



WEEKLY WEATHER BRIEFING

2:00 PM CDT
Thursday, April 14, 2022

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Situation Overview

Friday

Partly cloudy, with a highs upper 70s to lower 80s. A low around 60. Northeast wind around 5 mph.

Saturday

*Mostly cloudy, with a high 80-85. Scattered showers and thunderstorms. Lows in the lower to mid 60s.
South wind 5 to 10 mph.*

Sunday

*A 40 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms, mainly after 1pm. Mostly cloudy, with a high near 85.
South wind 5 to 10 mph. Lows in the upper 60s.*

Monday

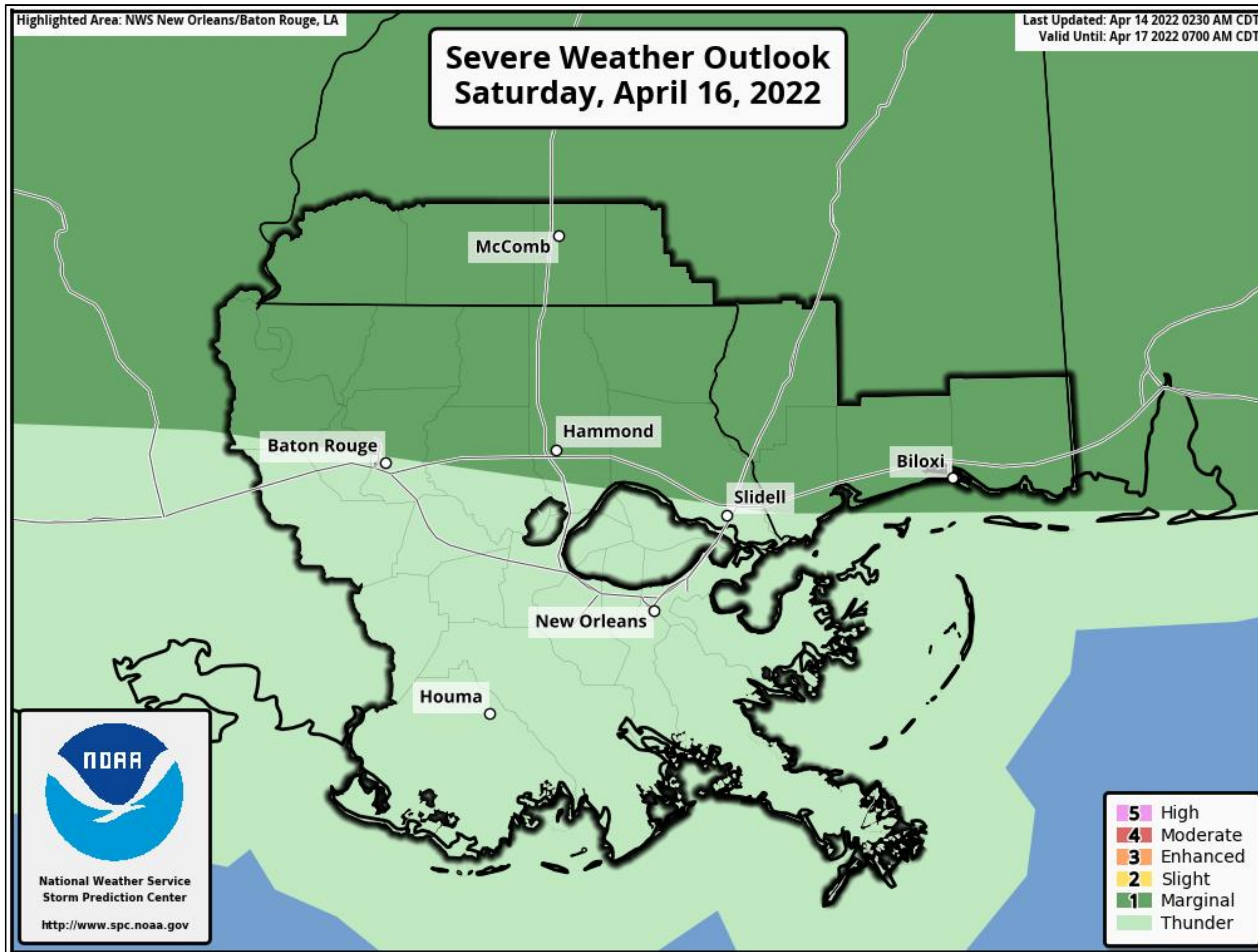
*A 30 percent chance of showers and thunderstorms. Mostly cloudy, with a high 80-85. North wind 5 to 10 mph.
Lows in the lower to mid 60s.*

Tuesday

Mostly sunny, with a high in the upper 70s to lower 80s. A low in around 55-60. Northeast wind around 10 mph.



Severe Weather Outlook - Saturday

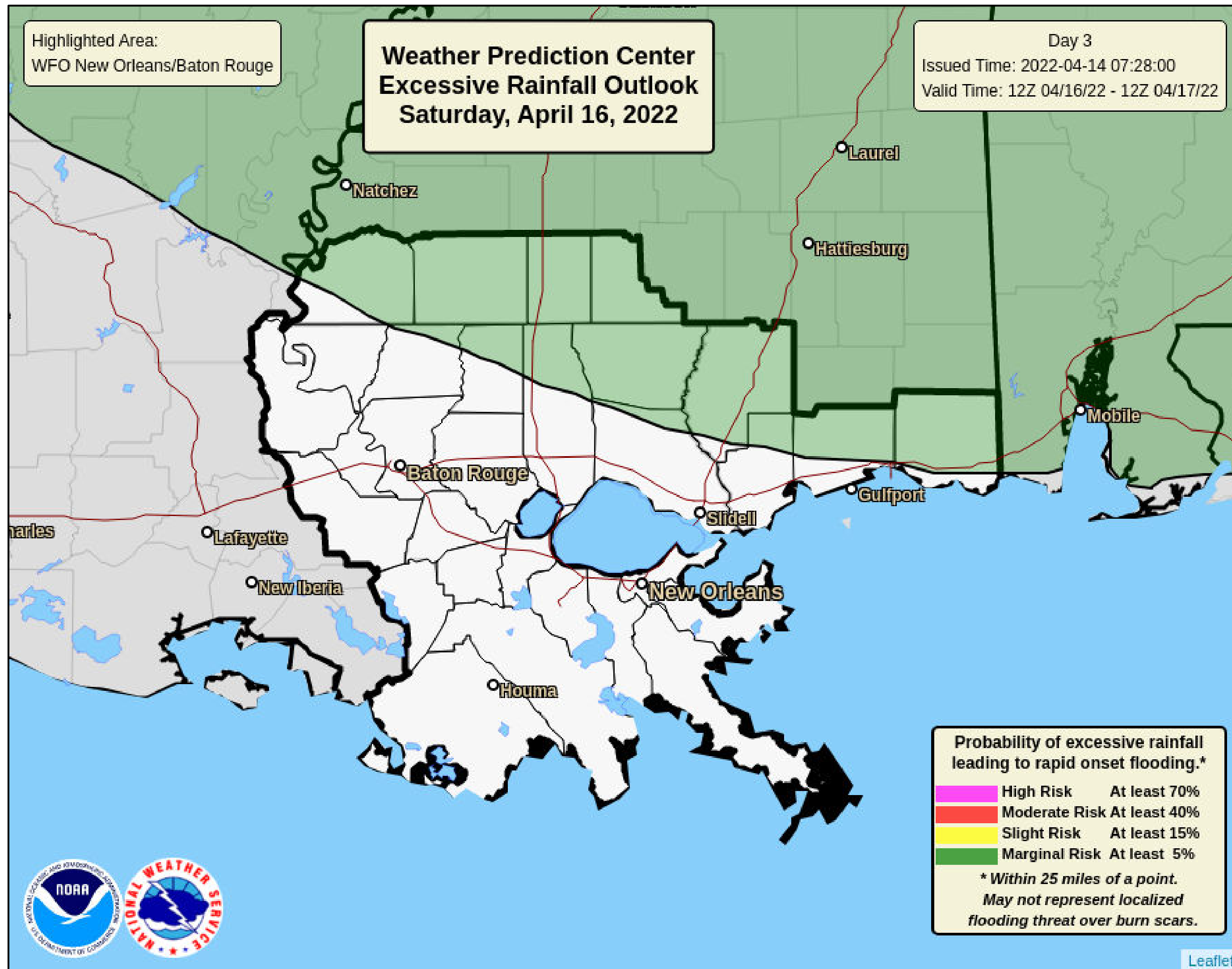


- Scattered Thunderstorms likely on Saturday
- Very low end threat for anything strong to severe
- Not overly concerned at this time, but something to watch as the weekend approaches.



