



Prepared under the direction of the President, Mississippi River Commission. Horizontal control by Mississippi River Commission and Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, Second New Orleans District. Vertical control by Mississippi River Commission and Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, Second New Orleans District. Descriptions, elevations and geodetic positions of bench marks may be obtained from Second New Orleans Engineer District, New Orleans, La. Topography by Corps of Engineers, U. S. Army, Second New Orleans District, 1931-1936-1939. Revised by Mississippi River Commission, December, 1939. Political boundaries are shown according to best available information and are subject to change except where established by court decision. Contours and elevations outside Alluvial Valley are taken from U. S. Geological Survey Quadrangles and adjusted to fit topography obtained from aerial photographs. Boundary between the First and Second New Orleans Engineer Districts and the Lower Mississippi Valley and Gulf of Mexico Divisions is shown to Baton Rouge. Below Baton Rouge levees and flood control work on the Mississippi River are under the Second New Orleans Engineer District and Lower Mississippi Valley Division, and navigation on the Mississippi River is under the First New Orleans Engineer District and Gulf of Mexico Division. Work under Flood Control Act shown as of December, 1939. Polyconic projection. 1927 North American datum. 10,000-foot grid based on Louisiana coordinate system, south zone. 1000-meter Universal Transverse Mercator grid ticks, zone 15, shown in blue.

SCALE 1:62,500
3000 6000 9000 12000 15000 18000 21000 FEET
1 2 3 4 5 KILOMETERS
Contour interval 5 feet
Datum is mean gull level at Biloxi, Mississippi. Elevations differ from mean sea level elevations as determined by the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey, by small fractions of a foot. Persons interested may secure elevations of bench marks as determined by the latest U. S. C. & G. S. adjustment, by applying to the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

LEGEND

Levee	+++++	Levee mile post	LMP
Retards and dikes		Levee station	LS
Revetment		Towhead	TH
River Gate	⊙		

Distances below Plaquemine, La. (Lock) along Intracoastal Waterway (Plaquemine-Morgan City Route) are shown at 5 mile intervals. Distances below Cairo gage on Mississippi River are shown at 5 mile intervals.

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