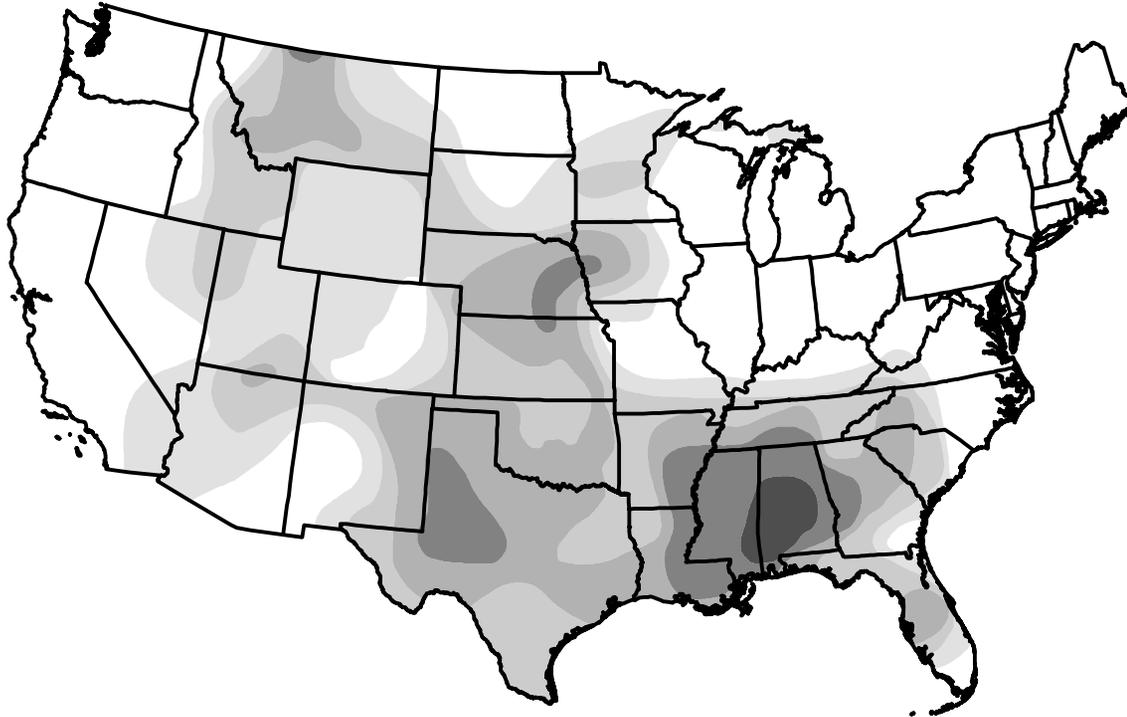


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.92	50.07	34.29	18.59	5.92	0.87
Last Week <i>10-12-2000</i>	50.18	49.81	34.33	20.33	4.91	0.39
3 Months Ago <i>07-20-2000</i>	55.64	44.35	18.86	7.42	4.57	1.77
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2000</i>	57.28	42.71	19.61	7.89	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	51.57	48.42	32.08	20.06	5.76	0.62
One Year Ago	-	-	-	-	-	-

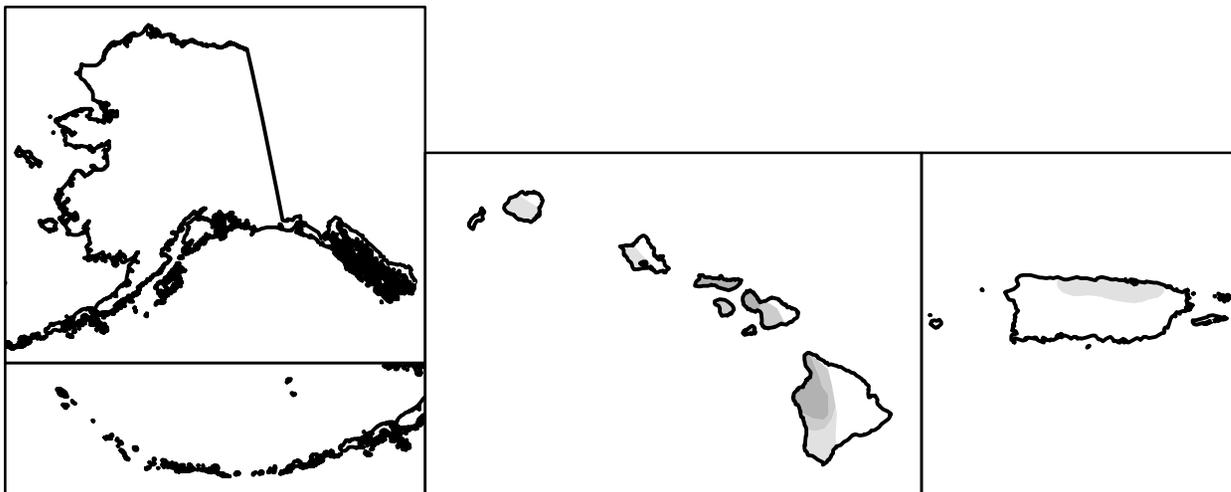
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