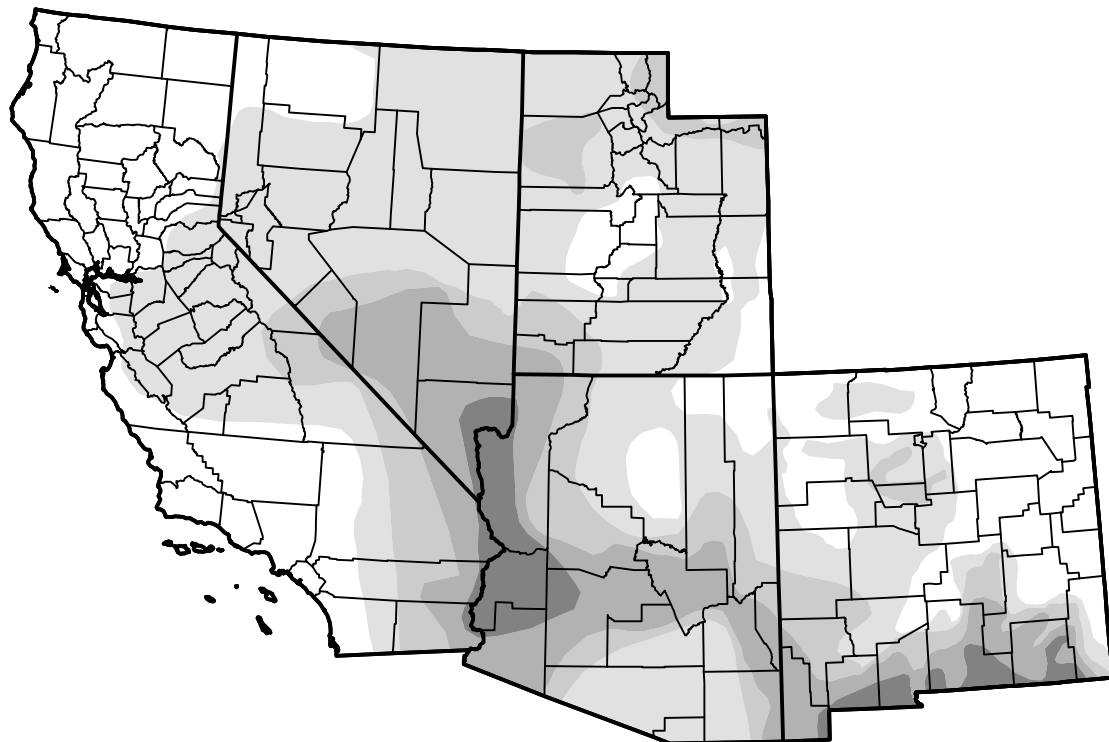


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

December 3, 2024
 (Released Thursday, Dec. 5, 2024)
 Valid 7 a.m. EST



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	31.24	68.76	29.34	16.24	3.95	0.00
Last Week <i>11-26-2024</i>	25.70	74.30	29.00	16.24	3.95	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-03-2024</i>	22.75	77.25	23.84	4.67	0.94	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2024</i>	54.68	45.32	31.32	22.64	8.94	1.32
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2024</i>	21.92	78.08	25.07	4.54	0.57	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-05-2023</i>	55.31	44.69	33.20	24.76	9.95	1.32

Note: Statistics do not include areas represented by points.

Intensity:



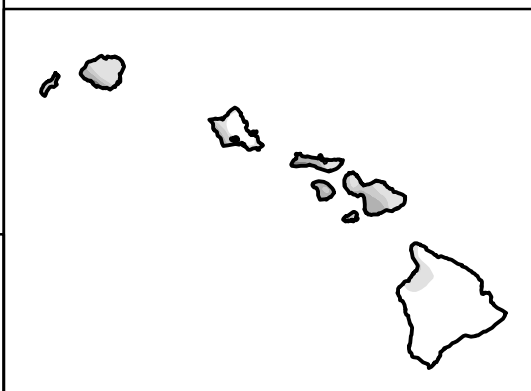
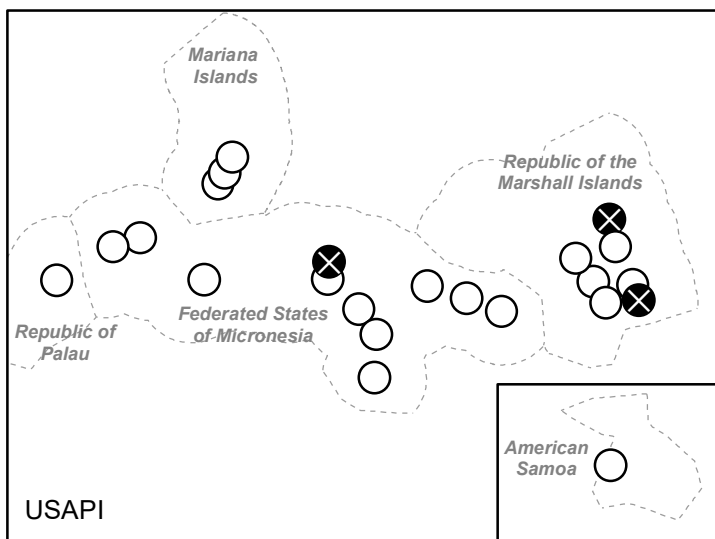
The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

U.S. and Puerto Rico Author:

David Simeral
 Western Regional Climate Center

Pacific Islands and Virgin Islands Author:

Denise Gutzmer
 National Drought Mitigation Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu