

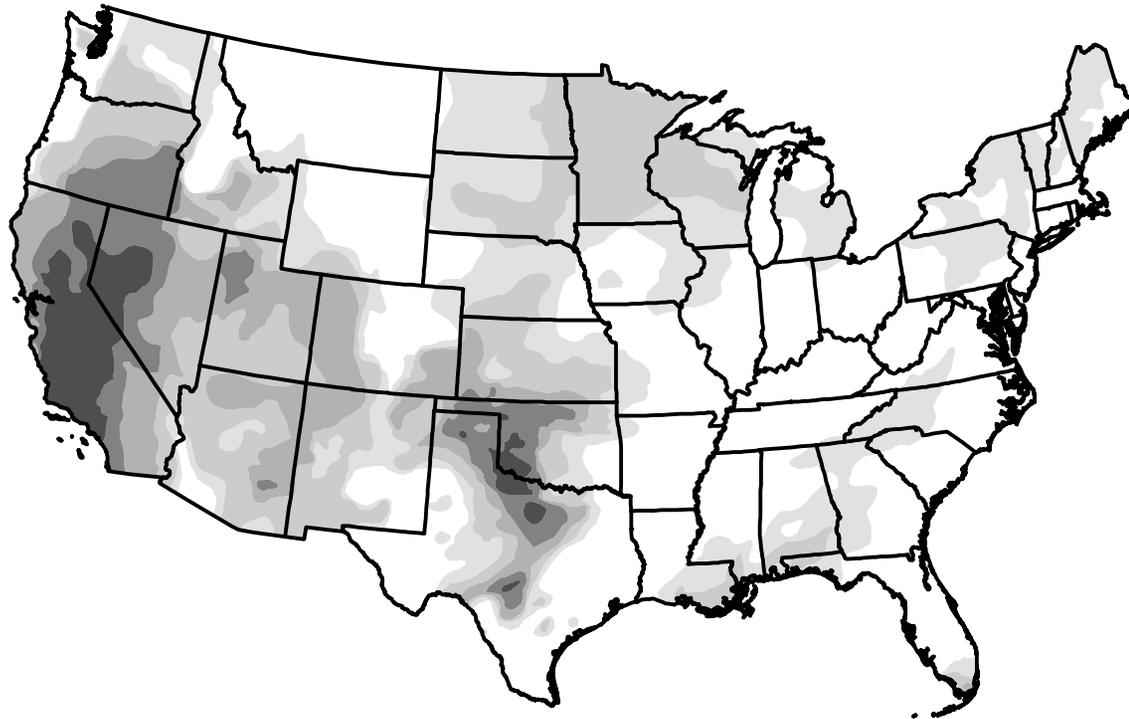
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**March 31, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Apr. 2, 2015)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	46.03	53.96	30.82	15.54	7.49	2.79
<b>Last Week</b> <i>03-24-2015</i>	48.67	51.32	28.93	14.18	7.36	2.79
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	60.83	39.15	23.96	14.14	7.49	2.12
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	60.83	39.15	23.96	14.14	7.49	2.12
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-30-2014</i>	59.88	40.10	25.54	15.59	7.86	3.22
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-01-2014</i>	55.30	44.69	32.08	20.15	8.19	1.82



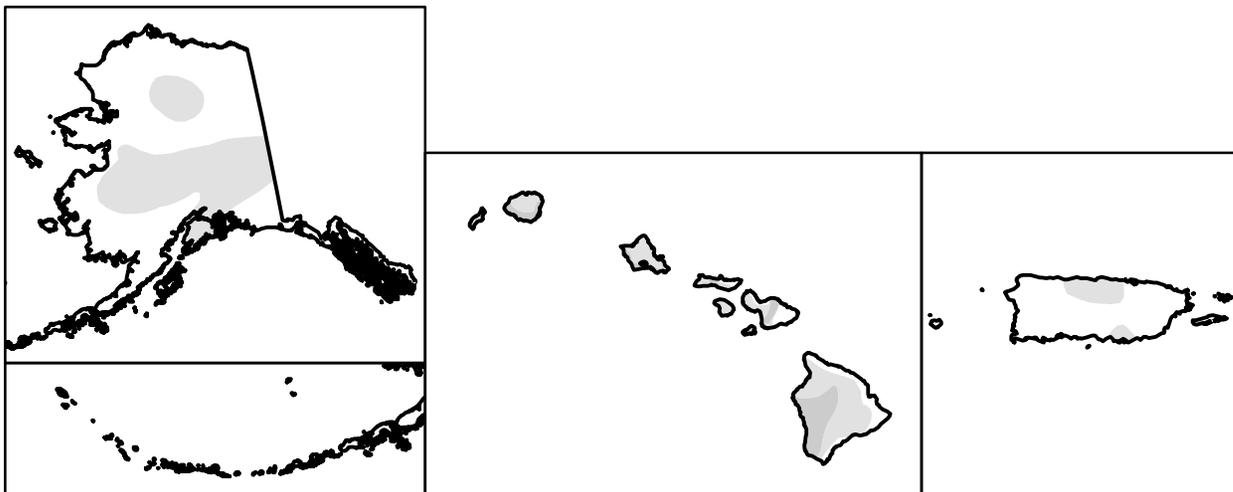
**Intensity:**



*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>*

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