



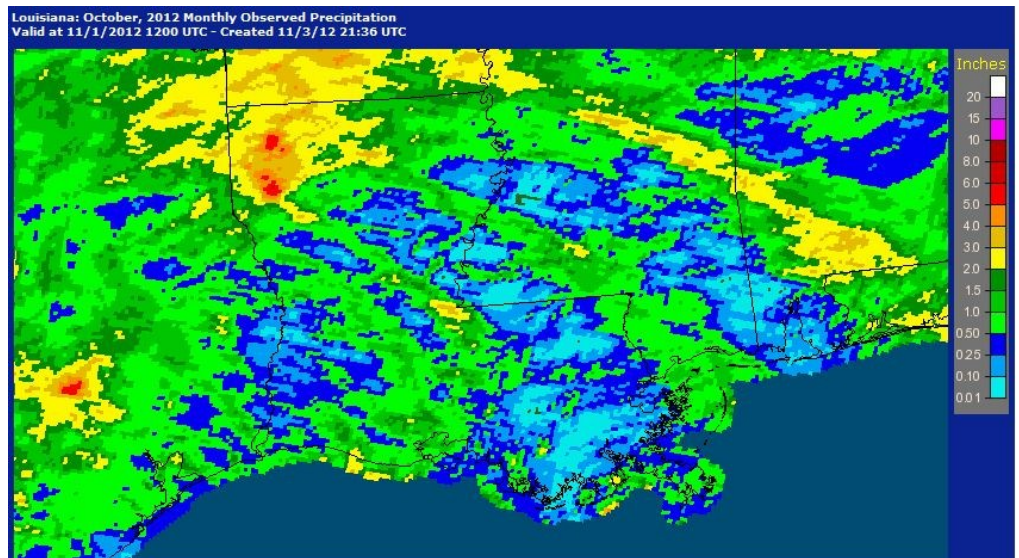
# Southeast Louisiana CoCoRaHS Newsletter

"Because every drop counts"

October was a rather uneventful weather month across southeast Louisiana. While only 13 days had rain that averaged at least 0.01", most days remained low quantity events. The wettest reporting day was actually on the 1st, with carryover from the end of September. A strong cold front moved through the region on the 17th bringing some reprieve to the area. Many locations averaged less than 1 inch accumulation for the entire month, which is not too rare, considering that October is typically the driest month of the year. The image below is the monthly rainfall for October across the area (generally 1.50 inches or less).

### "Frost on the roof"

Simply stated—this comment of the month comes from Denham Springs 4.1 NE (LA-LV-4) on the 30th, indicating the onset of fall weather across the area.



## Wettest and Driest

Wettest Month -State: **6.86 inches (31 reports)**

**LA-LN-3 Ruston 5.5 NNW**

Wettest Month—Local: **3.57 inches (31 reports)**

**LA-EB-48 Baton Rouge 2.1 S**

Wettest Day: **October 1st**

STATE: **5.80"** **LA-FP-3 Winnsboro 5.3 NNE**

LOCAL: **2.63"** **LA-EB-48 Baton Rouge 2.1 S**

Driest Month (Local): **0.10 inches (31 reports)**

**LA-AS-5 Gonzales 4.0 S**

## October Statistics

Number of Observations: **2160**

Number of Observers Reporting: **93**

Average Daily Reports: **69.7**

Number of Rain Days (avg >0.00): **13**

Hail Reports: **0**

Busiest Reporting Day: **Oct 18th with 81 reports averaging 0.15" and max 0.93"**

Wettest Reporting Day: **Oct 1st with 1.09" average and 5.80" max on 76 reports.**

**Keep those rainfall reports coming!**