

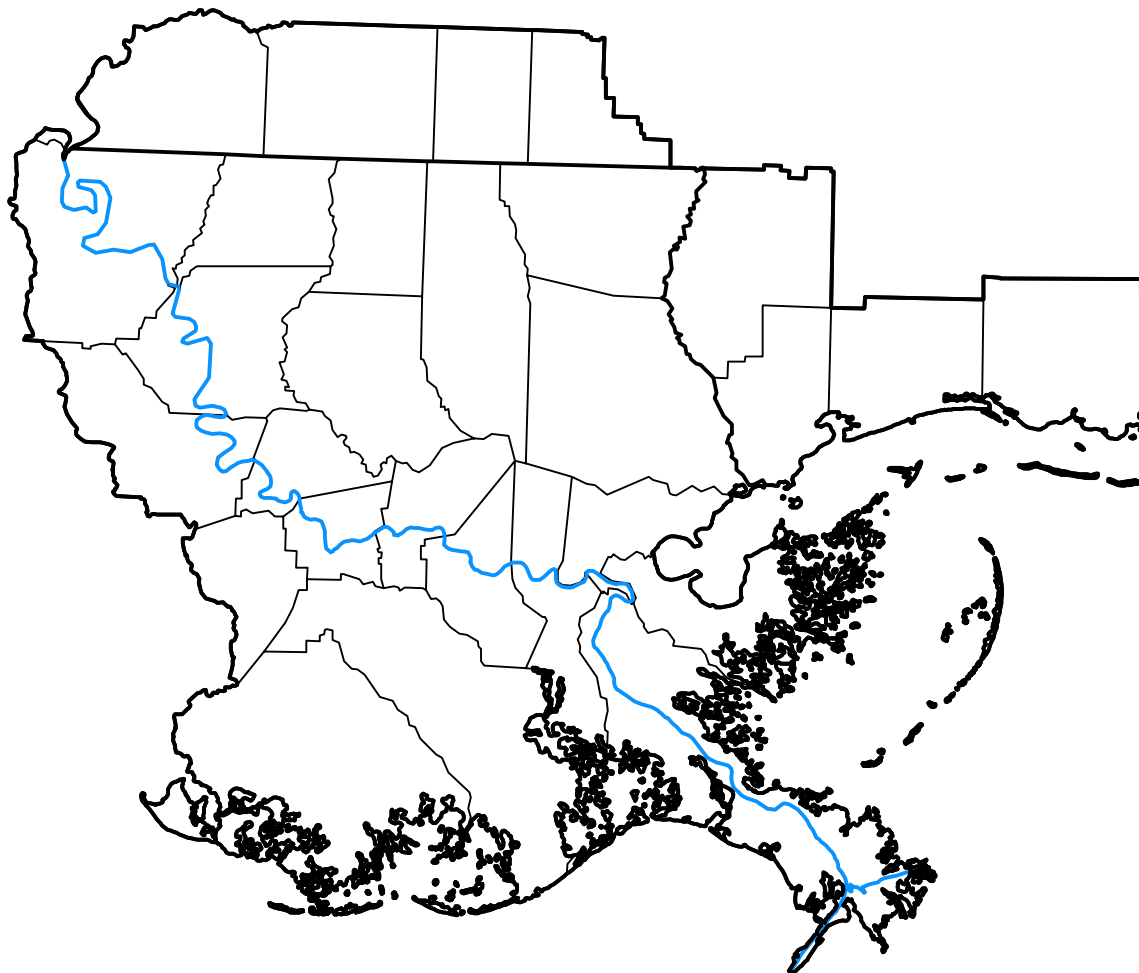
# U.S. Drought Monitor

# New Orleans/Baton Rouge, LA WFO

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>10-11-2012</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-19-2012</i>	83.92	16.08	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2012</i>	10.13	14.82	36.40	13.47	25.18	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2012</i>	100.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-20-2011</i>	26.27	68.10	5.62	0.00	0.00	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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