Excessive Rainfall Outlook

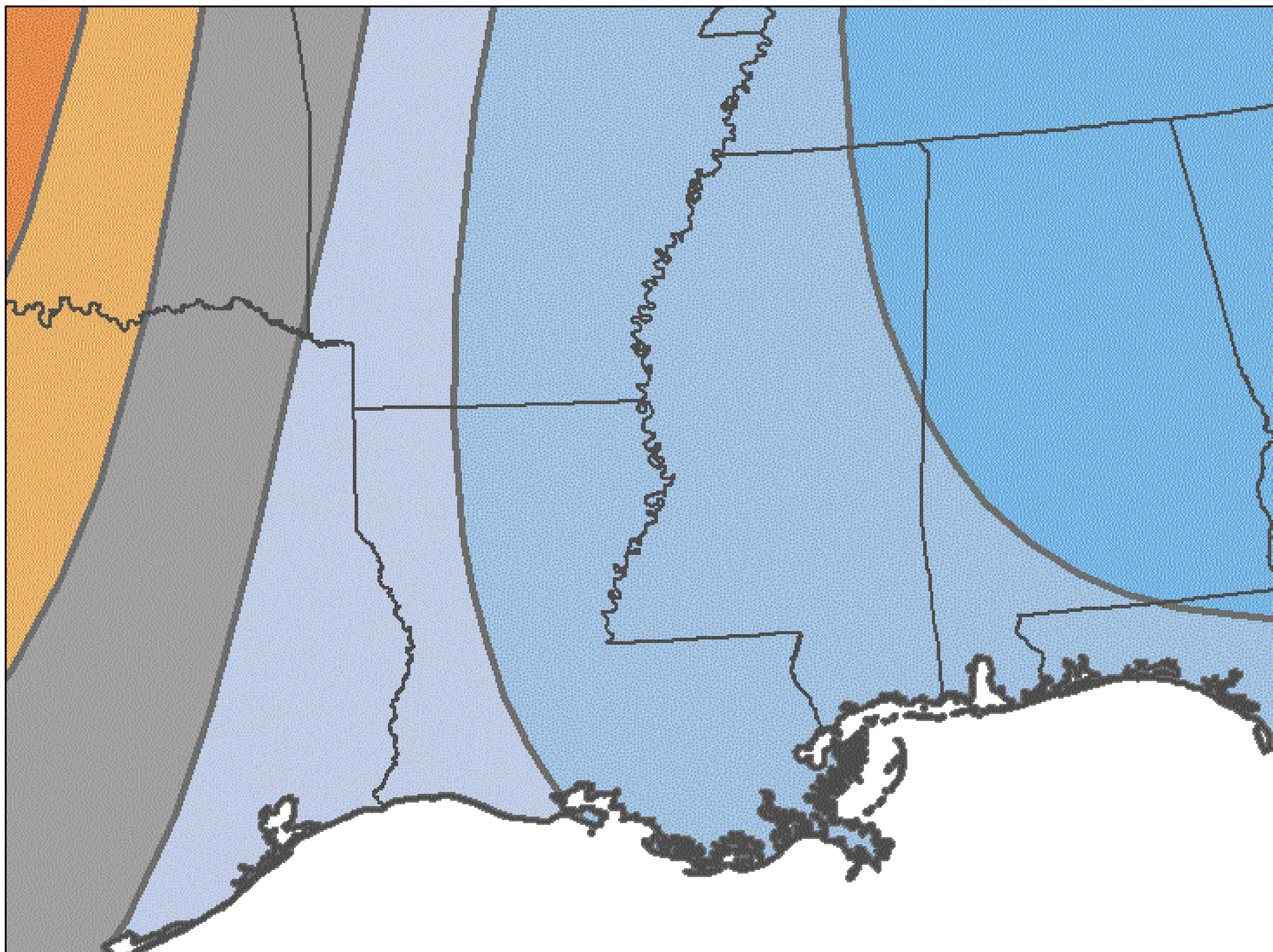
Saturday and Saturday Night



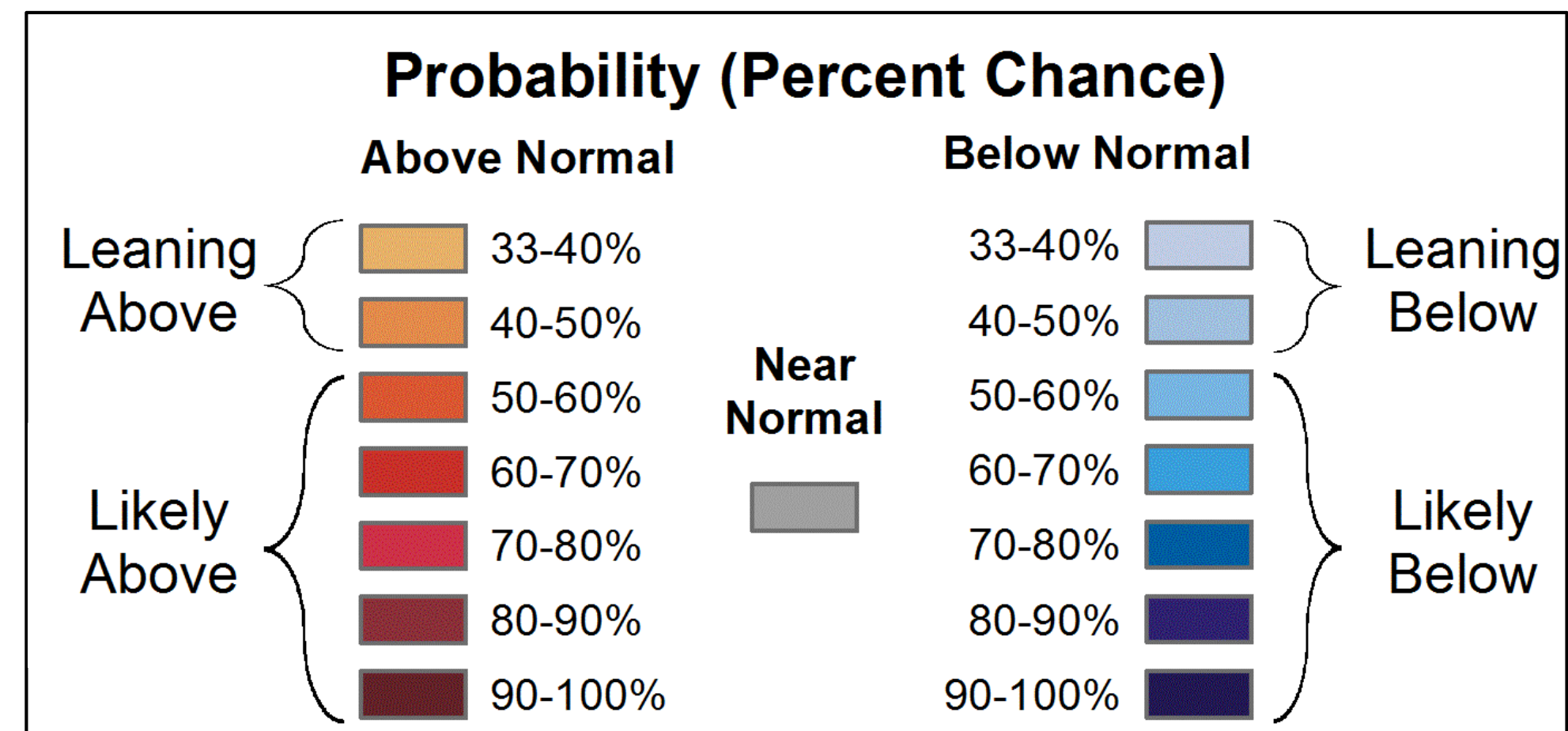
- Saturday's thunderstorms may contain high rainfall rates
- Mainly concerned across NE Florida Parishes and S MS
- Afternoon and evening thunderstorms will have the potential for localized heavy rainfall.



