

# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

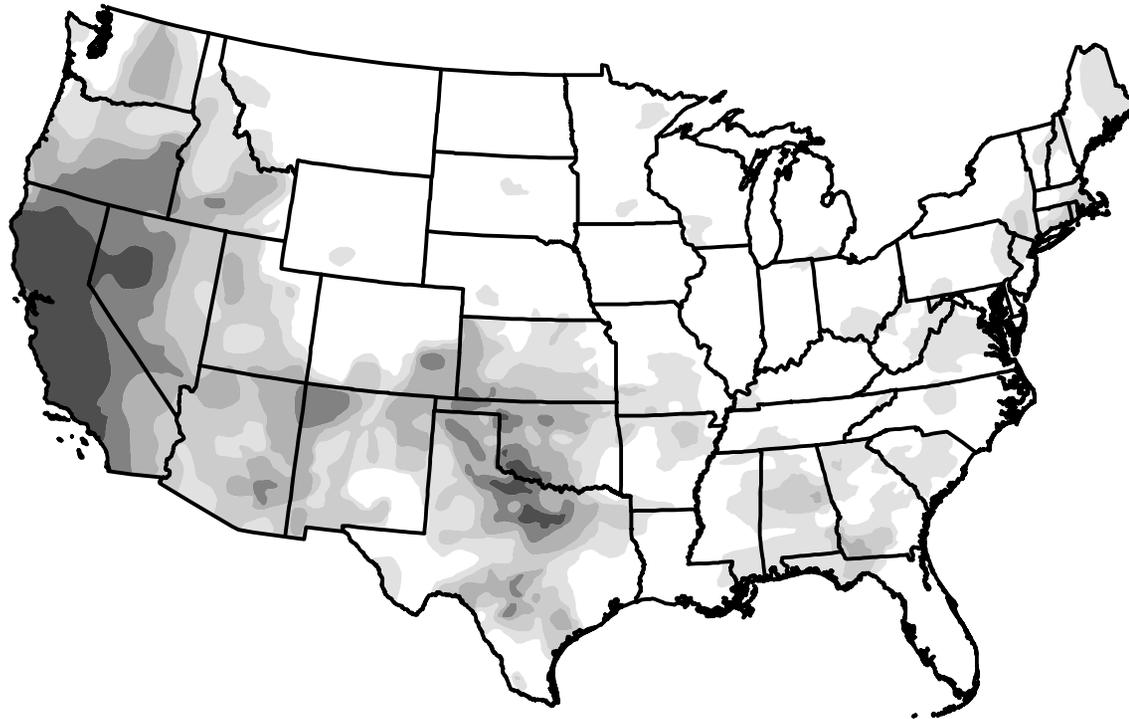
September 30, 2014

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Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	59.88	14.56	9.95	7.73	4.64	3.22
<b>Last Week</b> <i>09-23-2014</i>	61.80	12.59	10.22	7.63	4.63	3.11
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>07-01-2014</i>	62.80	8.77	7.53	10.88	7.52	2.49
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-31-2013</i>	54.20	19.78	12.05	10.65	3.00	0.31
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	44.20	18.58	19.88	14.77	2.32	0.24
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>10-01-2013</i>	44.20	18.58	19.88	14.77	2.32	0.24



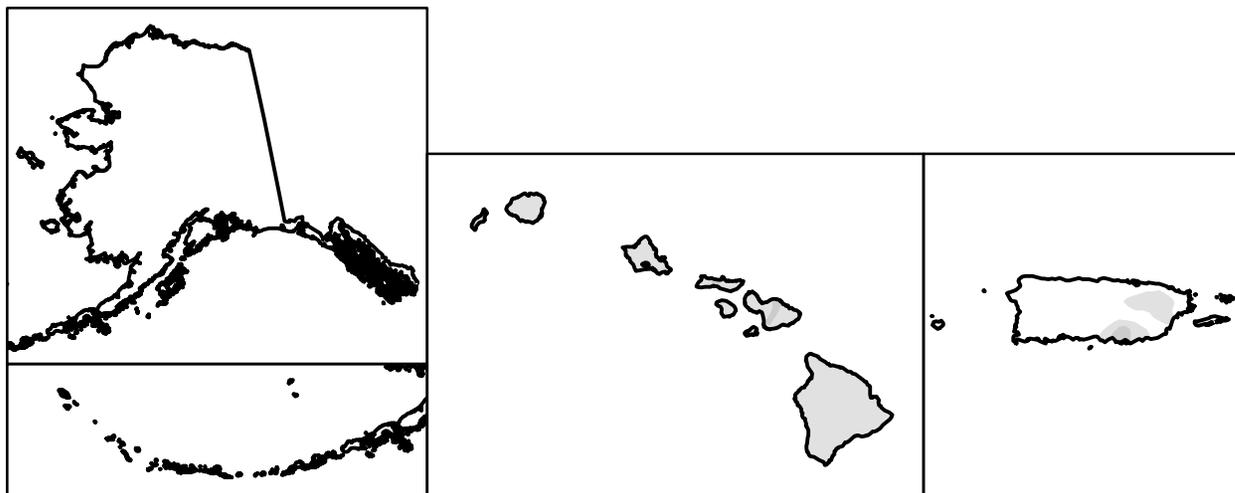
**Intensity:**



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