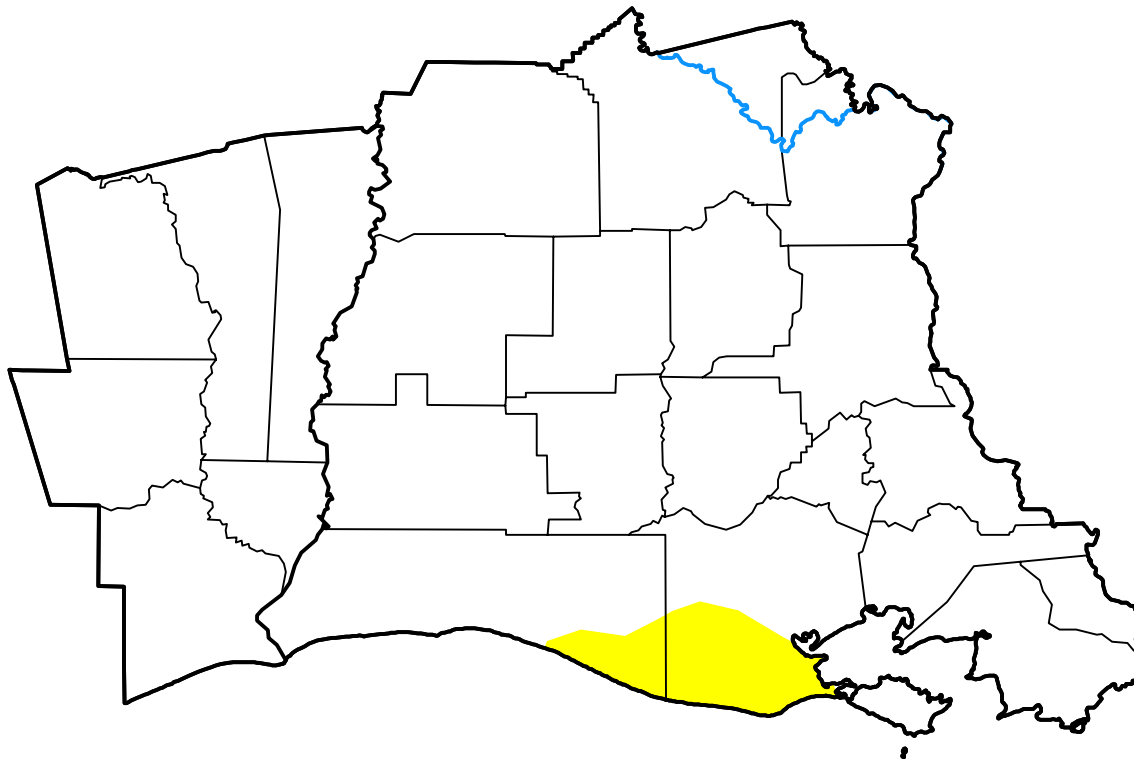


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lake Charles, LA WFO

April 17, 2018
 (Released Thursday, Apr. 19, 2018)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4 |
|--|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 96.52 | 3.48 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>04-12-2018</i> | 94.08 | 5.92 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>01-18-2018</i> | 41.83 | 58.17 | 50.17 | 4.38 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2018</i> | 41.75 | 58.25 | 50.00 | 4.38 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i> | 100.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>04-20-2017</i> | 75.71 | 24.29 | 0.00 | 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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