Day 6-10 Temperature Outlook

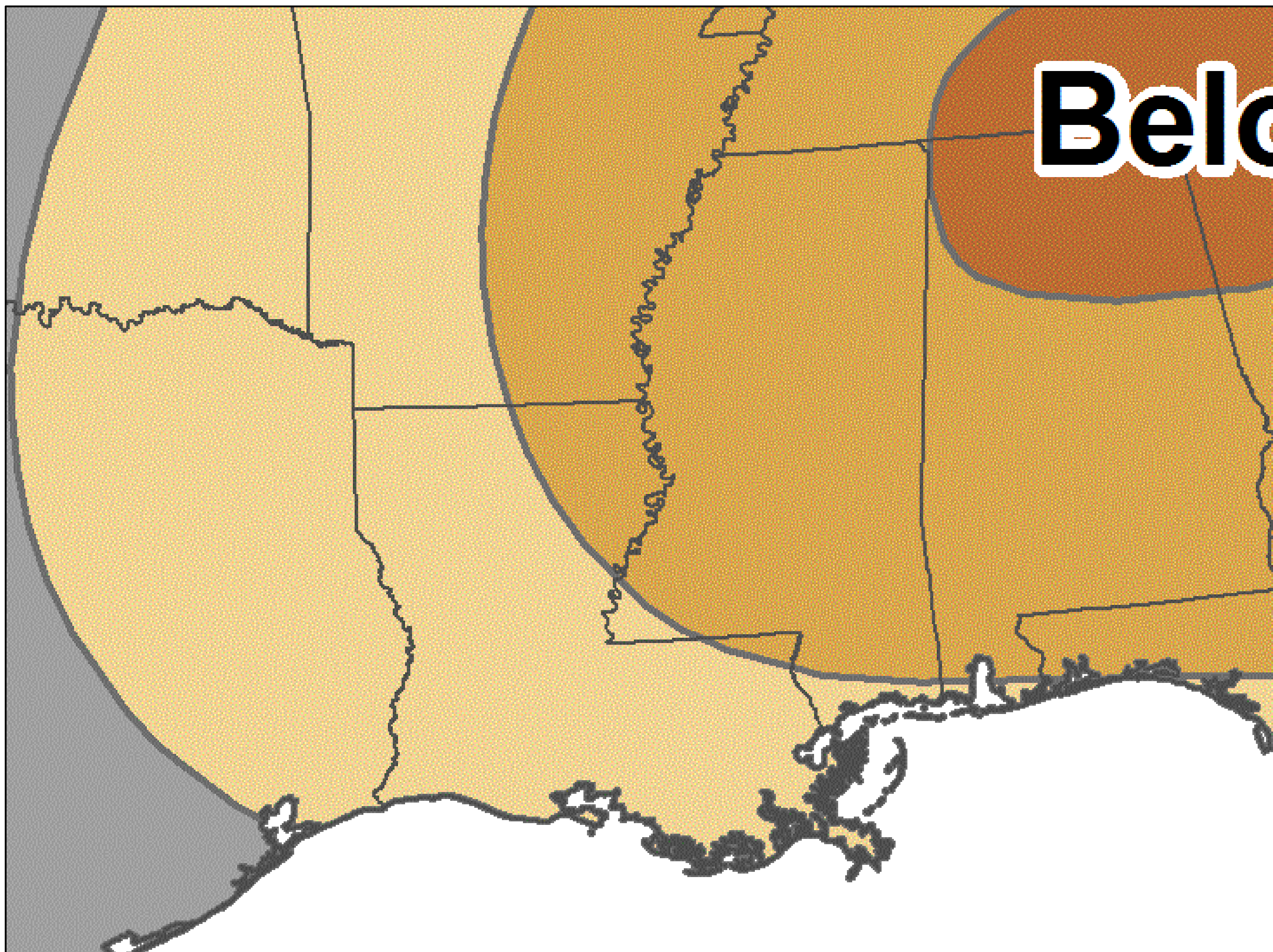


- Near normal to slightly better chances for below normal temperatures days 6-10

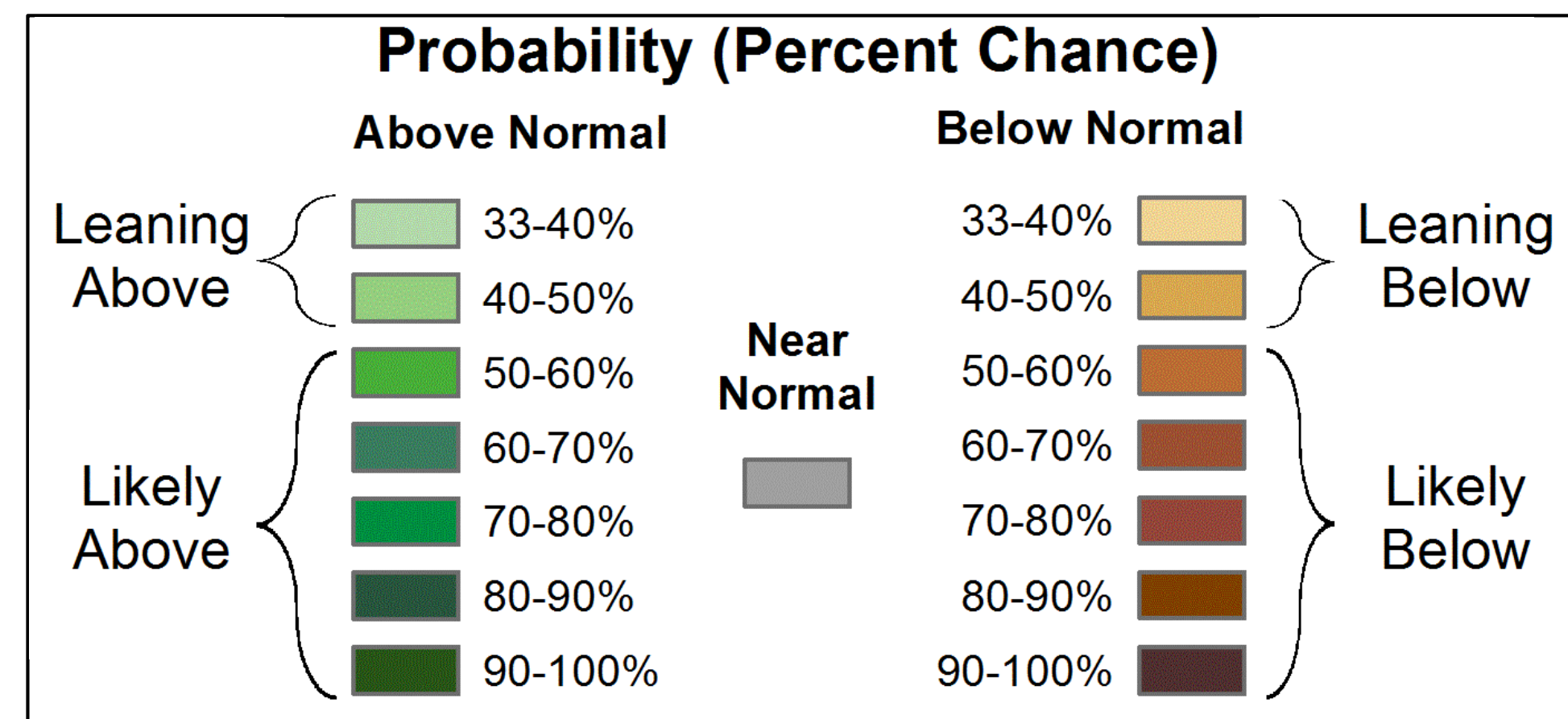




Day 6-10 Rainfall Outlook

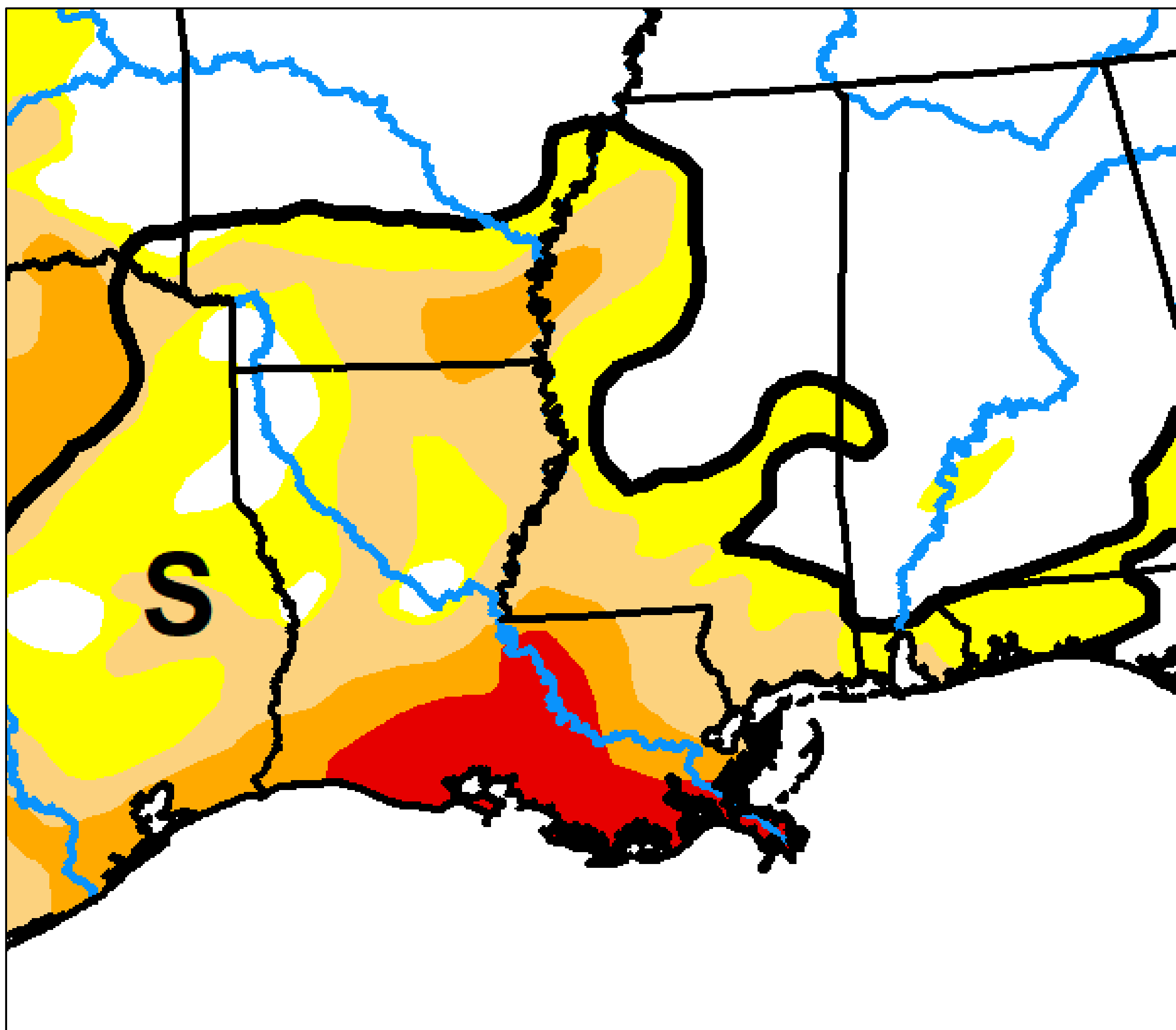


- Slightly better chances for drier conditions through the next 6-10 days





Drought Monitor



- Recent rainfall will help get us back closer to seasonal averages
- Drier forecast through next 6-10 days may pull us back if no widespread rainfall Saturday and Monday

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought



Summary of Impacts

- Thunderstorms possible Saturday and Sunday, low chance to be severe but may contain localized heavy rainfall
- Cold front comes through Monday, not looking severe
- Drier and cooler than normal conditions the next week
- Fire Weather concerns may worsen in next 6-10 days if no widespread rainfall occurs Saturday through Monday



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