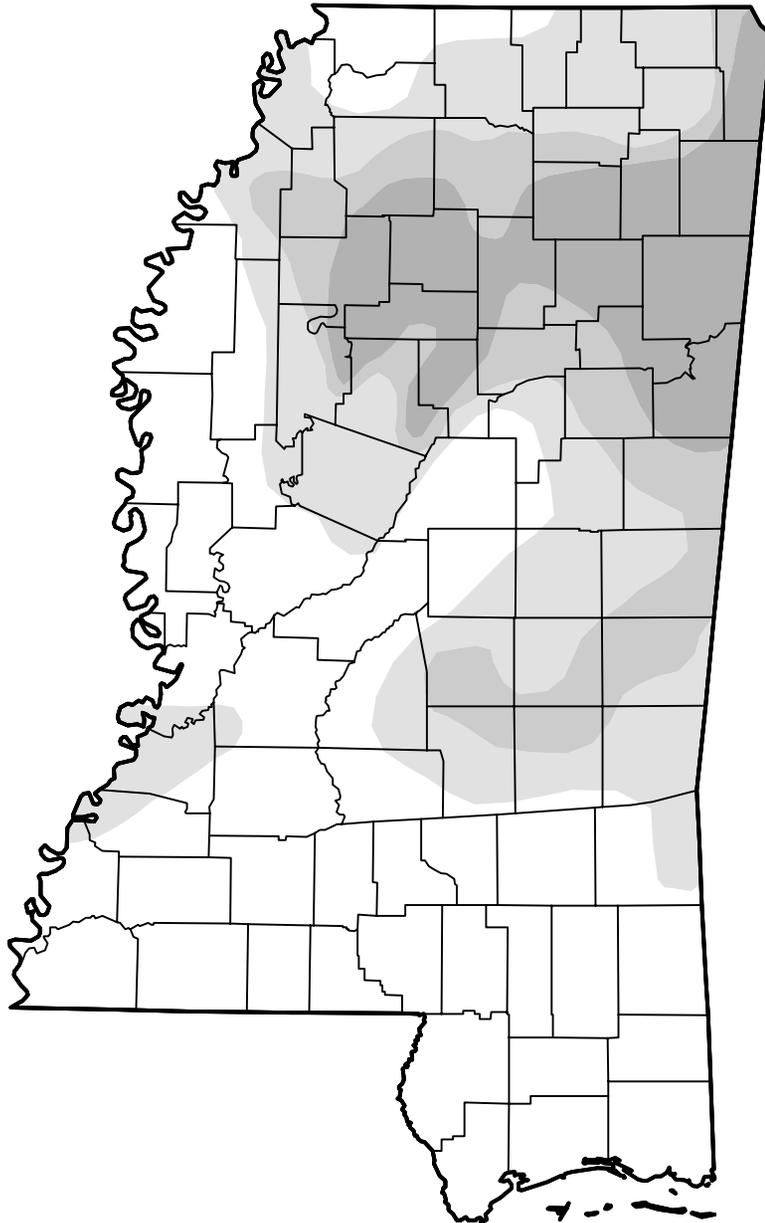


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Mississippi

**August 16, 2016**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 18, 2016)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	50.30	49.69	25.63	13.09	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-11-2016</i>	31.38	68.61	40.82	17.90	1.95	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-19-2016</i>	98.33	1.67	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2015</i>	99.99	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2015</i>	18.19	81.80	56.71	31.08	6.55	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-20-2015</i>	37.30	62.69	7.99	0.00	0.00	0.00

***Intensity:***



*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:***

David Miskus  
 NOAA/NWS/NCEP/CPC

