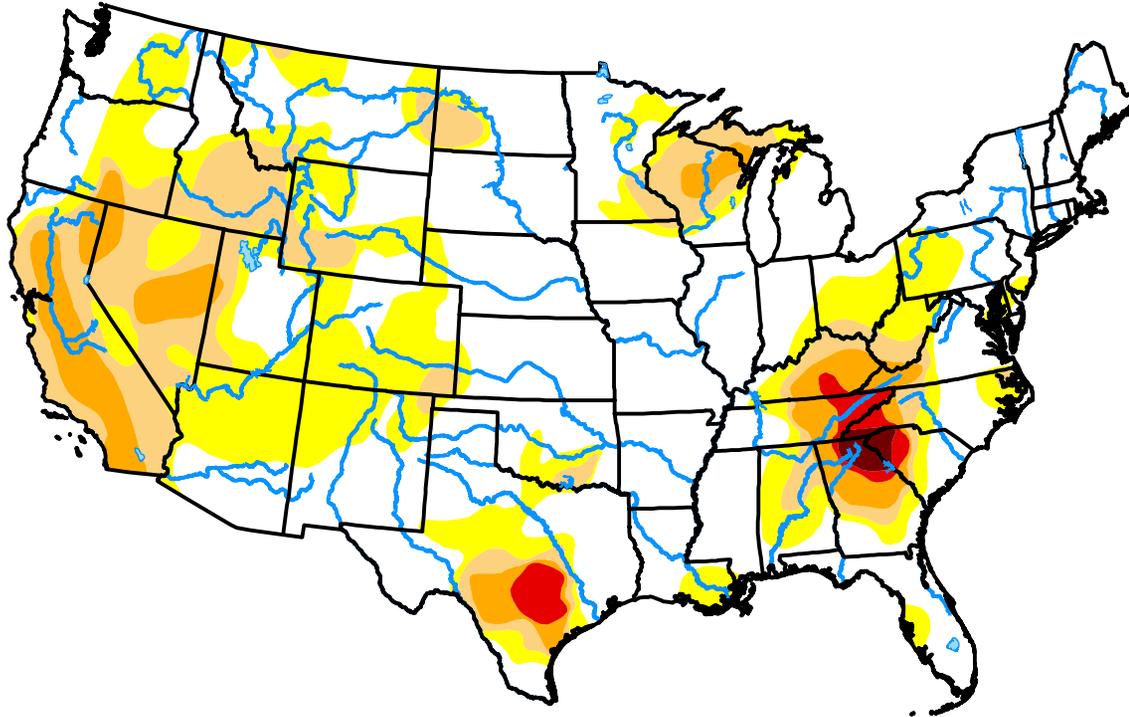


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**November 18, 2008**  
 (Released Thursday, Nov. 20, 2008)  
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	60.30	22.08	10.74	5.37	1.13	0.37
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-11-2008</i>	61.16	21.05	10.53	5.66	1.21	0.37
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-19-2008</i>	57.06	21.76	11.44	7.14	1.94	0.64
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	49.26	21.52	12.17	12.23	2.82	1.99
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2008</i>	57.12	23.05	12.32	5.94	1.41	0.15
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-20-2007</i>	46.46	22.62	12.18	12.00	4.29	2.45

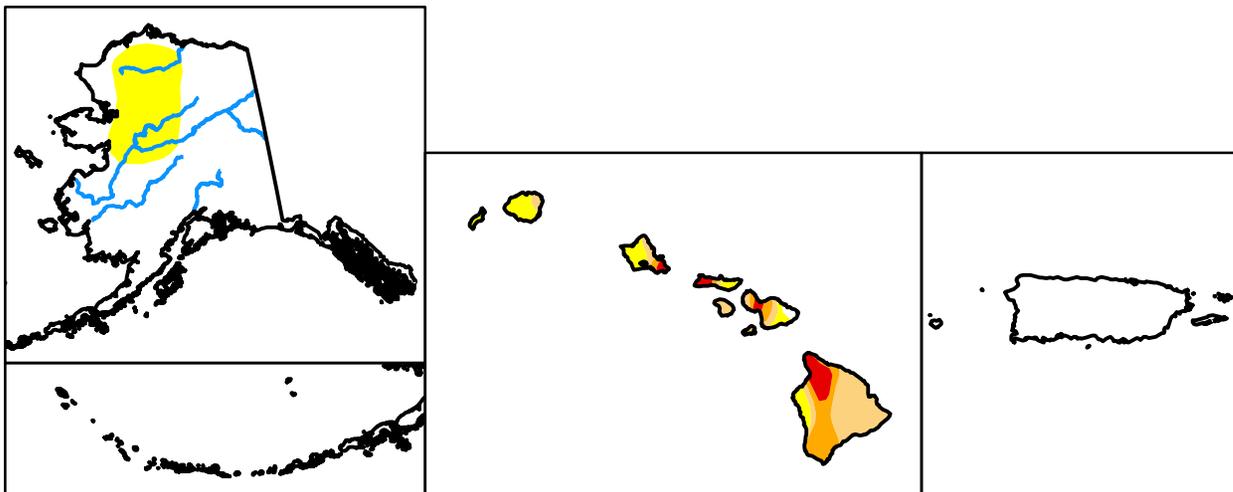
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