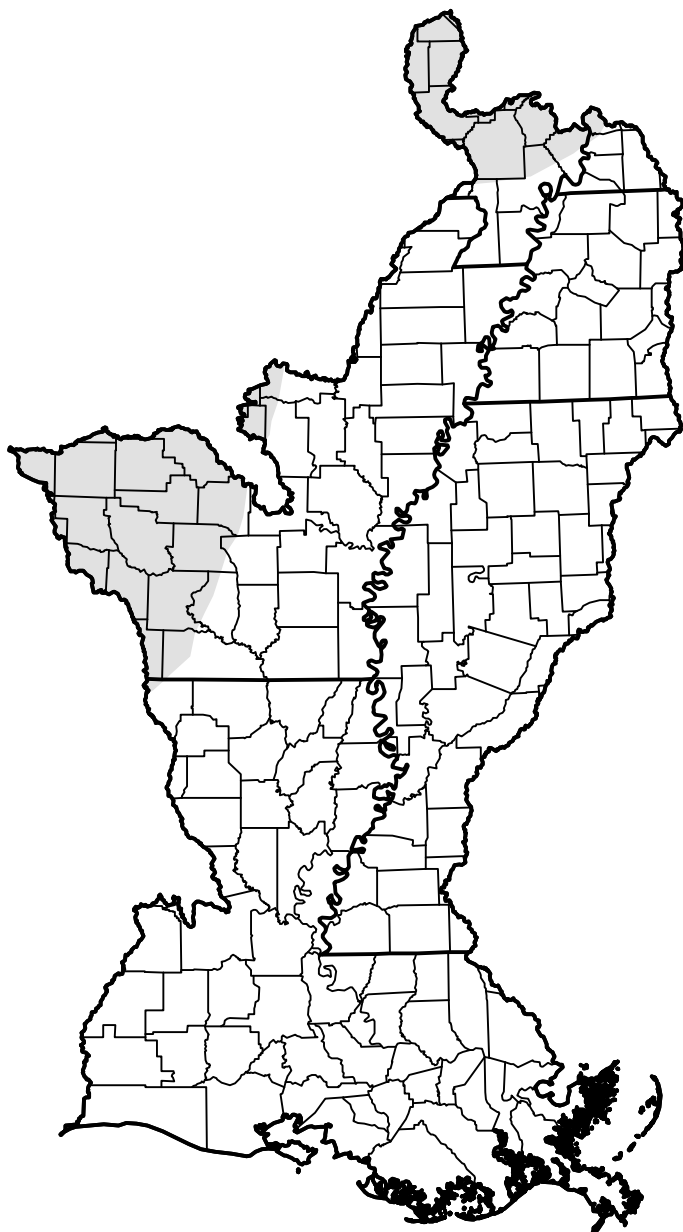


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Lower Mississippi Watershed

**September 26, 2017**  
*(Released Thursday, Sep. 28, 2017)*  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	88.20	11.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-21-2017</i>	88.53	11.47	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>06-29-2017</i>	99.05	0.95	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	46.67	53.33	26.84	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	60.48	39.52	7.61	2.05	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	60.48	39.52	7.61	2.05	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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