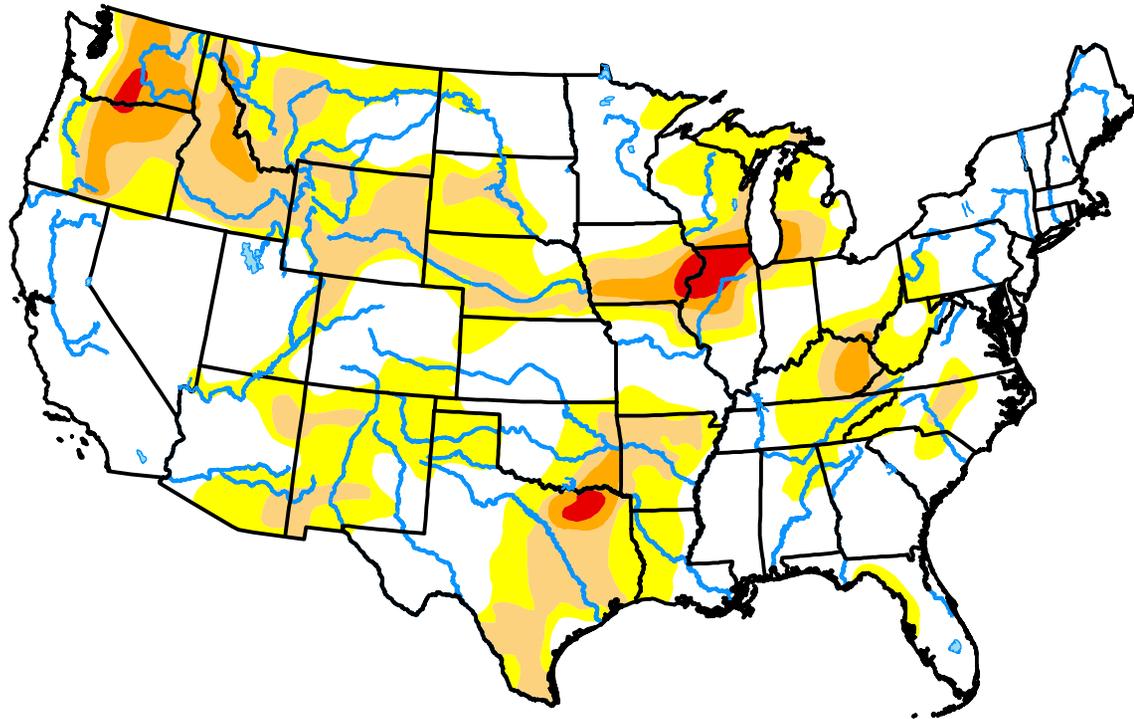


U.S. Drought Monitor

U.S. States and Puerto Rico

October 25, 2005
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|------|------|------|
| Current | 61.06 | 22.04 | 12.46 | 3.59 | 0.84 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>10-18-2005</i> | 64.30 | 20.19 | 11.23 | 3.60 | 0.67 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>07-26-2005</i> | 56.86 | 19.05 | 14.02 | 8.44 | 1.62 | 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>09-27-2005</i> | 59.56 | 20.61 | 13.81 | 5.38 | 0.62 | 0.00 |
| One Year Ago <i>10-26-2004</i> | 61.80 | 13.31 | 8.80 | 9.11 | 6.18 | 0.78 |

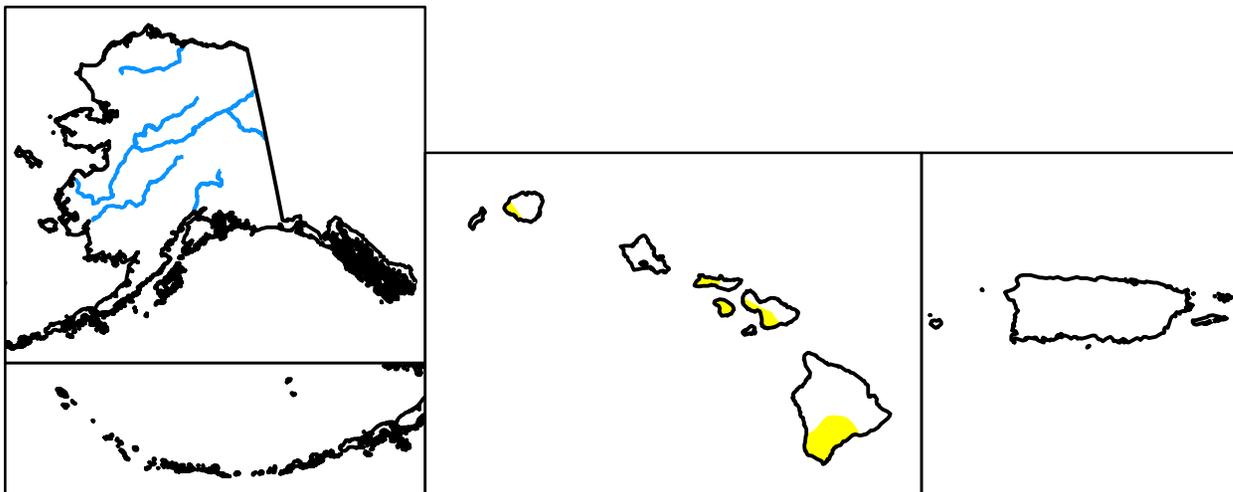
Intensity:



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