

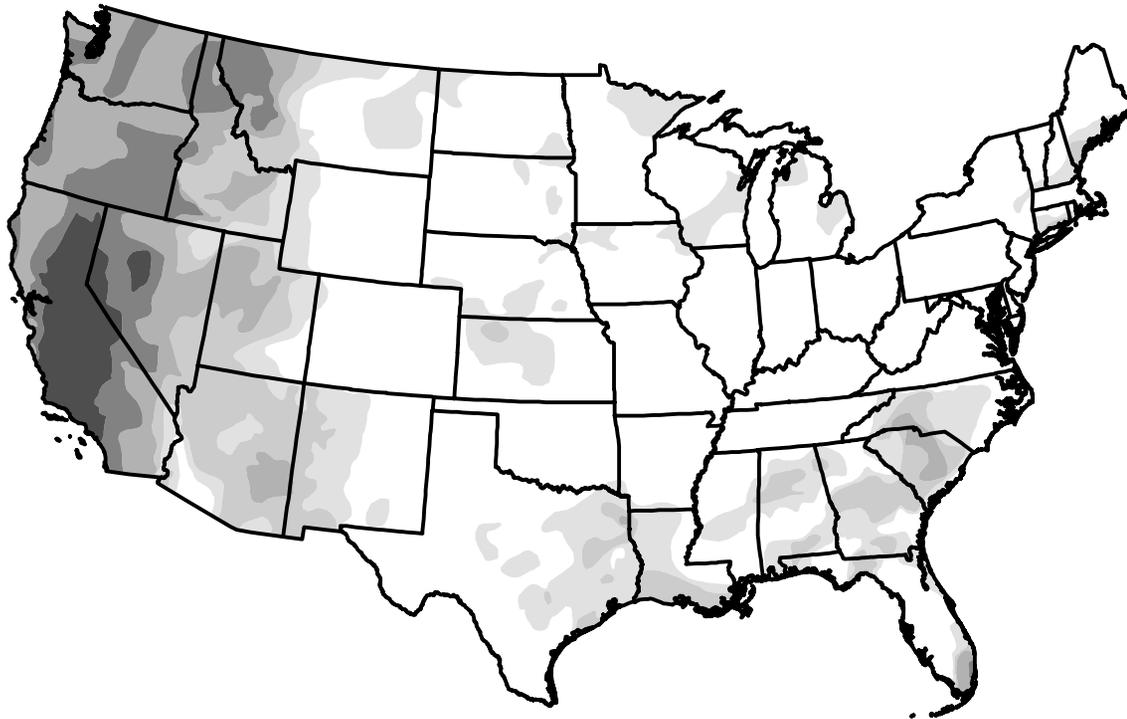
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**August 4, 2015**  
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 6, 2015)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

|  | None  | D0-D4 | D1-D4 | D2-D4 | D3-D4 | D4   |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| <b>Current</b>                                     | 52.97 | 47.02 | 26.01 | 14.62 | 7.37  | 2.36 |
| <b>Last Week</b><br><i>07-28-2015</i>              | 55.80 | 44.18 | 24.81 | 14.38 | 7.36  | 2.36 |
| <b>3 Months Ago</b><br><i>05-05-2015</i>           | 49.38 | 50.61 | 31.61 | 17.01 | 6.57  | 2.83 |
| <b>Start of Calendar Year</b><br><i>12-30-2014</i> | 60.83 | 39.15 | 23.96 | 14.14 | 7.49  | 2.12 |
| <b>Start of Water Year</b><br><i>09-30-2014</i>    | 59.88 | 40.10 | 25.54 | 15.59 | 7.86  | 3.22 |
| <b>One Year Ago</b><br><i>08-05-2014</i>           | 60.18 | 39.81 | 28.36 | 18.54 | 8.52  | 3.21 |



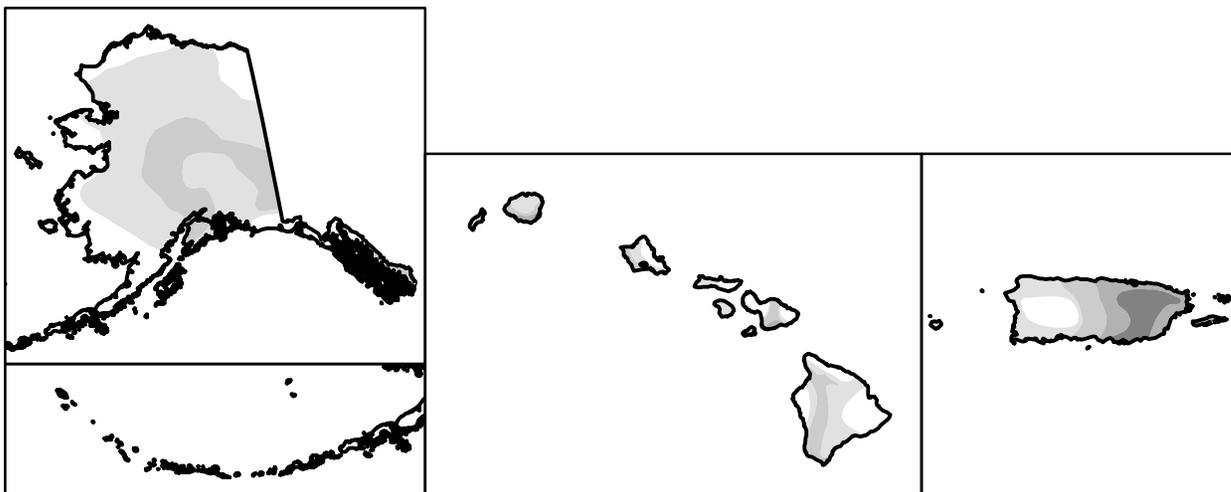
**Intensity:**



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