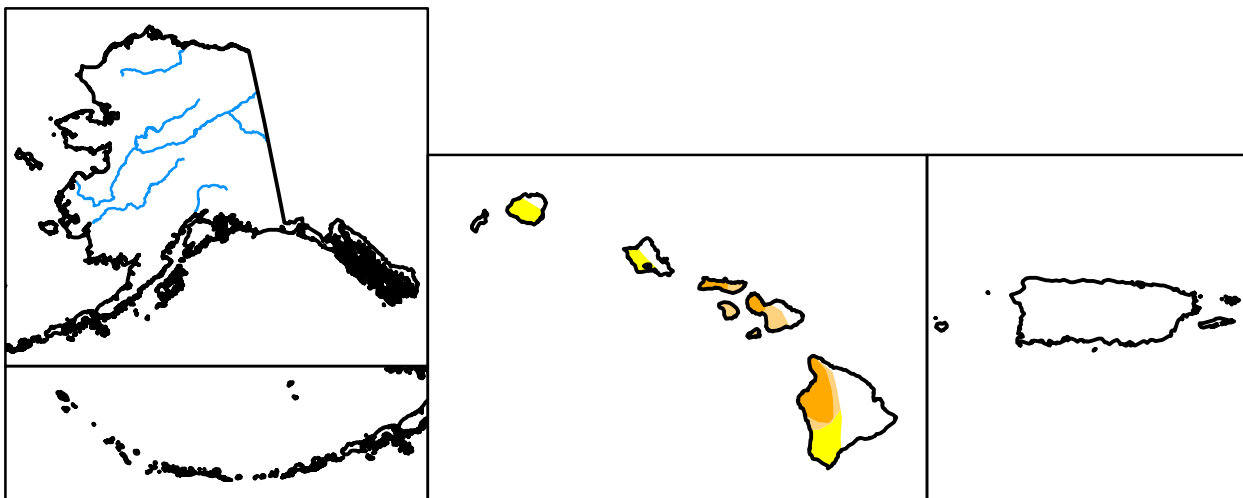
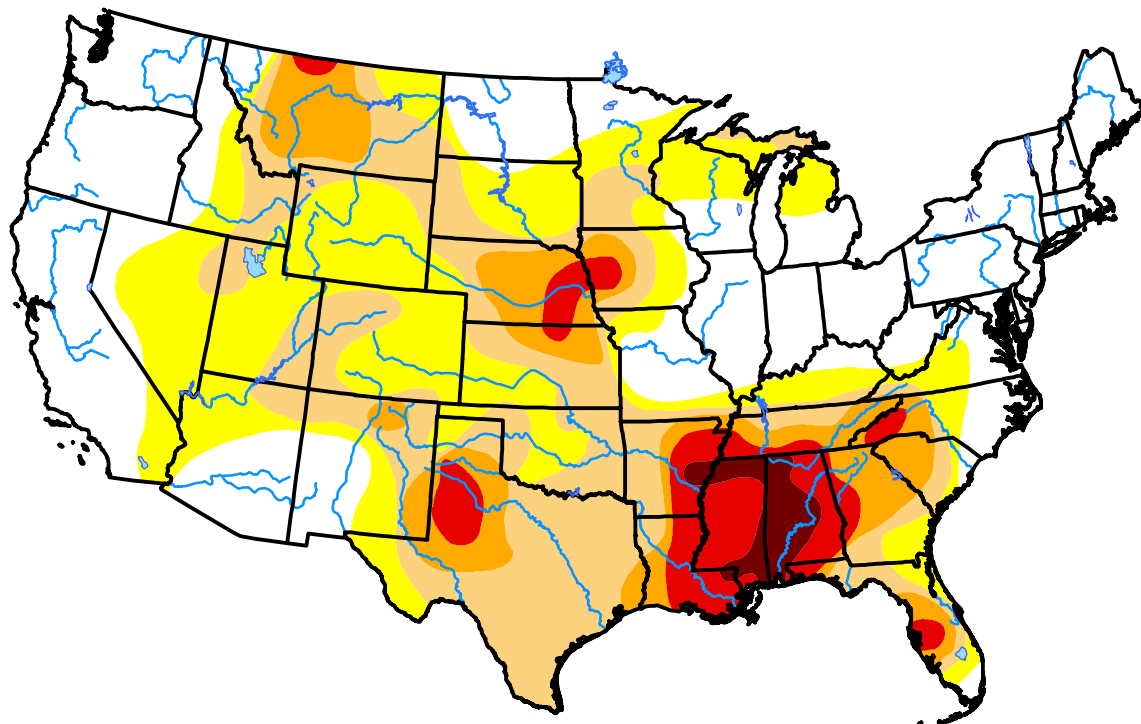


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	46.23	53.76	32.84	14.42	6.42	1.41
Last Week <i>10-19-2000</i>	49.92	50.07	34.29	18.59	5.92	0.87
3 Months Ago <i>07-27-2000</i>	56.80	43.19	19.24	7.88	4.36	2.16
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2000</i>	57.28	42.71	19.61	7.89	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2000</i>	51.57	48.42	32.08	20.06	5.76	0.62
One Year Ago	-	-	-	-	-	-

Intensity:

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

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