

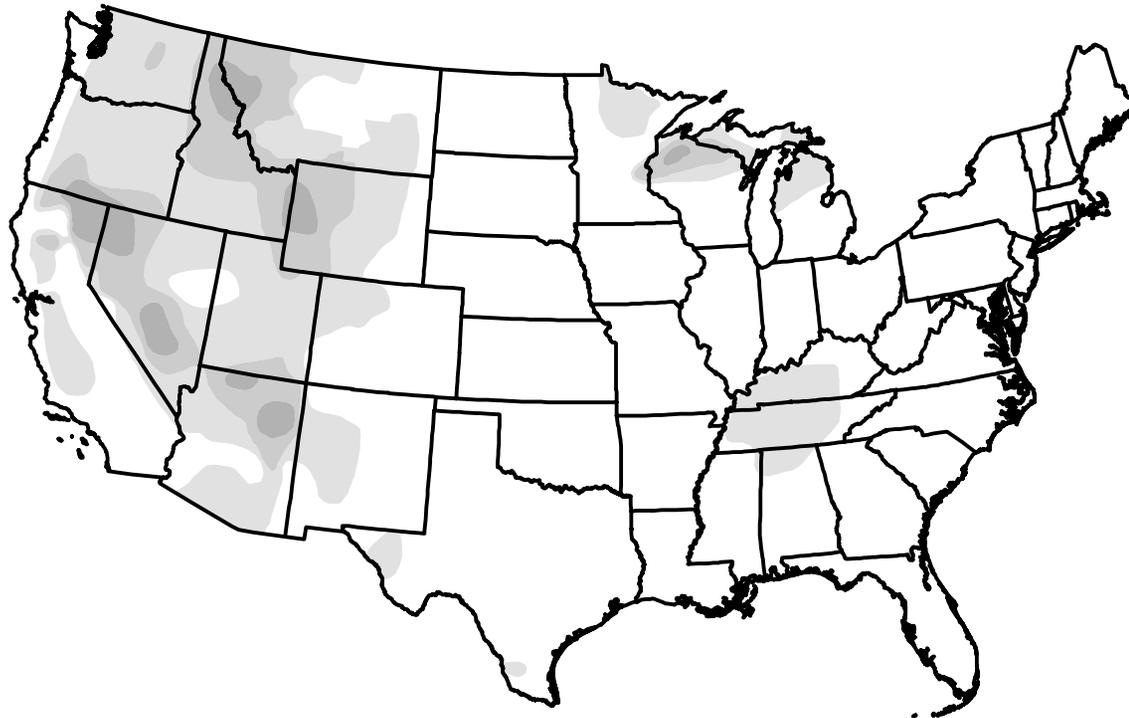
U.S. Drought Monitor

U.S. States and Puerto Rico

March 9, 2010
 (Released Thursday, Mar. 11, 2010)
 Valid 7 a.m. EST

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	68.88	31.11	8.13	2.02	0.05	0.01
Last Week <i>03-02-2010</i>	70.50	29.48	7.52	1.37	0.03	0.01
3 Months Ago <i>12-08-2009</i>	76.32	23.66	10.86	4.41	0.34	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	71.93	28.06	10.46	3.59	0.17	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	68.40	31.59	12.61	5.22	1.09	0.23
One Year Ago <i>03-10-2009</i>	54.47	45.52	21.56	6.44	1.79	0.71



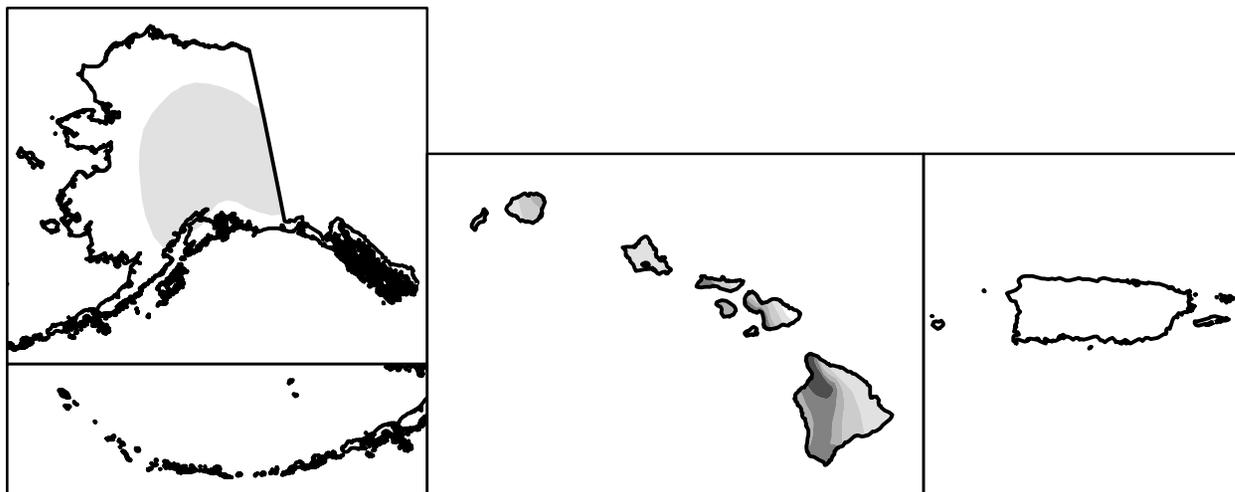
Intensity:



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

Author:

Richard Tinker
 CPC/NOAA/NWS/NCEP



droughtmonitor.unl.edu