

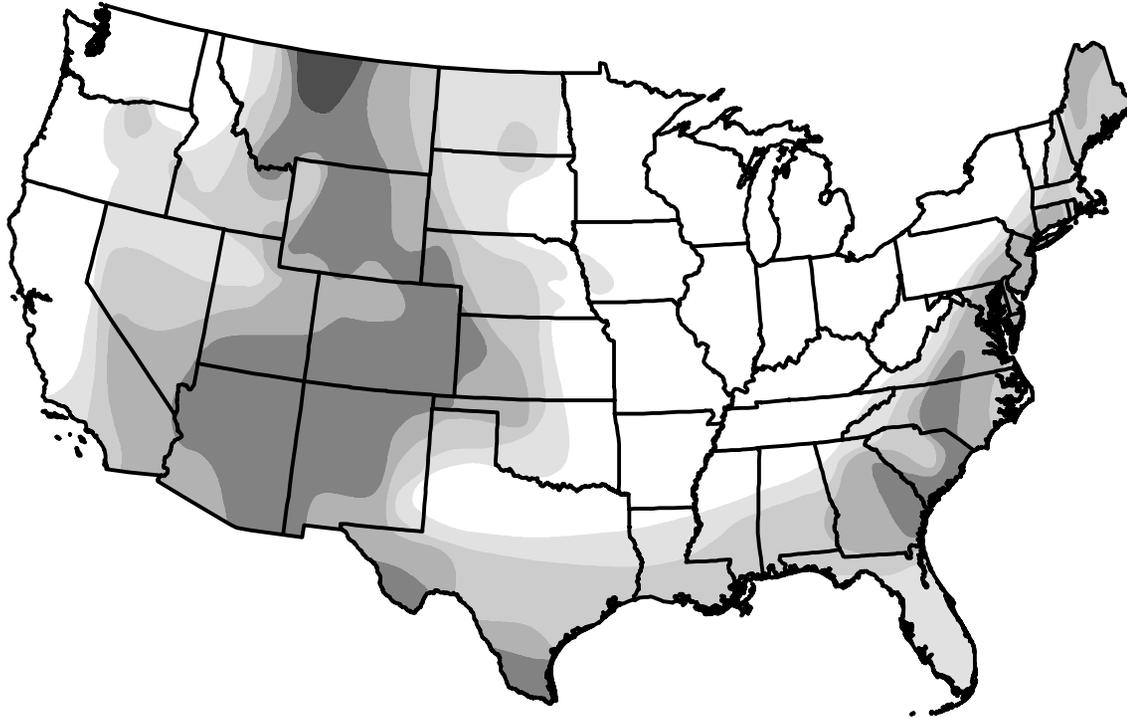
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	46.08	14.84	12.88	12.45	13.19	0.54
<b>Last Week</b> <i>05-07-2002</i>	44.27	18.99	10.26	16.94	9.01	0.51
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>02-12-2002</i>	50.97	20.77	14.39	9.45	4.41	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2002</i>	55.28	14.09	11.65	11.66	7.31	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2001</i>	63.34	12.86	7.24	8.70	7.84	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>05-15-2001</i>	59.34	13.95	13.88	10.48	1.96	0.38



**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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