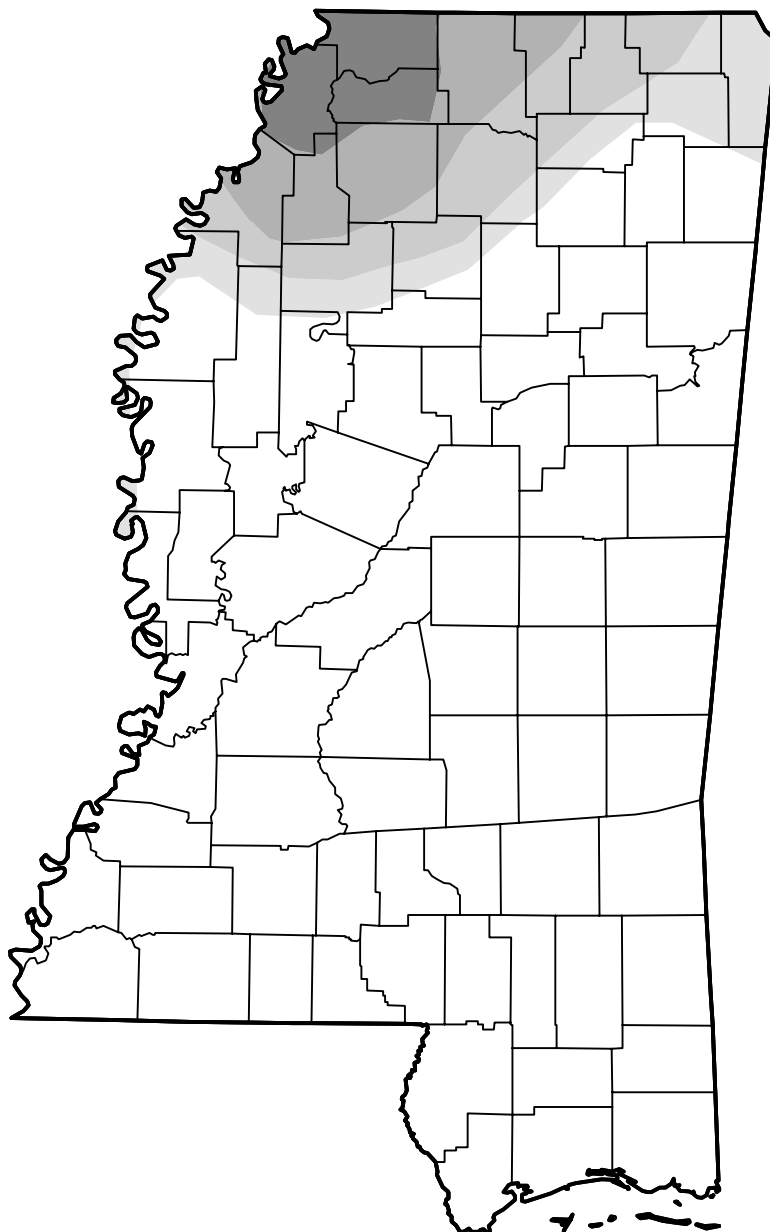


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Mississippi



**September 4, 2012**

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                             | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|---------------------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                              | 82.06 | 17.93 | 12.86 | 7.55  | 2.88  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br>08-30-2012              | 68.77 | 31.22 | 14.24 | 6.79  | 1.98  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br>06-07-2012           | 53.99 | 46.00 | 8.64  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br>01-05-2012 | 79.57 | 20.42 | 13.84 | 0.48  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br>09-29-2011    | 91.15 | 8.84  | 2.37  | 0.07  | 0.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br>09-08-2011           | 90.72 | 9.27  | 2.37  | 0.07  | 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>

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