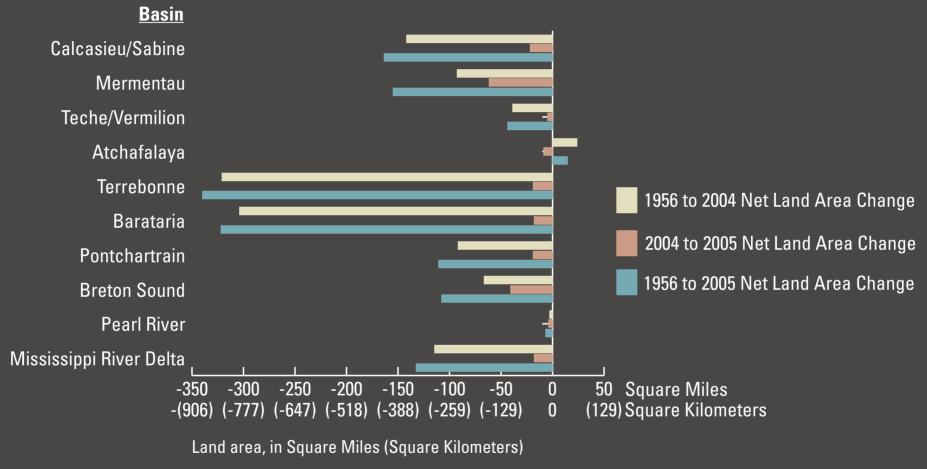


1956 to 2004 and 2004 to 2005 Net Land Area Changes Graph*



*The 1956 to 2004 net land decrease is 1,149 mi² (2,975.91 km²). The 2004 to 2005 net land decrease is 218 mi² (564.62 km²), which slightly varies from the 217 mi² given elsewhere in this report. The variation results from matching the CZB (1956) and LCA (2004 to 2005) data sets, as discussed in this methodology.

Source: Open-File Report 2006-1274, Land Area Change in Coastal Louisiana After the 2005 Hurricanes: A Series of Three Maps

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