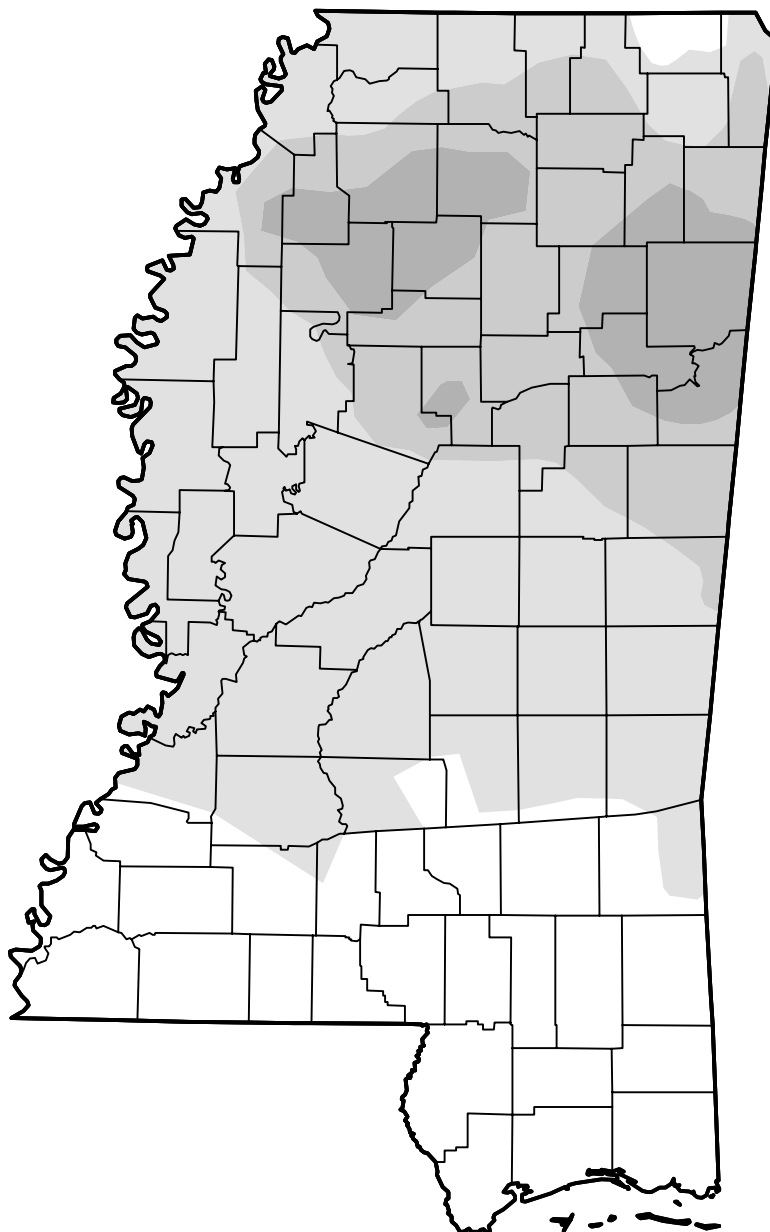


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Mississippi



**September 27, 2016**

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None  | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 29.70 | 42.88 | 18.16 | 9.26  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>09-22-2016</i>              | 63.41 | 23.47 | 7.80  | 5.32  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>06-30-2016</i>           | 24.13 | 46.41 | 29.46 | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2015</i> | 99.99 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2015</i>    | 18.19 | 25.08 | 25.64 | 24.52 | 6.55 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>10-01-2015</i>           | 18.19 | 25.08 | 25.64 | 24.52 | 6.55 | 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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