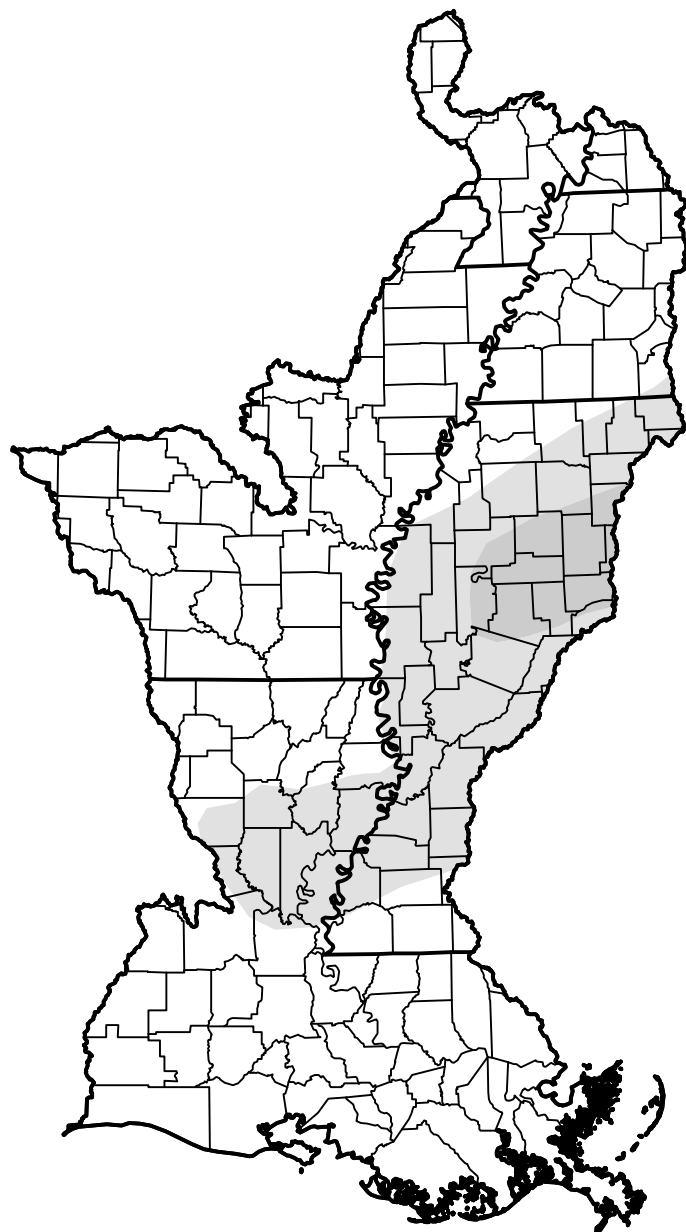


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed



**June 14, 2016**

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|                                                    | None   | D0    | D1    | D2    | D3   | D4   |
|----------------------------------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 77.01  | 19.02 | 3.98  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>06-09-2016</i>              | 74.10  | 25.90 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>03-17-2016</i>           | 97.15  | 2.85  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-31-2015</i> | 100.00 | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>10-01-2015</i>    | 23.06  | 20.83 | 25.62 | 24.69 | 5.80 | 0.00 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>06-18-2015</i>           | 98.96  | 1.04  | 0.00  | 0.00  | 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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