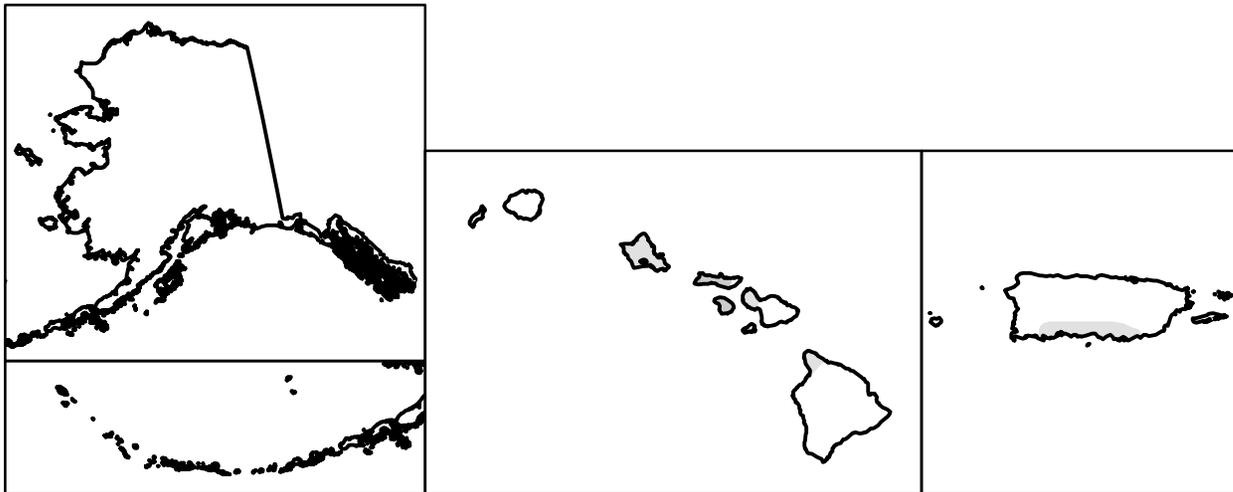
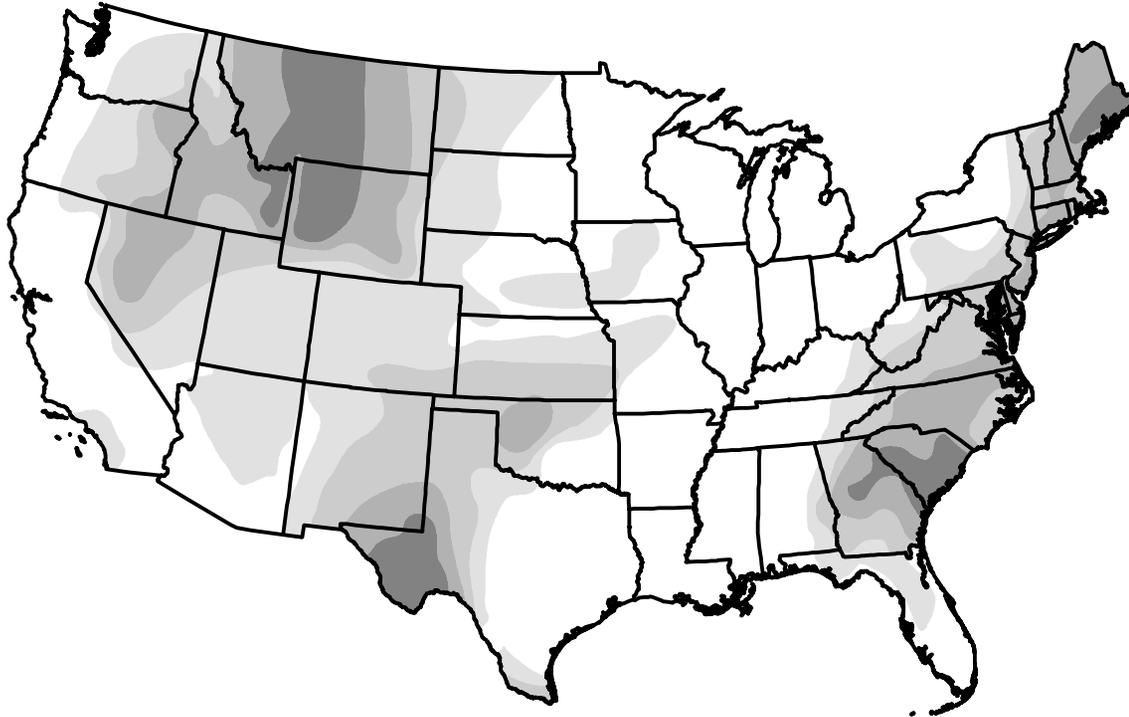


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	52.80	47.19	27.55	14.84	4.71	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>01-15-2002</i>	52.92	47.06	28.13	15.26	4.82	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>10-23-2001</i>	56.50	43.49	26.28	16.48	8.36	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	55.28	44.71	30.62	18.97	7.31	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	63.34	36.64	23.78	16.54	7.84	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>01-23-2001</i>	63.50	36.49	10.87	4.77	0.81	0.29

### 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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