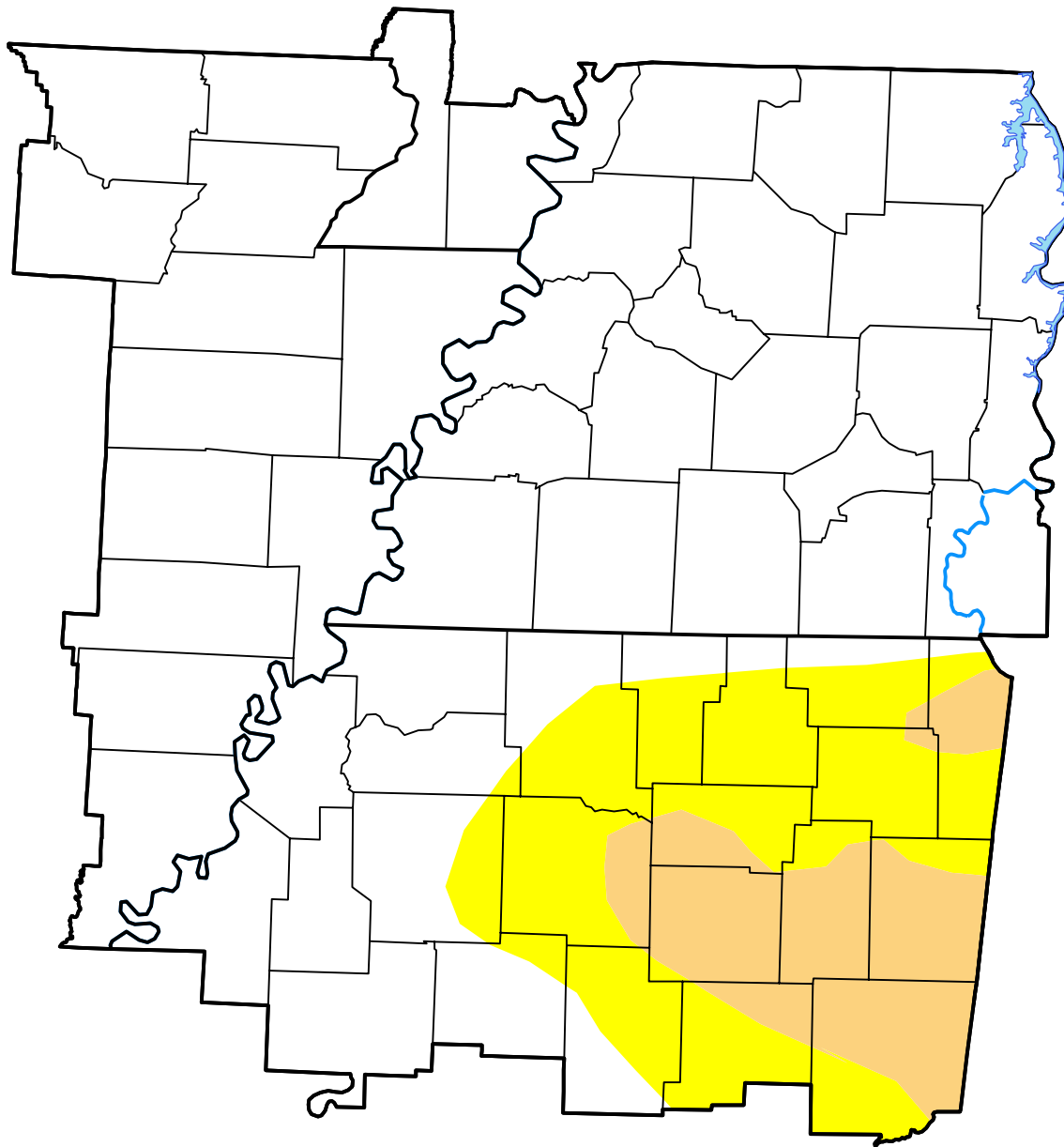


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## Memphis, TN WFO

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	78.90	13.23	7.88	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-11-2017</i>	80.82	11.73	7.45	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-16-2017</i>	47.80	46.60	5.60	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	36.30	25.47	35.43	2.80	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	57.23	17.07	14.85	10.84	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-19-2016</i>	97.68	2.32	0.00	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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