

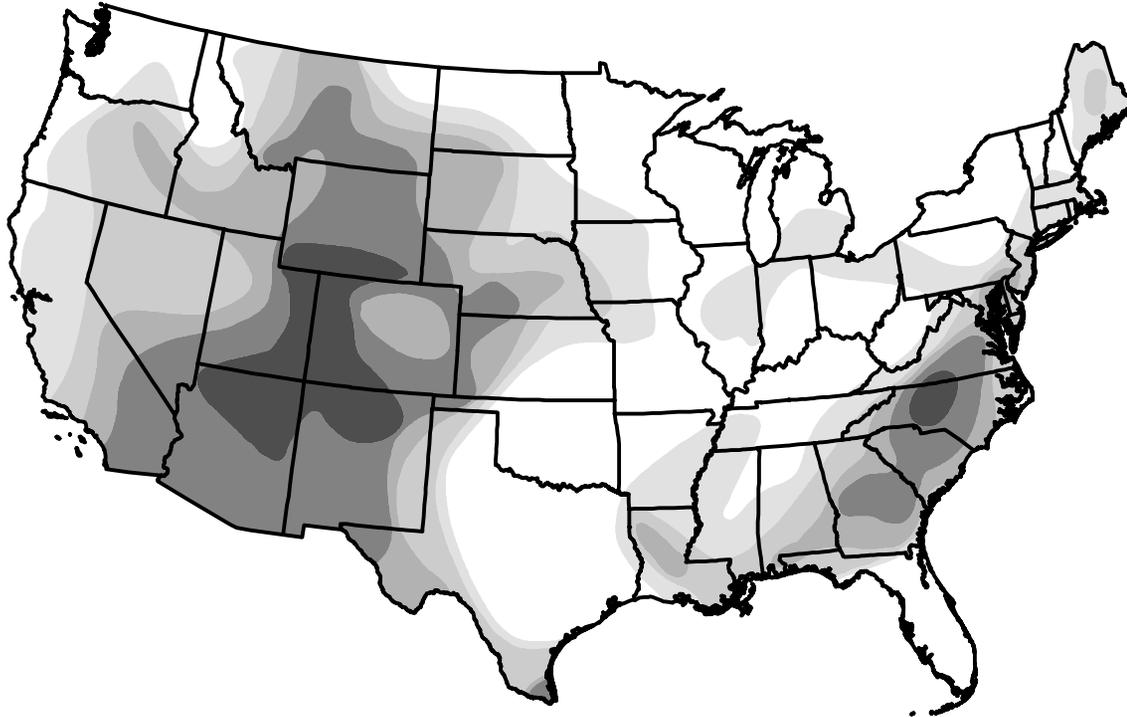
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## 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>	40.00	59.98	40.54	28.43	17.81	4.61
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-09-2002</i>	40.37	59.62	39.92	27.69	17.13	4.60
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-16-2002</i>	45.90	54.09	36.10	22.91	5.64	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>07-17-2001</i>	58.59	41.40	21.95	14.80	2.97	0.00



### 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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