



South Mississippi CoCoRaHS Newsletter

"Because every drop counts"

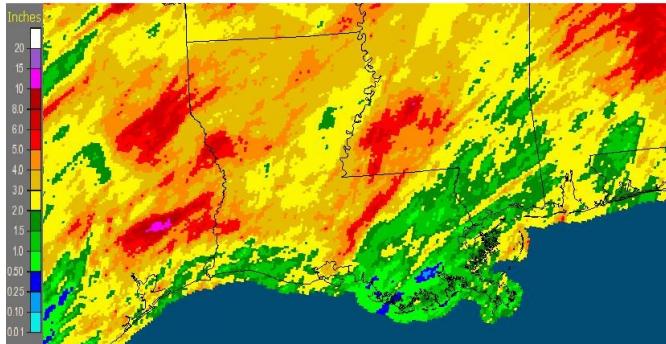
Rainfall Returns Along with Cold Air

A few cold fronts moving through the country made a significant impact on rainfall generally across the Middle Mississippi Valley region. This will provide a flood crest moving down the big river in coming weeks that may actually be extended by additional heavy rains expected this weekend across Arkansas and western Tennessee. What this means is...just like this past La Nina spring...a flood event will be flowing through an otherwise drier than normal lower part of the valley. In addition to rainfall, the fronts have brought an early onset to winter well into the Deep South.

Remember, zeroes count!

Several observers do well to report everyday, regardless of whether it rained or not. For the sake of climate studies, a no report can not be assumed to be a zero rain day. If possible, please report your zero rain days.

Louisiana: November, 2011 Monthly Observed Precipitation
Valid at 12/1/2011 1200 UTC - Created 12/2/11 21:39 UTC



November Statistics

- Wettest Month State
**MS-DS-2 Southaven 4.8 SE
7.57" on a perfect 30 reports**
- Wettest Month Local
**MS-PK-2 Jayess 5.6 SW
5.47" on a perfect 30 reports**
- Number of Rain Days: **25**
- Wettest Day State & Local:
**MS-PK-2 Jayess 5.6 SW
2.54" on the 16th**
- Driest Month Local
**MS-HC-10 Diamondhead 1.5
NE 0.95" on 26 reports**
- Hail Days: **0**
- Snow was measured in Desoto Co
(NW corner of State)

Comment of the Month: From Kiln 3.3 N (MS-HC-9) on Nov 27, 2011

At OT, mostly cloudy (but some stars visible) and 62 degrees. Expect the cold front to pass in next hour or so, and may have some light post frontal precipitation to report for tomorrow. My heaviest rain was around midnight and shortly thereafter.

Reporting Statistics (November)

- Stations reporting: **141**
- Number of reports: **3487**
- Average daily reporting: **116.2**

Busiest Reporting Day

- Date: **November 9th**
- Number of Reports: **126**
- Average reported rainfall: **0.19"**
- Max amount: **1.37"**

Wettest Reporting Day

- Date: **November 27th**
- Number of Reports: **116**
- Average reported rainfall: **1.21"**
- Max amount: **2.35"**

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Christmas!**