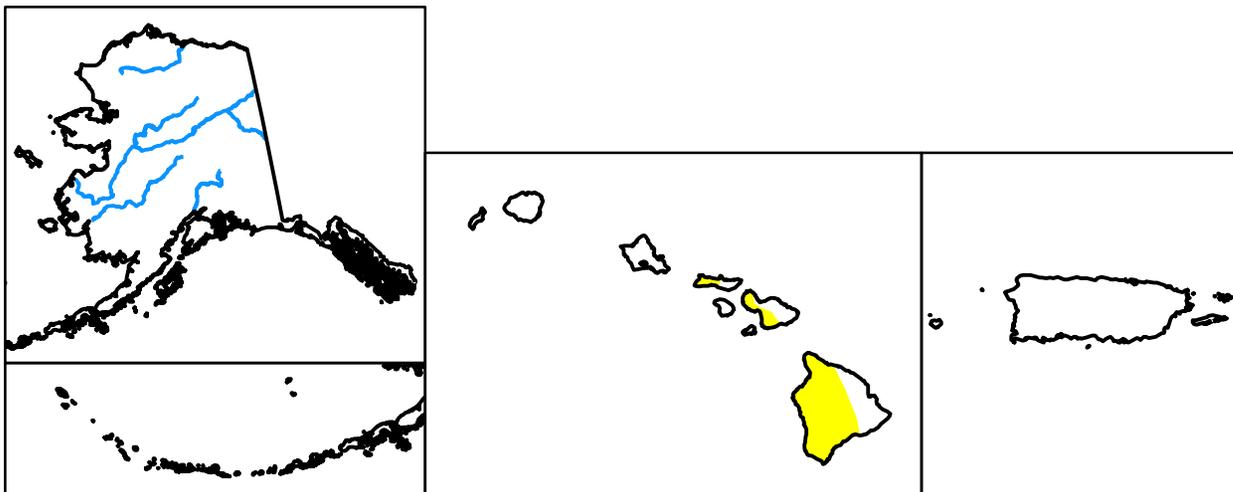
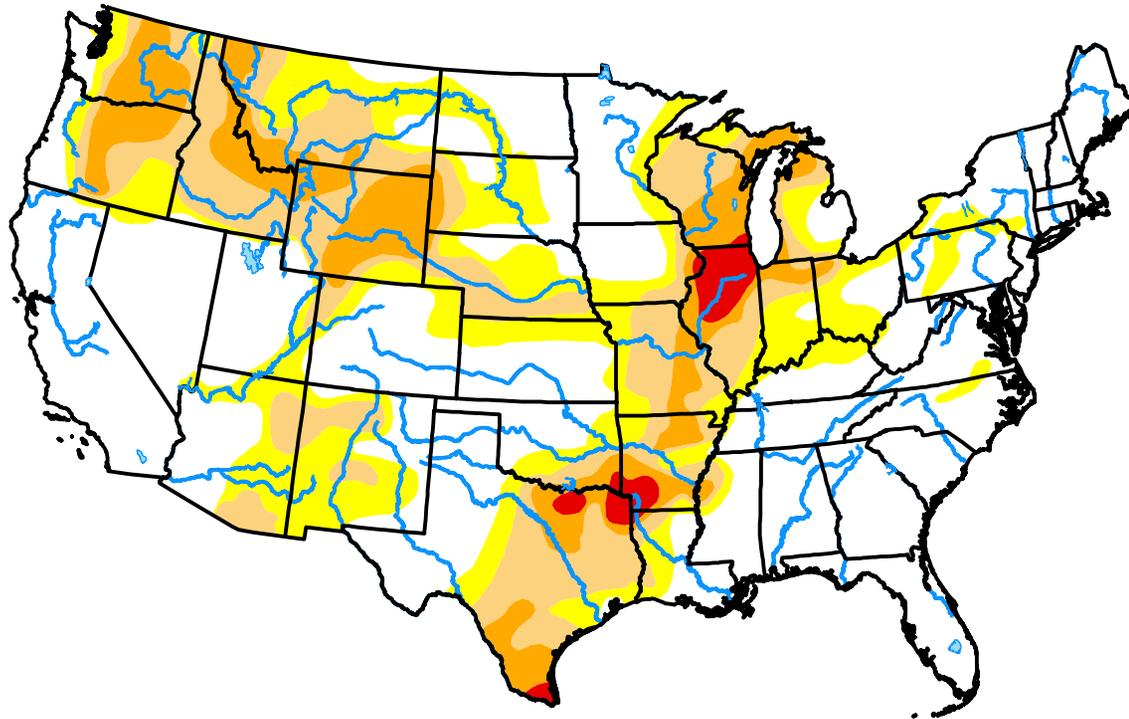


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	59.72	40.27	23.69	9.91	1.25	0.00
Last Week <i>07-12-2005</i>	62.06	37.93	22.09	8.76	1.15	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-19-2005</i>	70.12	29.87	18.52	11.69	4.82	1.28
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	69.08	30.91	21.42	12.86	4.94	0.64
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	60.74	39.25	25.49	18.23	8.10	0.78
One Year Ago <i>07-20-2004</i>	54.73	45.26	28.73	20.19	8.87	1.19

Intensity:



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