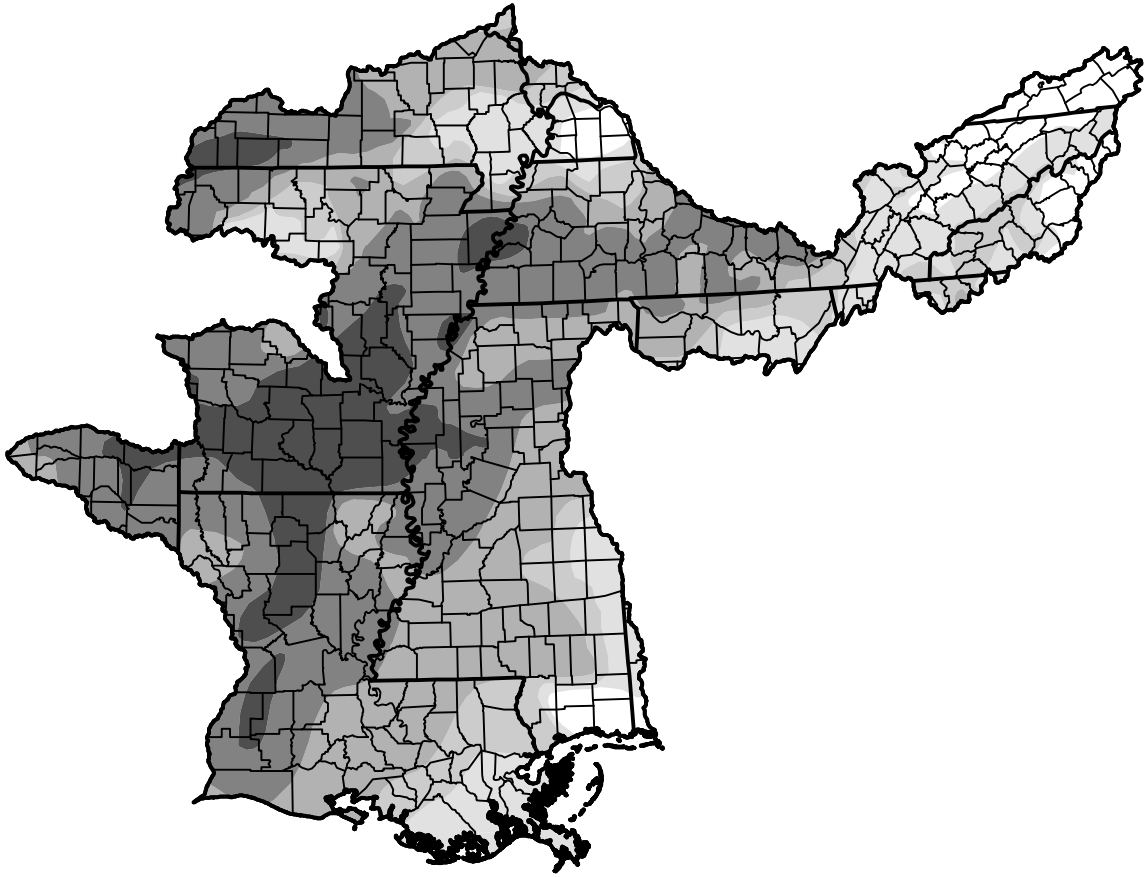
U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Mississippi RFC



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	5.97	13.47	10.76	24.65	32.12	13.02
Last Week *10-20-2026*	7.91	14.72	16.73	22.85	31.84	5.95
3 Months Ago *07-28-2026*	58.49	22.74	10.70	5.12	2.48	0.46
Start of Calendar Year *01-06-2026*	0.35	21.09	56.84	21.73	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2026*	5.57	17.77	27.14	34.94	13.95	0.63
One Year Ago *10-28-2025*	35.65	38.12	18.56	7.01	0.65	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme 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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