

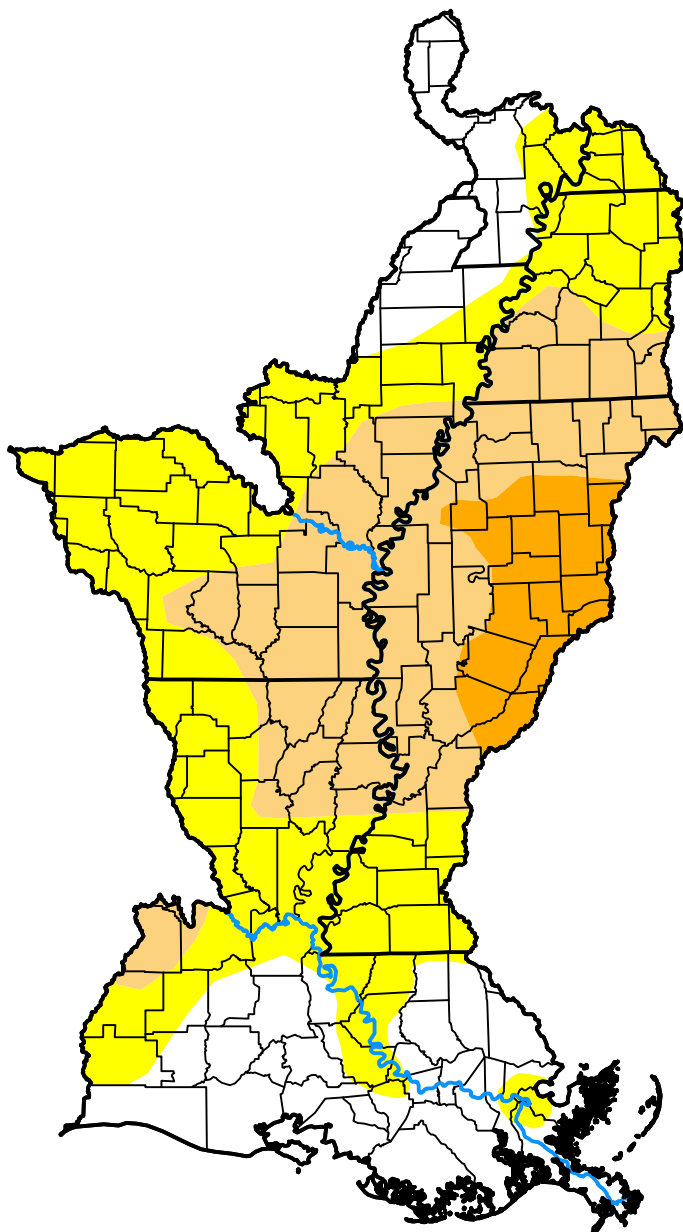
U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	24.04	75.96	37.34	7.35	0.00	0.00
Last Week 10-06-2016	49.62	50.38	12.33	2.06	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago 07-14-2016	57.36	42.64	10.57	1.61	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year 09-29-2016	60.48	39.52	7.61	2.05	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago 10-15-2015	17.32	82.68	70.80	55.85	29.26	3.78

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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