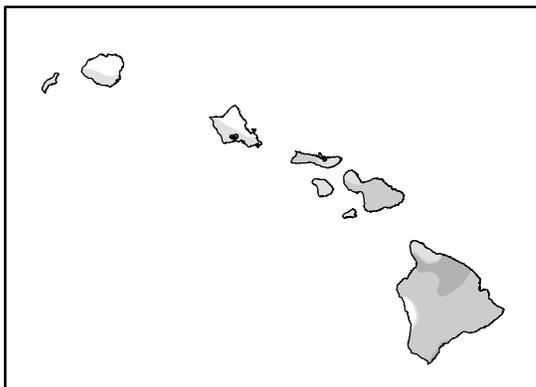
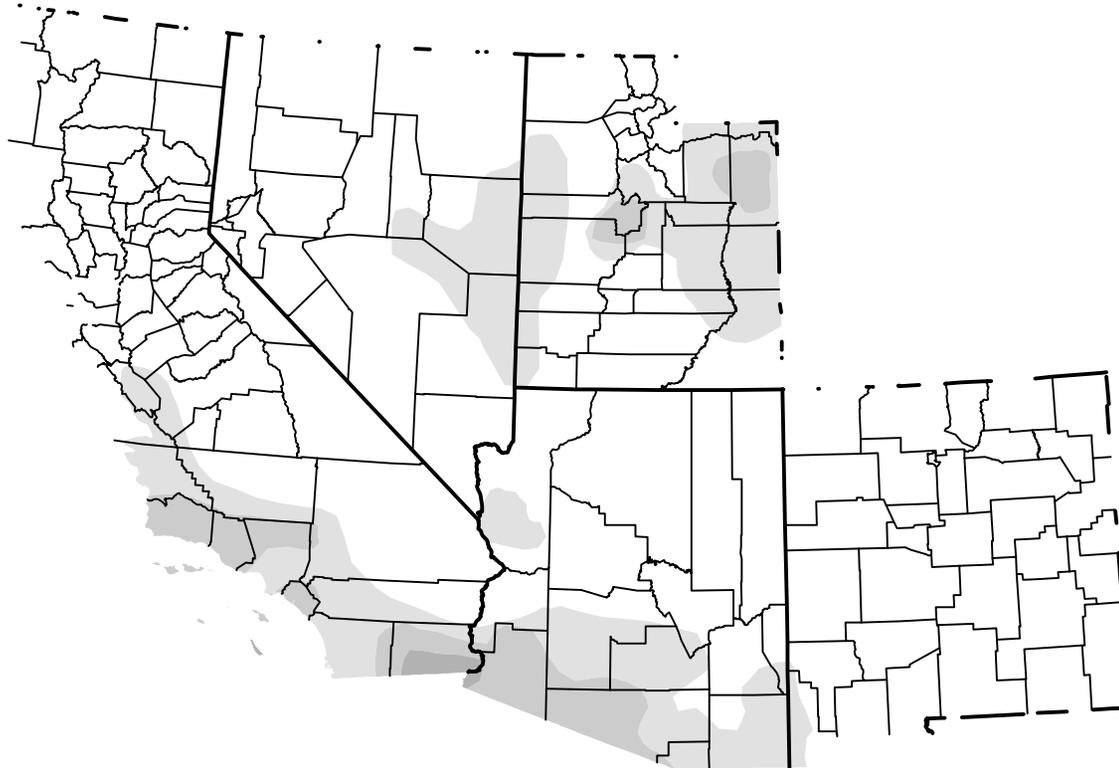


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## USDA Southwest Climate Hub

**August 8, 2017**  
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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	77.83	16.33	5.39	0.45	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-03-2017</i>	75.89	18.27	5.39	0.45	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-11-2017</i>	77.37	13.75	8.45	0.43	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-05-2017</i>	40.36	27.91	15.35	6.21	5.31	4.86
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2016</i>	22.72	36.90	18.67	10.30	5.83	5.59
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-11-2016</i>	14.17	37.19	28.17	9.06	5.83	5.59

***Intensity:***

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

*The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.*

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