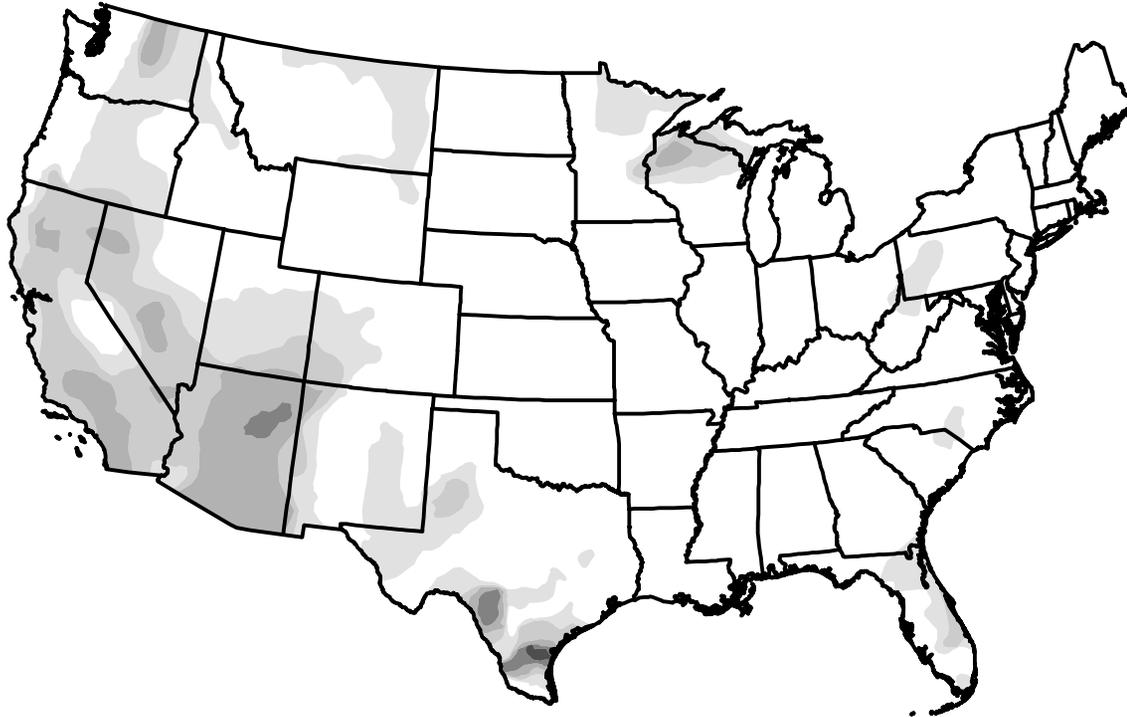


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**November 24, 2009**  
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 Valid 7 a.m. EST



*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	76.33	23.65	11.08	4.47	0.45	0.05
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-17-2009</i>	78.25	21.74	10.65	4.05	0.33	0.07
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-25-2009</i>	69.93	30.06	11.89	5.09	1.95	1.39
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2008</i>	61.13	38.86	16.16	5.25	1.05	0.31
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2009</i>	68.40	31.59	12.61	5.22	1.09	0.23
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-25-2008</i>	59.23	40.76	18.00	6.95	1.74	0.43

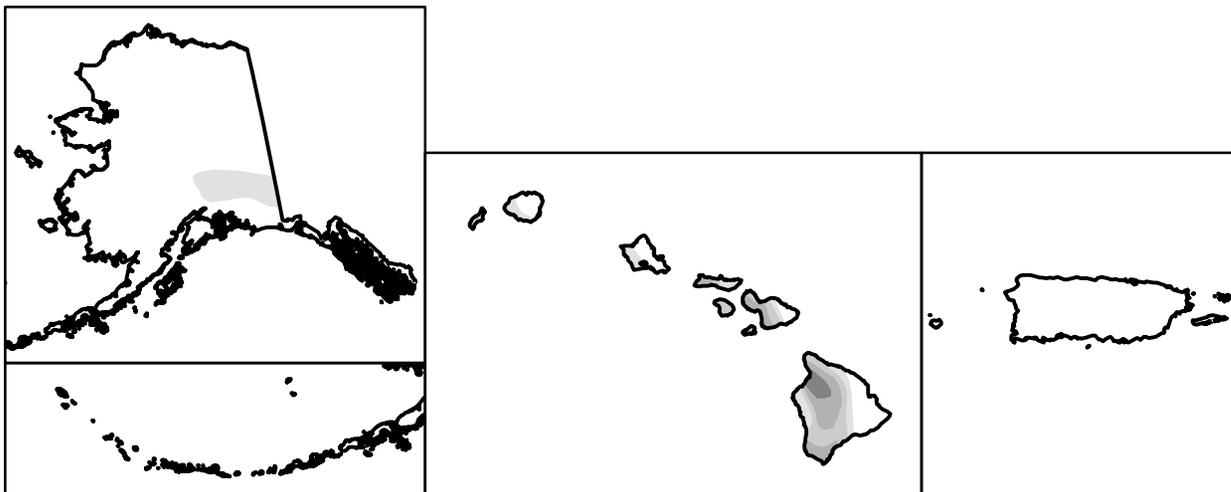
***Intensity:***



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