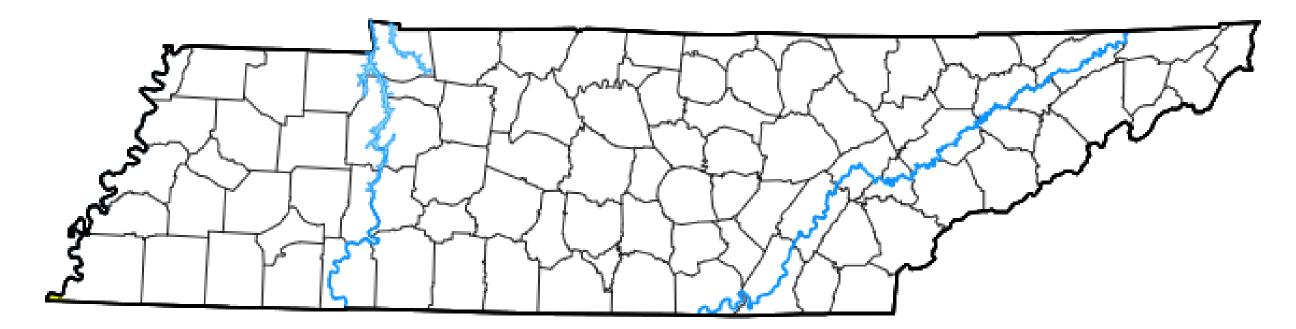
Tennessee Drought Update

For the assessment period ending August 22, 2023

This Week's Drought Monitor of Tennessee Map

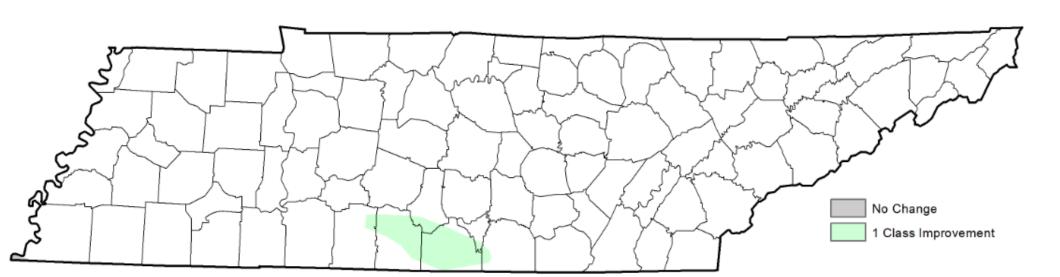
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Conditions across the state have improved over the last drought monitoring period, with only a tiny sliver of Abnormally Dry (DO) conditions in southwest Shelby County.

Change Since Last Week



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Statewide Condition Summary

What's Changed? With increased rain amounts across the state over the last drought monitoring period (Tuesday to Tuesday), conditions have improved leaving little to no areas of dryness.

What's New? With conditions improving across the state, the drought coverage has decreased to only 0.04%, covering a small area along the Mississippi River in southwest Shelby County.

What's Next? With rain in the forecast for this week's drought monitoring period (Tuesday to Tuesday), conditions should remain steady.

Statewide Coverage By Category

Category	Coverage This Week	Change Since Last Week
D0: Abnormally Dry	0.04%	-2.20%
D1: Moderate Drought	0.00%	0.00%
D2: Severe Drought	0.00%	0.00%
D3: Extreme Drought	0.00%	0.00%
D4: Exceptional Drought	0.00%	0.00%

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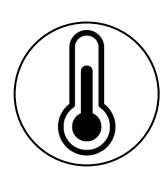
Increasing drought conditions



Rivers and Streams



Precipitation



Temperatures

- Improvement
- A mixture of improving and worsening conditions
- No Change
- Worsening conditions
- Hurricane/Tropical storm