

# U.S. Drought Monitor

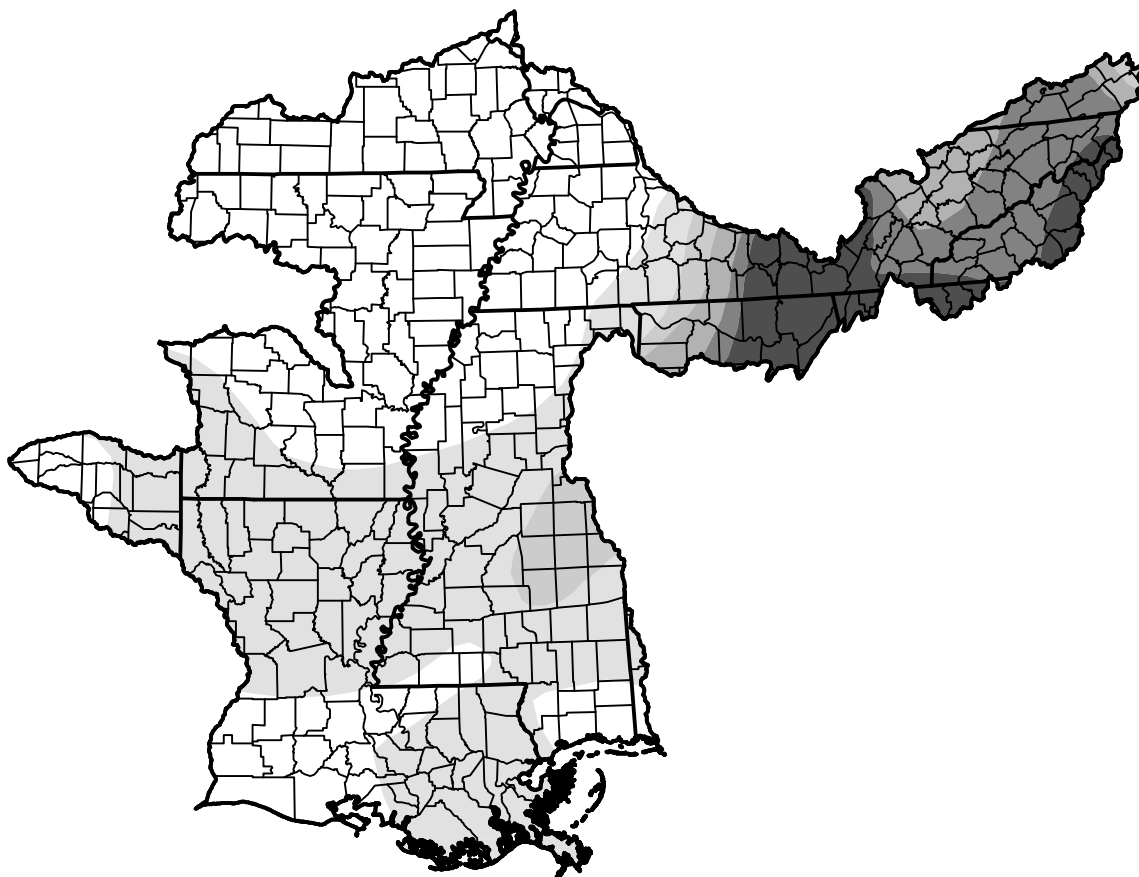
## Lower Mississippi RFC

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Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	45.91	35.07	3.39	3.23	6.64	5.76
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-10-2008</i>	46.25	32.92	5.39	1.13	4.10	10.21
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-18-2007</i>	32.06	20.04	13.88	6.85	9.70	17.47
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2008</i>	56.86	24.66	3.12	1.10	4.92	9.33
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2007</i>	41.90	17.55	8.09	8.96	12.67	10.83
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-18-2007</i>	86.39	12.98	0.63	0.00	0.00	0.00



**Intensity:**



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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