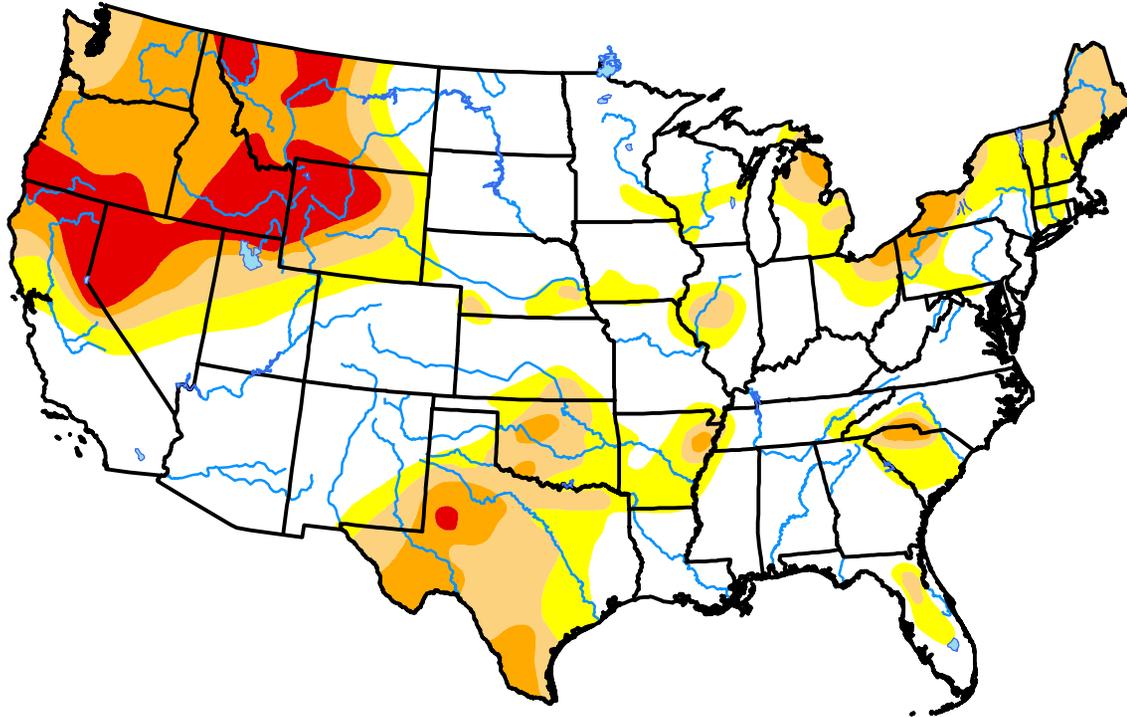


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**August 21, 2001**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 23, 2001)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	61.48	12.59	9.87	10.05	6.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-16-2001</i>	59.04	15.07	10.33	11.37	4.18	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-24-2001</i>	61.27	11.99	15.55	9.03	1.74	0.41
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2001</i>	75.52	12.82	6.51	4.34	0.52	0.28
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2000</i>	51.57	16.33	12.03	14.29	5.14	0.62
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-24-2000</i>	57.99	17.55	12.76	7.17	2.52	2.00

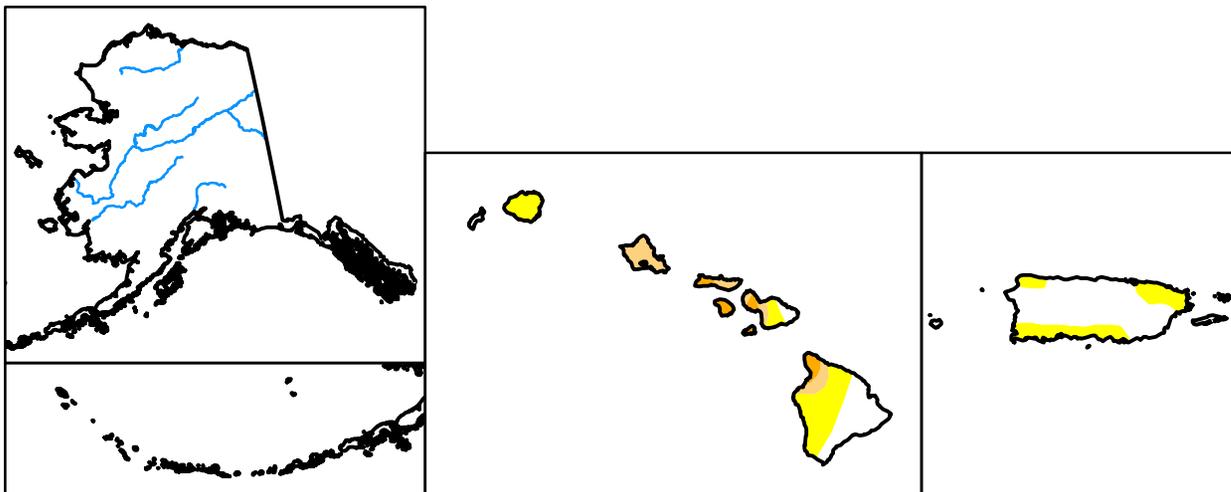
**Intensity:**



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