

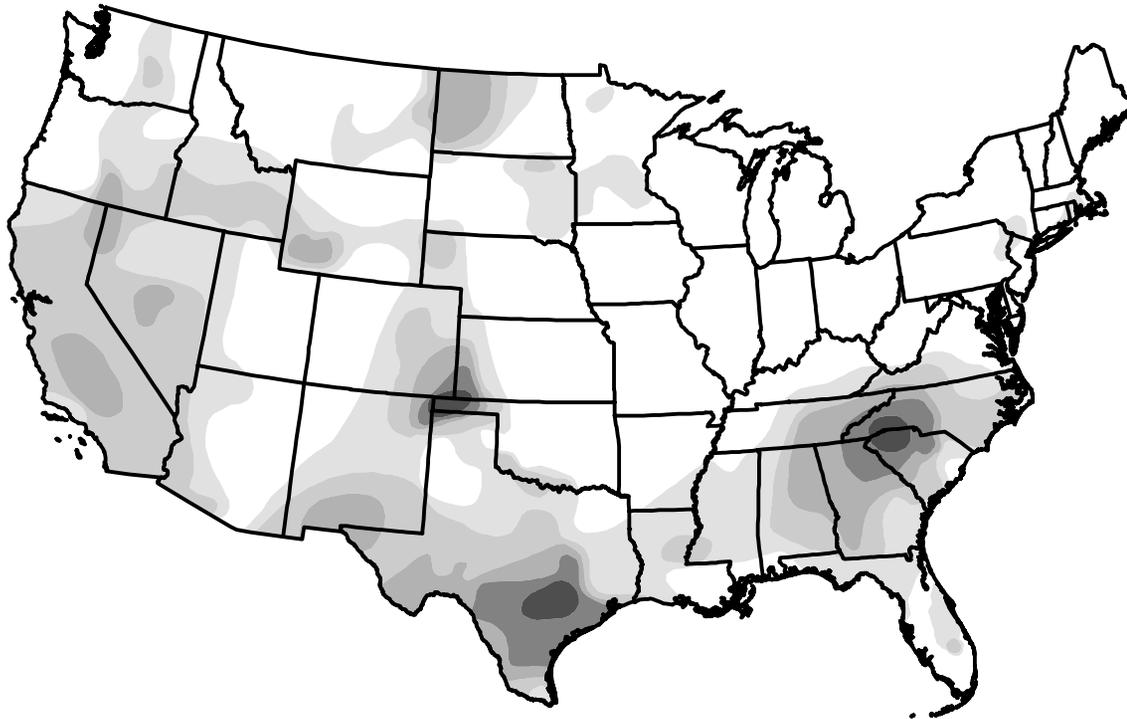
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**July 15, 2008**  
 (Released Thursday, Jul. 17, 2008)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

### Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	59.57	40.42	22.74	9.06	2.90	0.70
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-08-2008</i>	59.56	40.43	23.07	9.94	3.47	0.74
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-15-2008</i>	56.47	43.52	22.37	8.03	1.97	0.24
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	49.26	50.73	29.21	17.04	4.81	1.99
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2007</i>	47.86	52.13	36.80	25.09	9.86	1.90
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-17-2007</i>	45.55	54.43	35.46	16.51	5.27	0.43



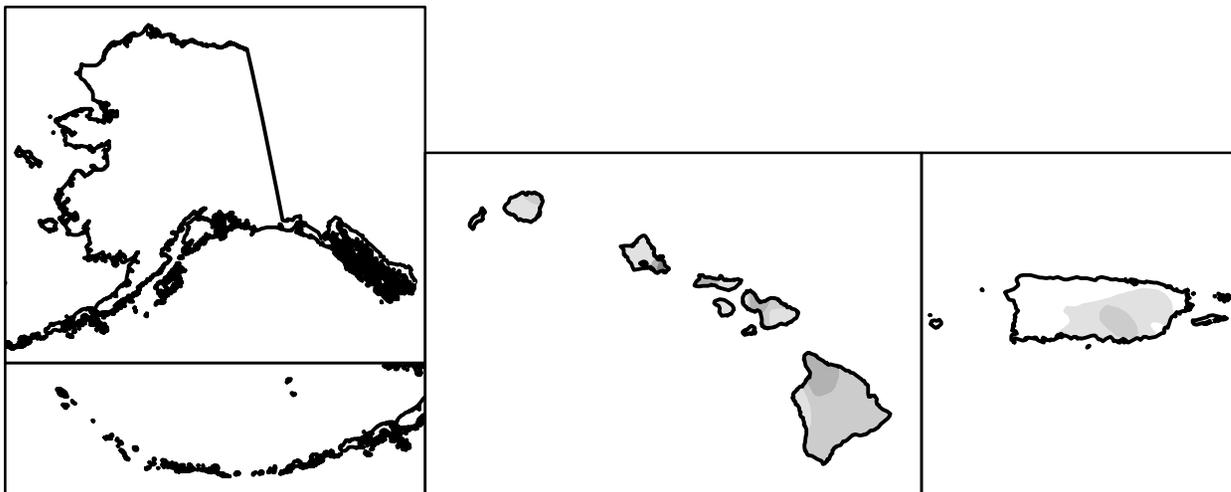
### Intensity:



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