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A typically dry and mild October

October was in usual form, coming and going with relatively little rainfall during the month. Only a hand full of days actually had measurable rainfall. A stretch of 14 consecutive dry days were recorded by CoCoCoRaHS observers from the 15th through the 28th. The wettest days were associated with two distinct cold fronts and squall lines ahead of the front on the 3rd and again on the 12th. The reporting of rainfall fell off precipitously, pardon the pun, during the drier portion of the month, with around 80 or so

daily reports at the beginning of the month tailing off into the 50-60 range by the end of the month. Hopefully, a return to routine rainfall will help bring the reporting up again.

OCTOBER STATISTICS

Wettest/Driest/Hail/Reporting

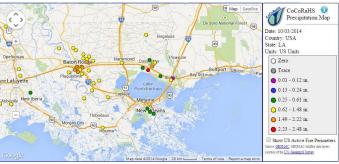
- Wettest Month, State—8.76" on only 6 reports at Winnsboro 5.3 NNE (LA-FP-3)
- Wettest Month, Local—3.85" on only 8 reports at Monticello 3.0 ENE (LA-EB-19)
- Wettest Day, State 3.11" on the 12th at Winnsboro 5.3 NNE (LA-FP-3)
- Wettest Day, Local—2.48" on the 3rd at Mandeville 3.1 NNW (LA-ST-12)
- Number of Rain Days—13 with at least 0.01" average on a given day in the state.
- Driest Month, State & Local 0.14" on 18 reports at Ponchatoula 0.6 SW (LA-TG-10)
- Hail Reports: None. Snow Reports: None.
- Stations Reporting: 97; Number of Reports: 2154; Average per day: 69.5
- Busiest Reporting Day: 3rd, average: 1.14", max amount: 2.47", number of reports: 87
- Wettest Reporting Day: 14th, average 1.26", max amount 2.77", number of reports: 84
- Number of perfect 31 report observers: 24 stations statewide (24.7% of reporting stations)

Comment of the Month - From Terrytown 3.3 S (LA-JF-1) on October 14, 2014.

"Severe thunderstorms with squall line passage. Had wind gust to 48 mph occur at 1832 hours 10/13/14."

A very good comment out of the 138 submitted in October.

Keep those DAILY rainfall reports coming!



Rainfall reports from Oct 3, 2014