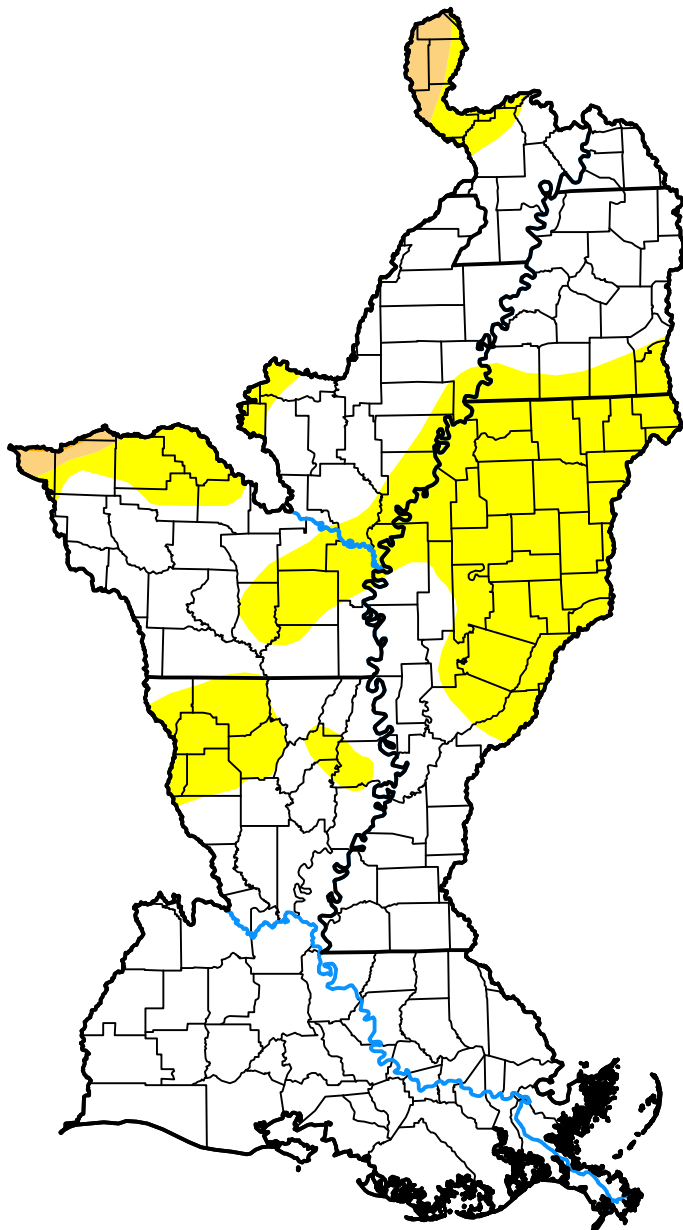


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi Watershed

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	71.55	27.07	1.32	0.06	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-09-2017</i>	71.55	27.96	0.43	0.06	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-17-2016</i>	0.20	9.75	47.38	32.94	9.73	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	46.67	26.49	26.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2016</i>	60.48	31.91	5.56	2.05	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-18-2016</i>	97.02	2.98	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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