



South Mississippi CoCoRaHS Newsletter



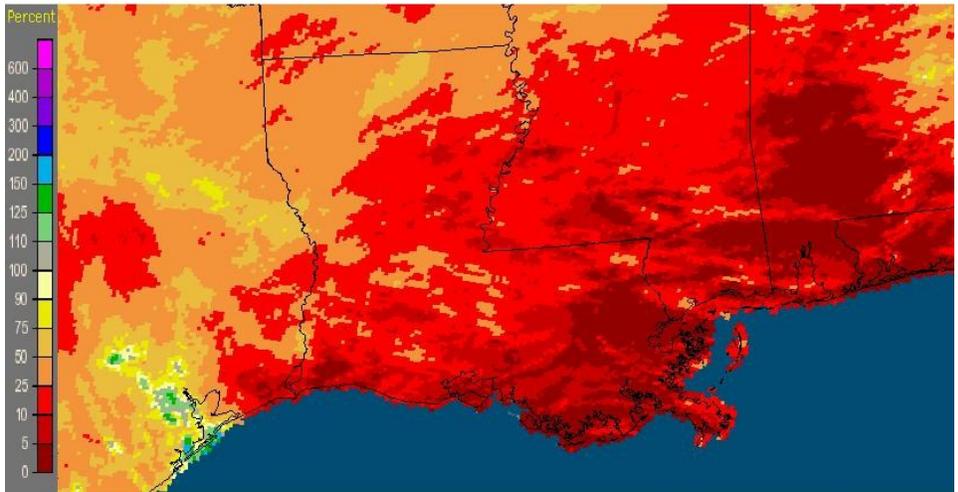
Veterans Day

"Because every drop counts"

Drought Returns with a Dry October

Not much to talk about this month as the drought conditions have crept back into the region from the west. This is due to an abnormally dry October for much of Mississippi. The northern third of the state fared somewhat better with monthly rainfall ranging between 2 and 3 inches. The central third averaged 1 to 1.5 inches, while the lower third had less than 1 inch of rainfall for the entire month. A few locations received no measurable rainfall, particularly along the coastal counties. Hopefully, frontal passages in November may offer some rain chances.

Louisiana: October, 2011 Monthly Percent of Normal Precipitation
Valid at 11/1/2011 1200 UTC- Created 11/3/11 21:41 UTC



October Statistics

- **Wettest Month State**
MS-GD-9 Grenada 7.9 NNW
3.00" on 28 reports
- **Wettest Month Local**
MS-AM-2 Liberty 1.0 WNW
0.87" on a perfect 31 reports
- **Number of Rain Days: 12**
- **Wettest Day State:**
MS-GD-6 Grenada 6.2 W
1.95" on the 13th
- **Wettest Day Local:**
MS-HC-8 Diamondhead 0.4 E
0.87" on the 13th
- **Driest Month Local**
MS-PR-9 Carriere 5.6 NW
0.00" on 25 reports
- **Hail Days: 0**

*Comment of the Month: From
Pass Christian 3.5 NE
(MS-HR-10) on October 26,
2011*

"Just another zero."

*Sort of sums up the entire month
along the Mississippi coast for
rainfall in October.*



Reporting Statistics (October)

- **Stations reporting: 141**
- **Number of reports: 3533**
- **Average daily reporting: 114.0**

Busiest Reporting Day

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Happy Veterans Day and Happy Thanksgiving!
Keep those rainfall and hail reports coming!