

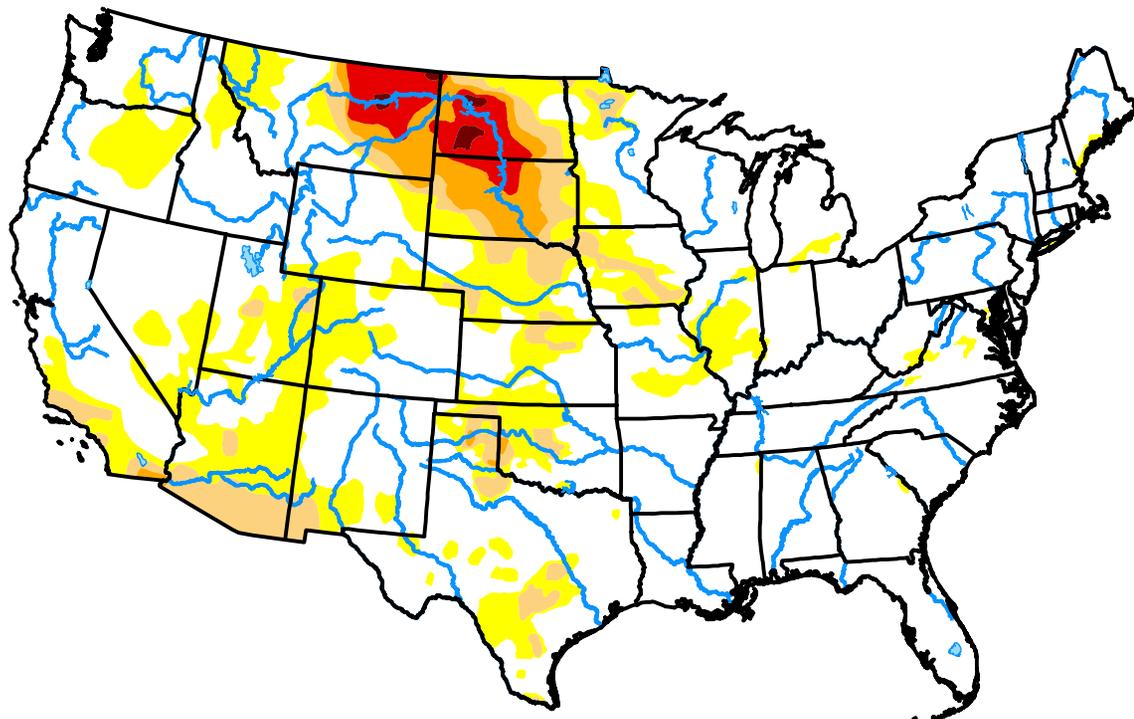
# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**July 18, 2017**  
 (Released Thursday, Jul. 20, 2017)  
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	68.82	21.15	6.04	2.06	1.74	0.19
<b>Last Week</b> <i>07-11-2017</i>	75.54	15.36	5.50	1.77	1.83	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>04-18-2017</i>	71.96	21.12	5.67	1.16	0.07	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2017</i>	59.70	21.46	11.62	4.58	1.82	0.80
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2016</i>	61.21	22.94	9.08	4.09	1.71	0.97
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>07-19-2016</i>	55.45	28.79	10.06	3.29	1.46	0.92



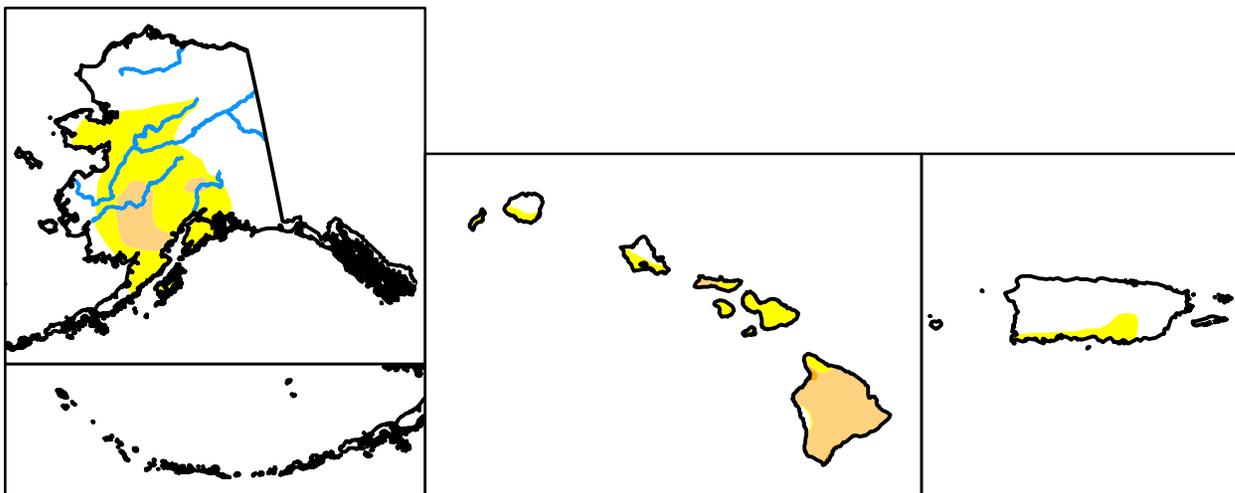
**Intensity:**



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