

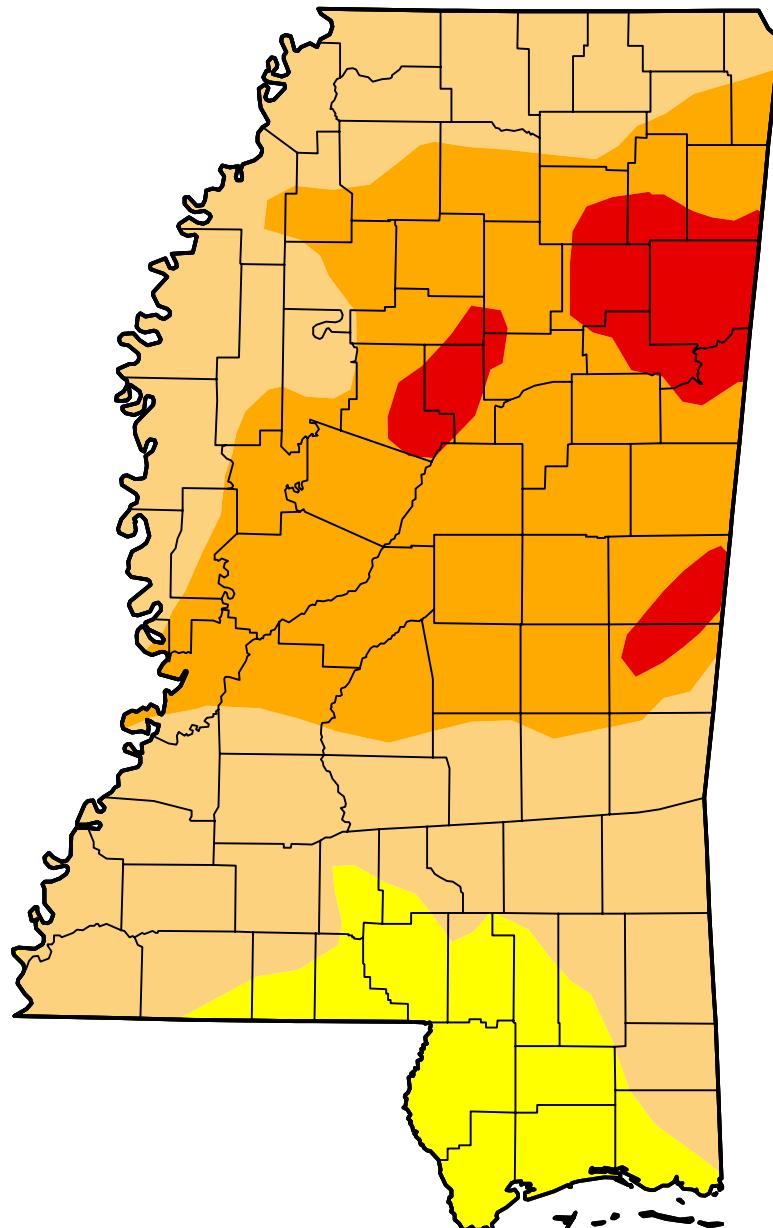
U.S. Drought Monitor

Mississippi

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|---|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 0.00 | 99.99 | 88.74 | 43.90 | 7.27 | 0.00 |
| Last Week 10-13-2016 | 5.28 | 94.71 | 65.49 | 35.19 | 3.08 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago 07-21-2016 | 17.89 | 82.10 | 41.73 | 6.19 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015 | 99.99 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year 09-29-2016 | 29.70 | 70.29 | 27.41 | 9.26 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago 10-22-2015 | 0.54 | 99.45 | 75.40 | 58.13 | 36.14 | 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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