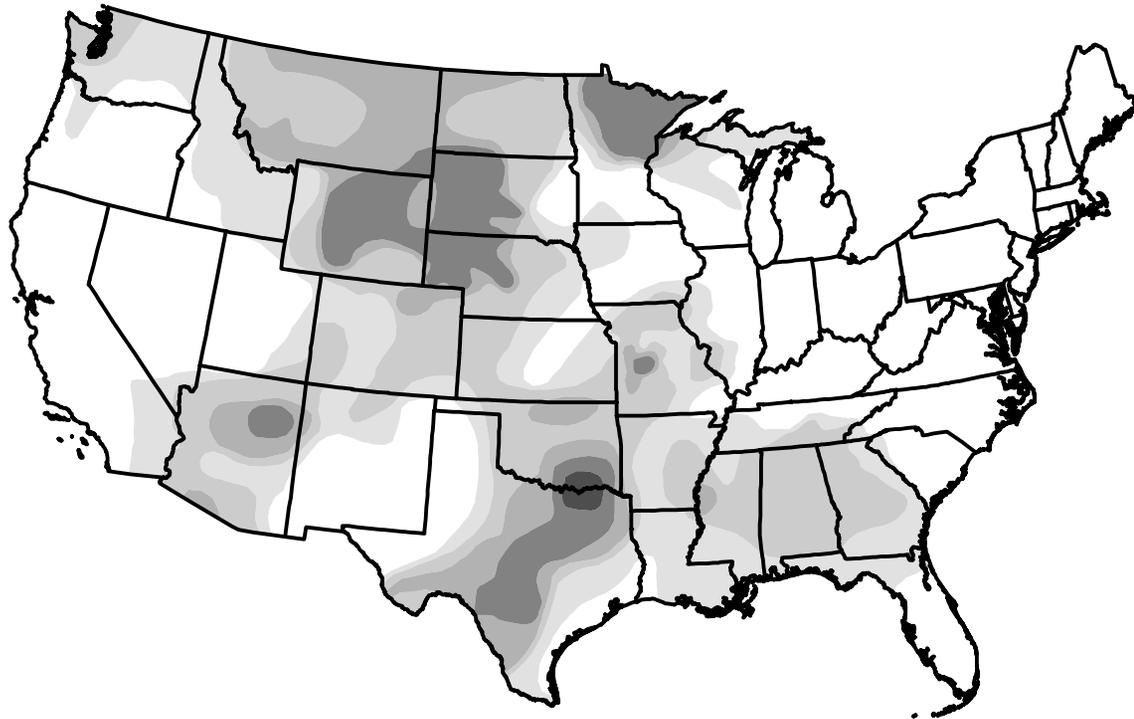


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	52.48	16.77	16.96	7.50	6.03	0.25
Last Week <i>09-12-2006</i>	51.68	14.77	15.08	9.86	7.39	1.21
3 Months Ago <i>06-20-2006</i>	51.74	19.91	11.83	8.52	7.02	0.98
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2006</i>	62.51	19.67	11.55	3.79	1.96	0.51
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2005</i>	59.56	20.61	13.81	5.38	0.62	0.00
One Year Ago <i>09-20-2005</i>	57.28	20.95	14.20	6.73	0.83	0.00

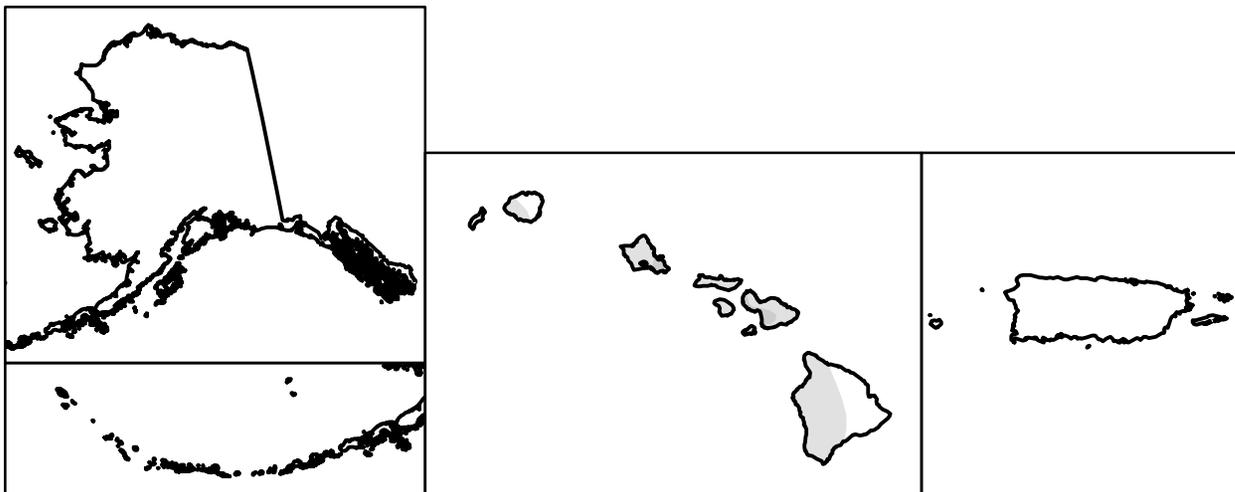
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