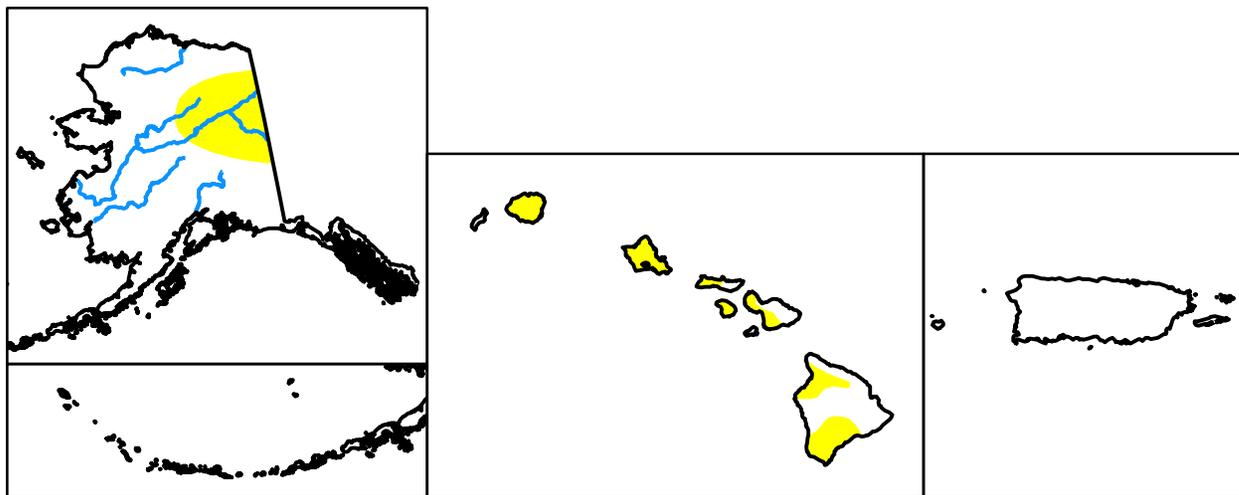
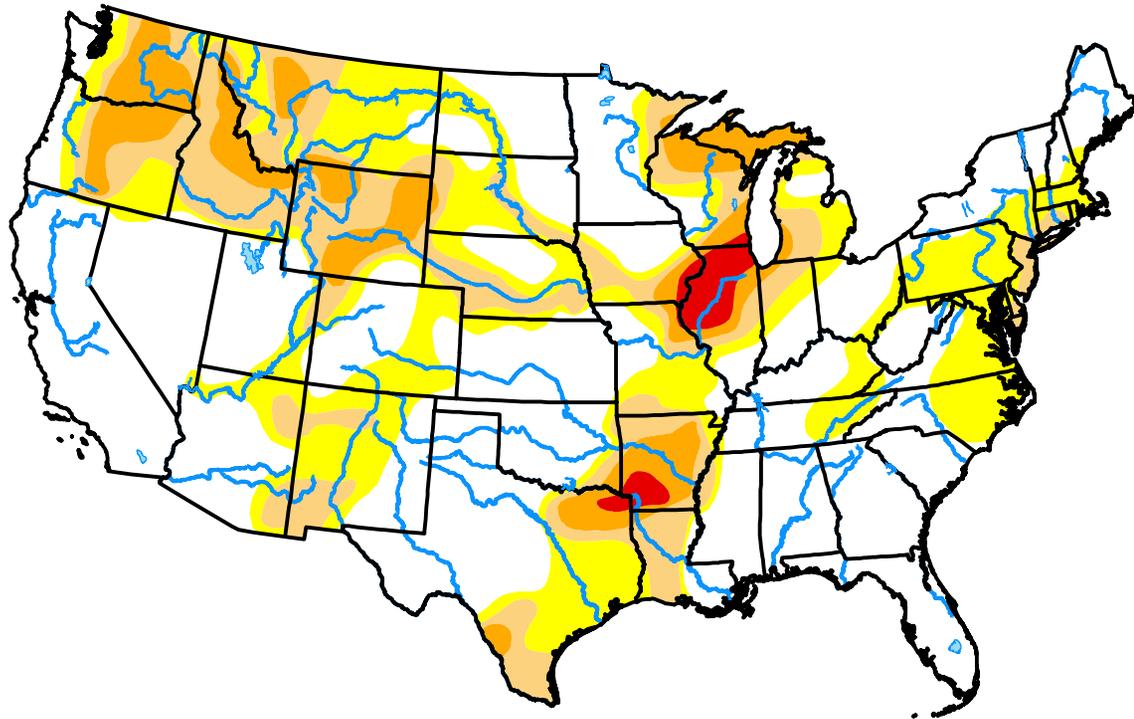


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	57.48	22.04	12.22	7.09	1.16	0.00
Last Week <i>09-06-2005</i>	60.48	20.98	10.59	6.99	0.95	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>06-14-2005</i>	66.22	13.54	13.82	5.99	0.42	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2005</i>	69.08	9.49	8.56	7.92	4.30	0.64
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	60.74	13.76	7.26	10.13	7.32	0.78
One Year Ago <i>09-14-2004</i>	59.32	14.81	7.33	9.95	7.77	0.81

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. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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