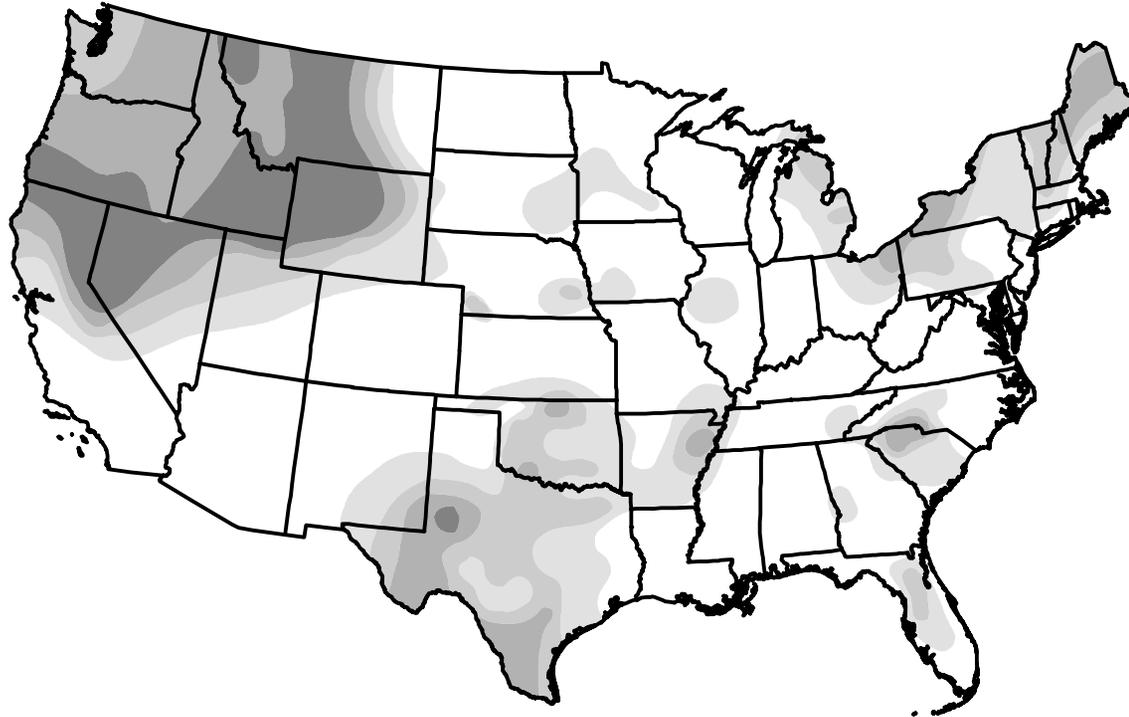


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**August 28, 2001**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 30, 2001)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 60.21 | 39.77 | 25.47 | 16.68 | 7.11  | 0.00 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>08-23-2001</i>              | 61.48 | 38.51 | 25.92 | 16.05 | 6.00  | 0.00 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-31-2001</i>           | 62.42 | 37.57 | 25.25 | 11.36 | 2.05  | 0.41 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>01-04-2001</i> | 75.52 | 24.47 | 11.65 | 5.14  | 0.80  | 0.28 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-28-2000</i>    | 51.57 | 48.42 | 32.08 | 20.06 | 5.76  | 0.62 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-31-2000</i>           | 52.84 | 47.14 | 27.01 | 13.23 | 5.74  | 2.06 |

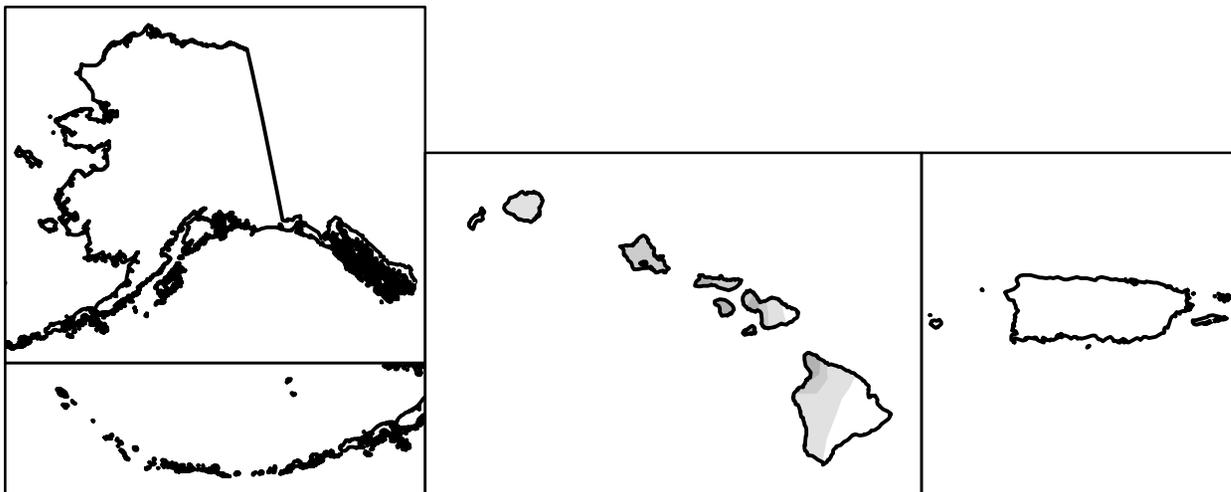
***Intensity:***



*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>*

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