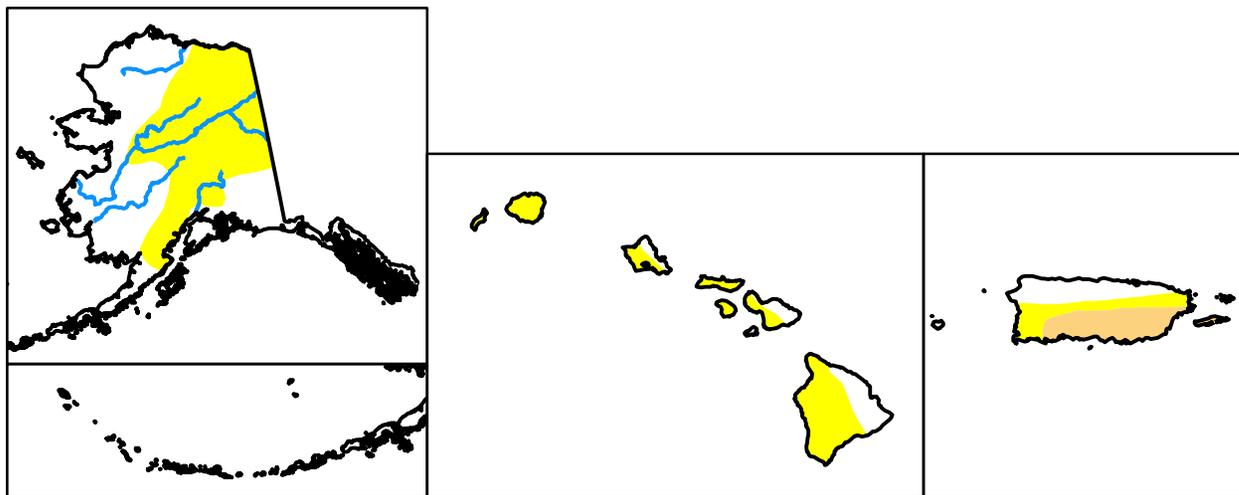
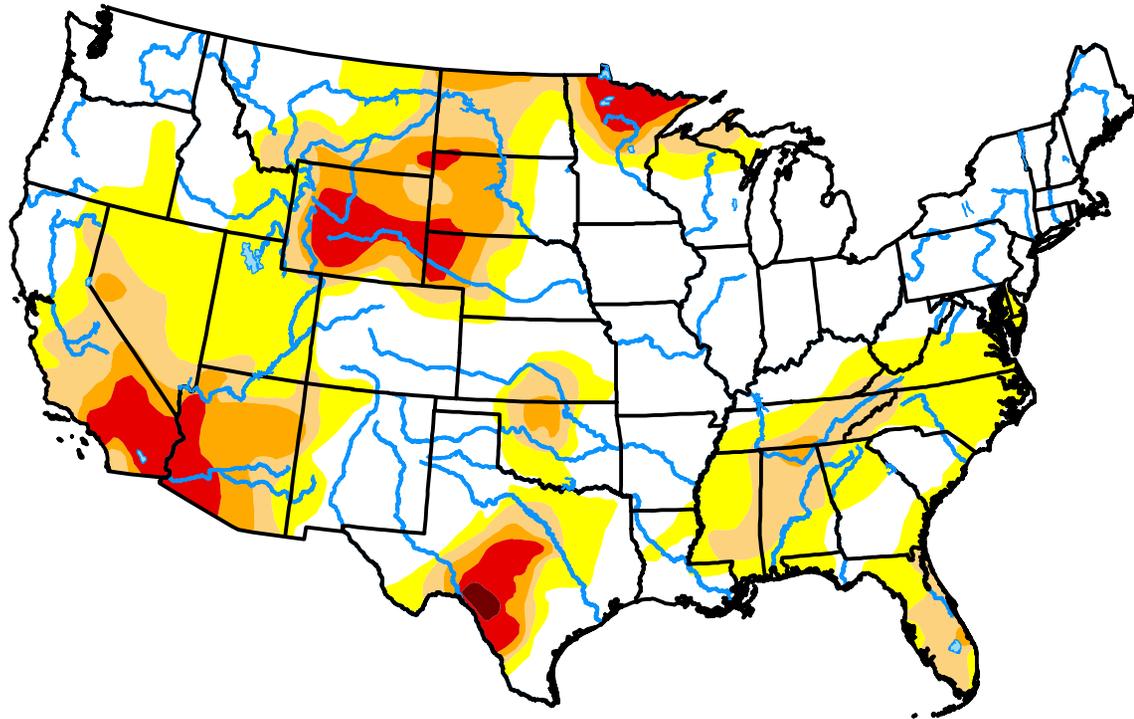


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	51.72	48.26	22.11	10.97	4.57	0.15
Last Week <i>03-06-2007</i>	58.48	41.51	19.69	10.12	3.23	0.15
3 Months Ago <i>12-12-2006</i>	59.98	40.01	21.43	11.29	5.20	0.51
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2007</i>	53.55	46.44	21.41	10.54	4.95	0.28
Start of Water Year <i>09-26-2006</i>	54.01	45.98	27.52	13.62	5.52	0.12
One Year Ago <i>03-14-2006</i>	57.02	42.96	26.14	15.20	6.75	1.14

Intensity:



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