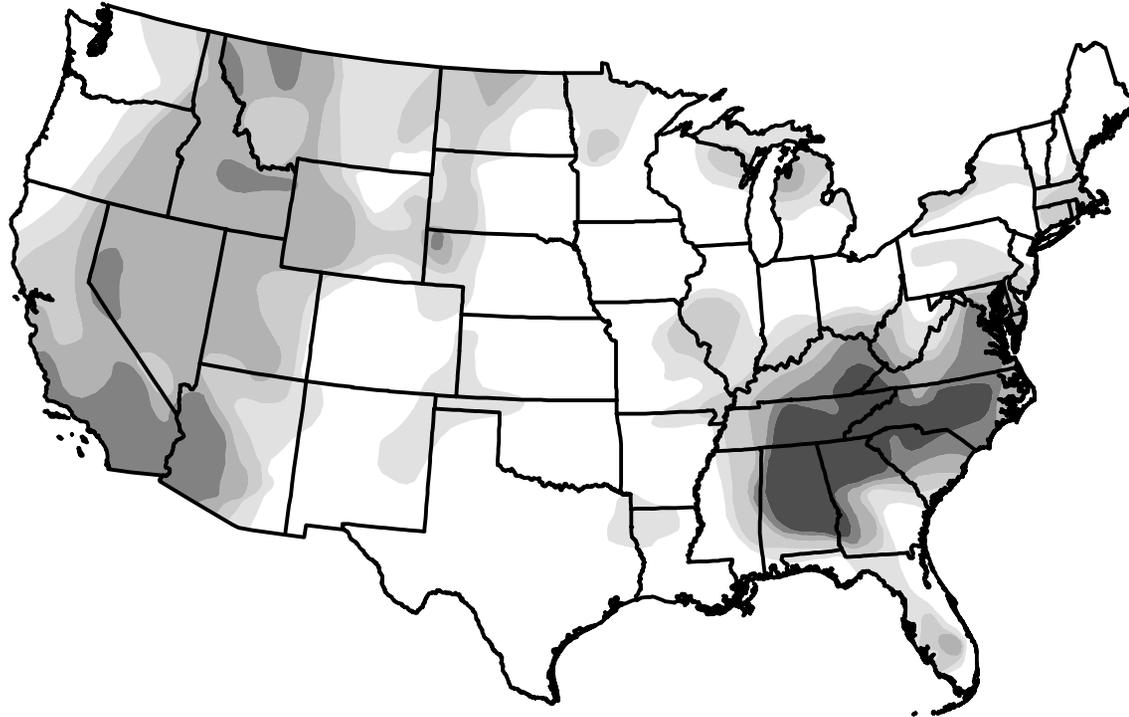


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U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	51.16	48.83	32.53	22.04	8.85	3.32
Last Week <i>10-16-2007</i>	48.01	51.98	36.76	25.25	10.97	3.61
3 Months Ago <i>07-24-2007</i>	42.97	57.02	36.65	20.84	5.27	0.33
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	53.55	46.44	21.41	10.54	4.95	0.28
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	47.86	52.13	36.80	25.09	9.86	1.90
One Year Ago <i>10-24-2006</i>	57.98	42.01	26.37	13.86	5.11	0.00

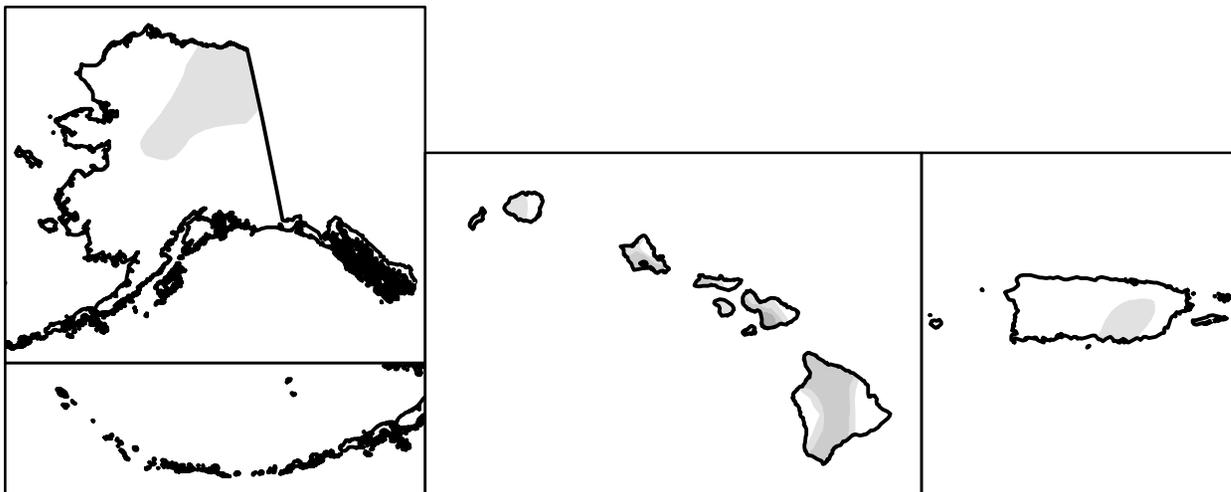
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