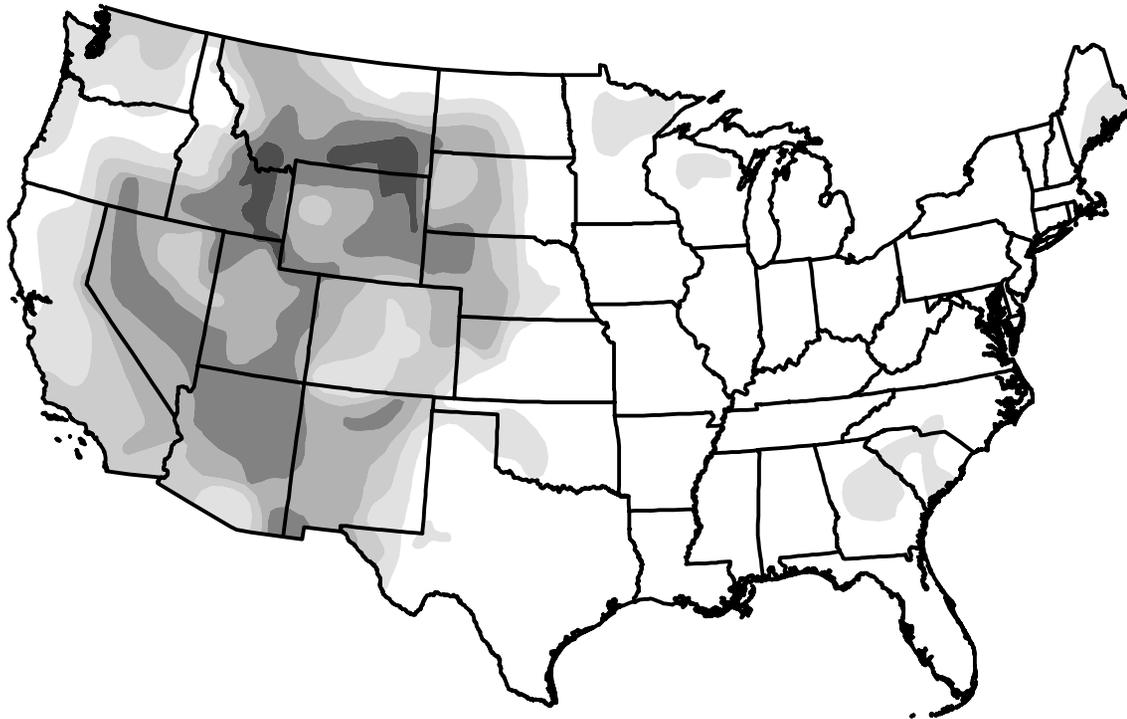


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	53.70	18.23	8.26	10.83	7.81	1.15
Last Week <i>07-20-2004</i>	54.73	16.53	8.54	11.32	7.68	1.19
3 Months Ago <i>04-27-2004</i>	49.84	17.69	10.80	12.83	8.13	0.70
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	50.81	10.84	10.11	14.87	10.51	2.84
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2003</i>	48.06	11.42	12.78	13.63	12.35	1.75
One Year Ago <i>07-29-2003</i>	53.41	7.14	15.24	11.58	10.82	1.80

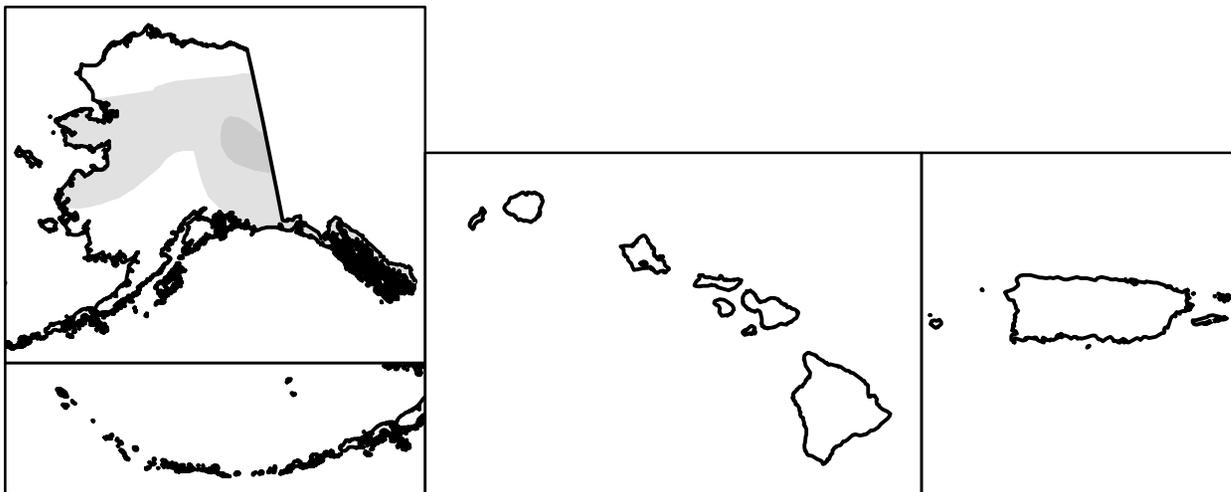
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