

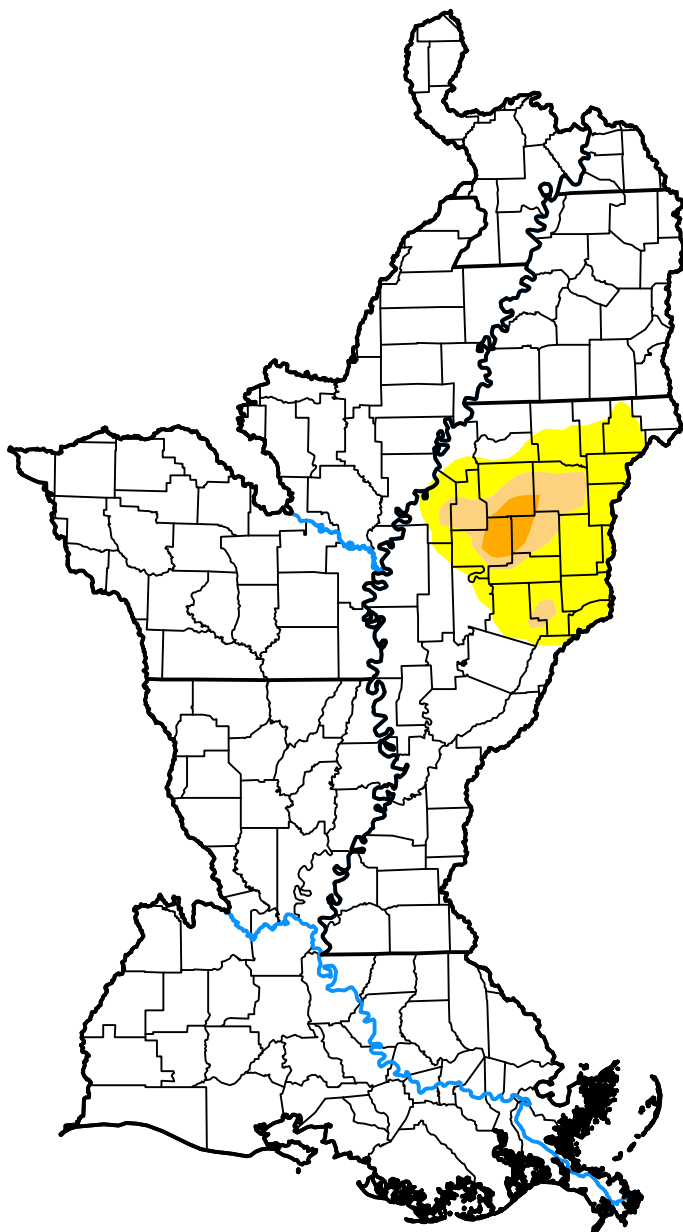
U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

September 20, 2016

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	91.70	8.30	2.25	0.60	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>09-15-2016</i>	93.50	6.50	2.25	0.60	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-23-2016</i>	76.04	23.96	5.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2015</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2015</i>	23.06	76.94	56.11	30.48	5.80	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-24-2015</i>	27.45	72.55	51.70	24.34	5.40	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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