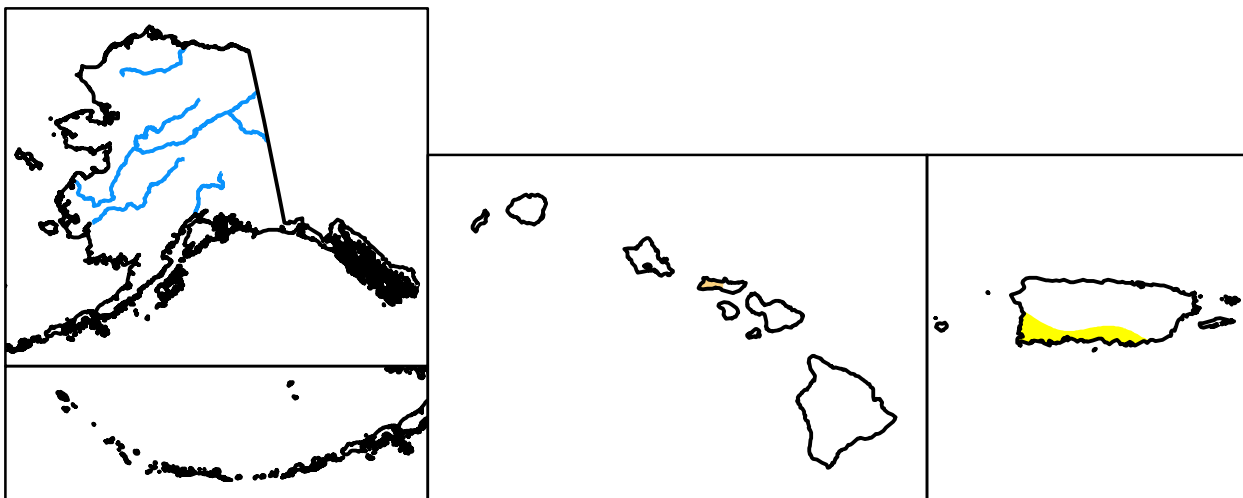
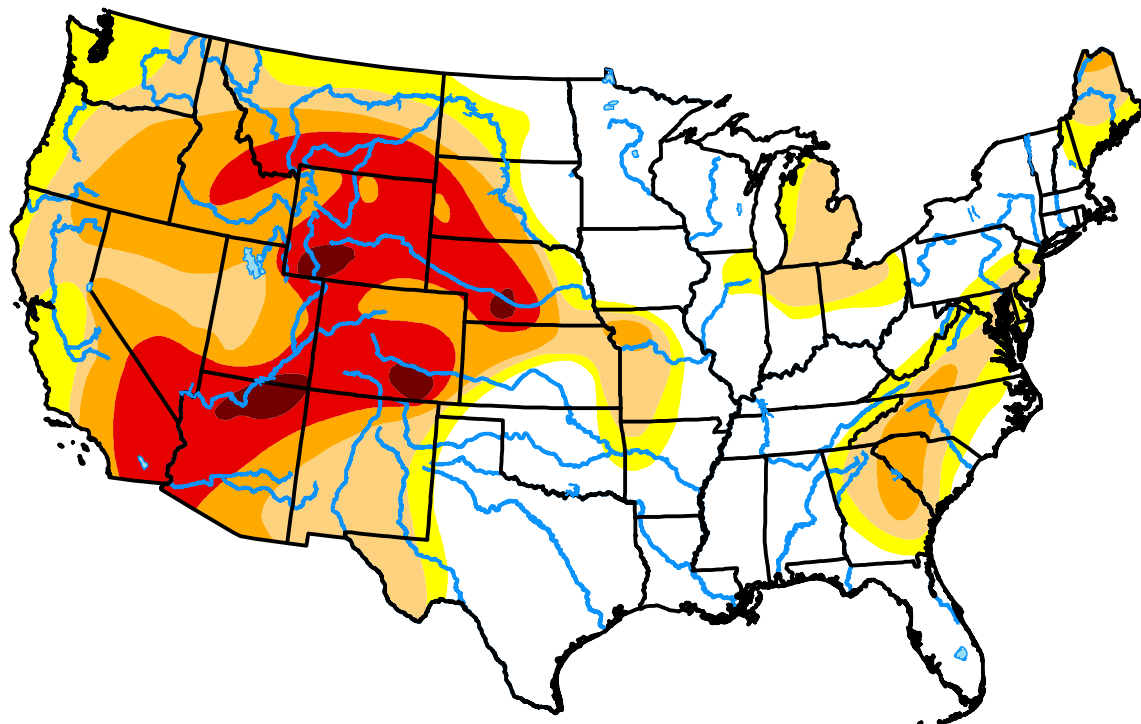


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	49.13	10.63	15.04	12.87	11.21	1.11
Last Week <i>10-29-2002</i>	49.03	11.86	14.31	12.17	11.49	1.13
3 Months Ago <i>08-06-2002</i>	34.10	24.04	11.95	10.49	13.57	5.83
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2002</i>	55.28	14.09	11.65	11.66	7.31	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2002</i>	40.72	18.67	12.70	12.99	12.28	2.62
One Year Ago <i>11-06-2001</i>	51.45	17.38	12.50	9.12	9.53	0.00

Intensity:

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

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>

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