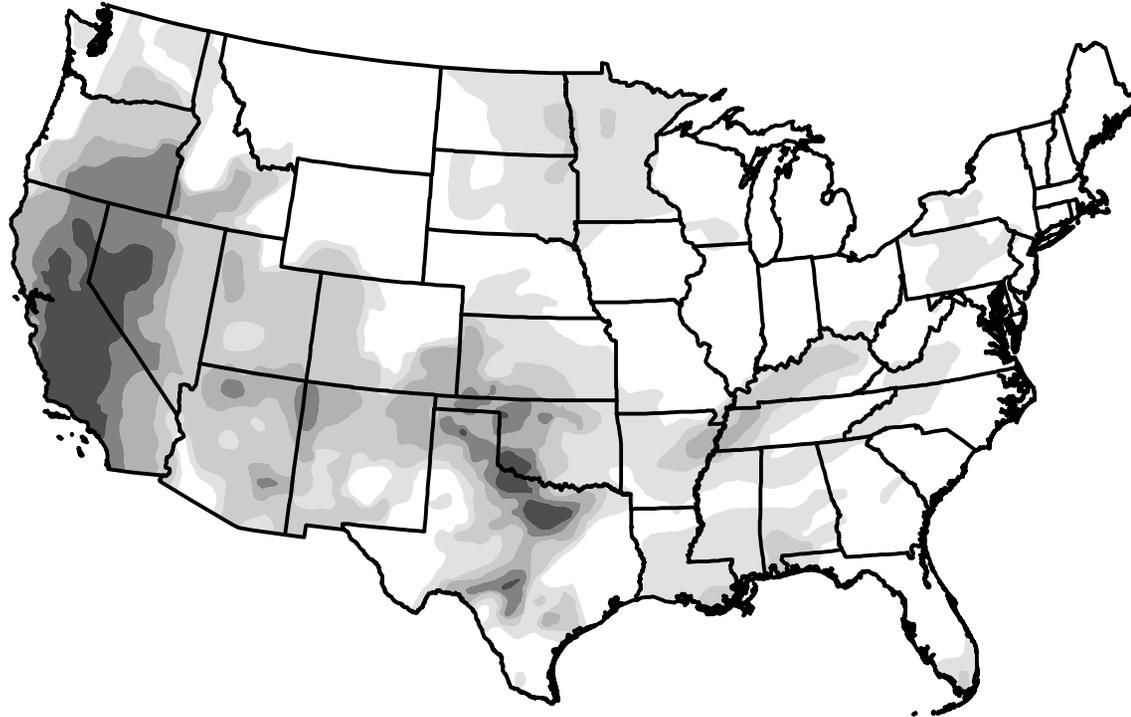


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U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	49.57	50.41	26.92	13.74	7.19	2.81
Last Week <i>02-10-2015</i>	55.96	44.02	24.31	13.52	7.09	2.73
3 Months Ago <i>11-18-2014</i>	60.53	39.46	24.61	14.31	7.37	3.17
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2014</i>	60.83	39.15	23.96	14.14	7.49	2.12
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2014</i>	59.88	40.10	25.54	15.59	7.86	3.22
One Year Ago <i>02-18-2014</i>	53.44	46.55	29.96	17.77	6.06	0.95

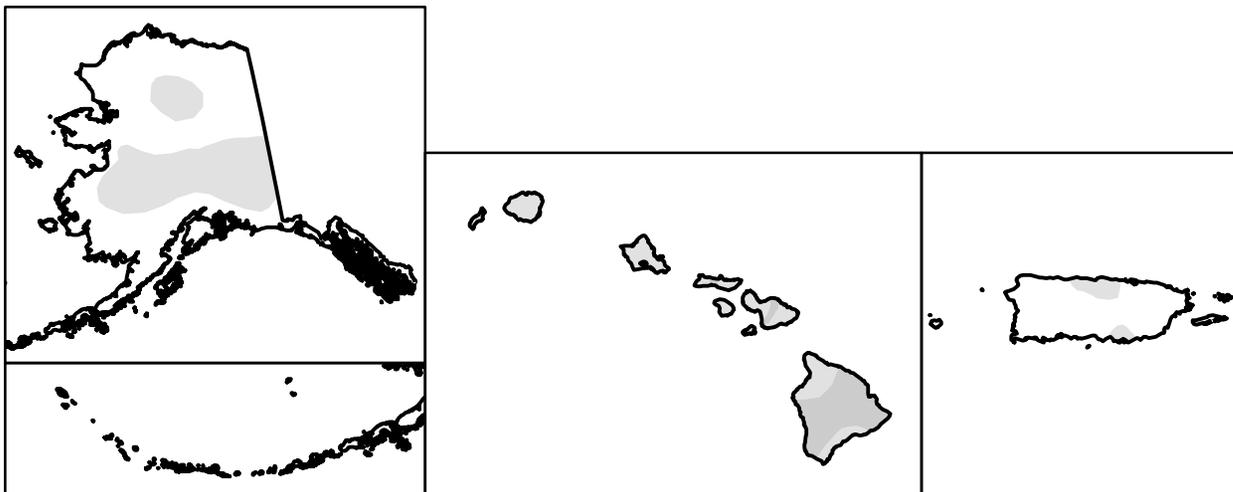
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