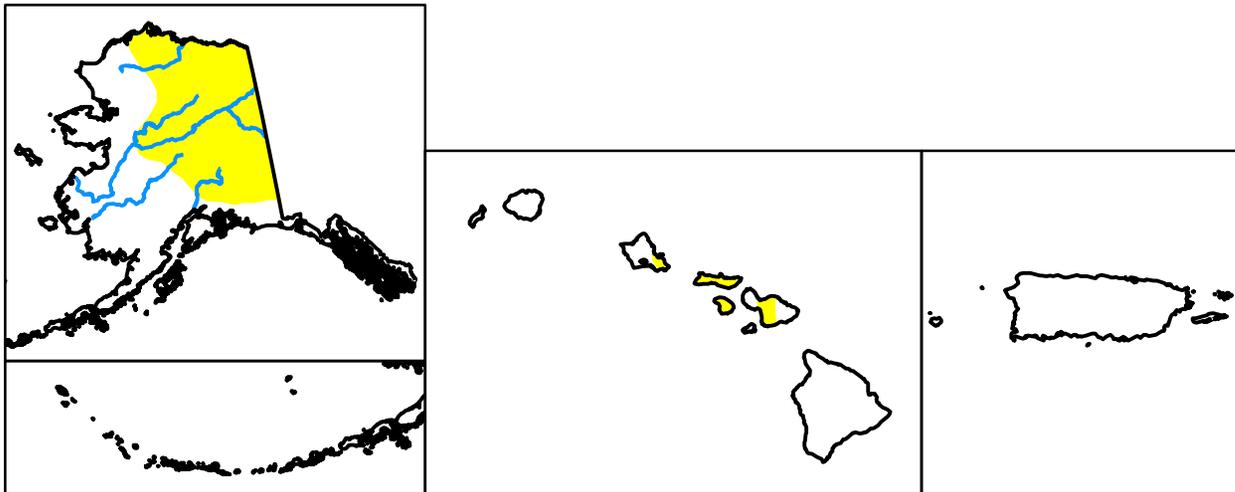
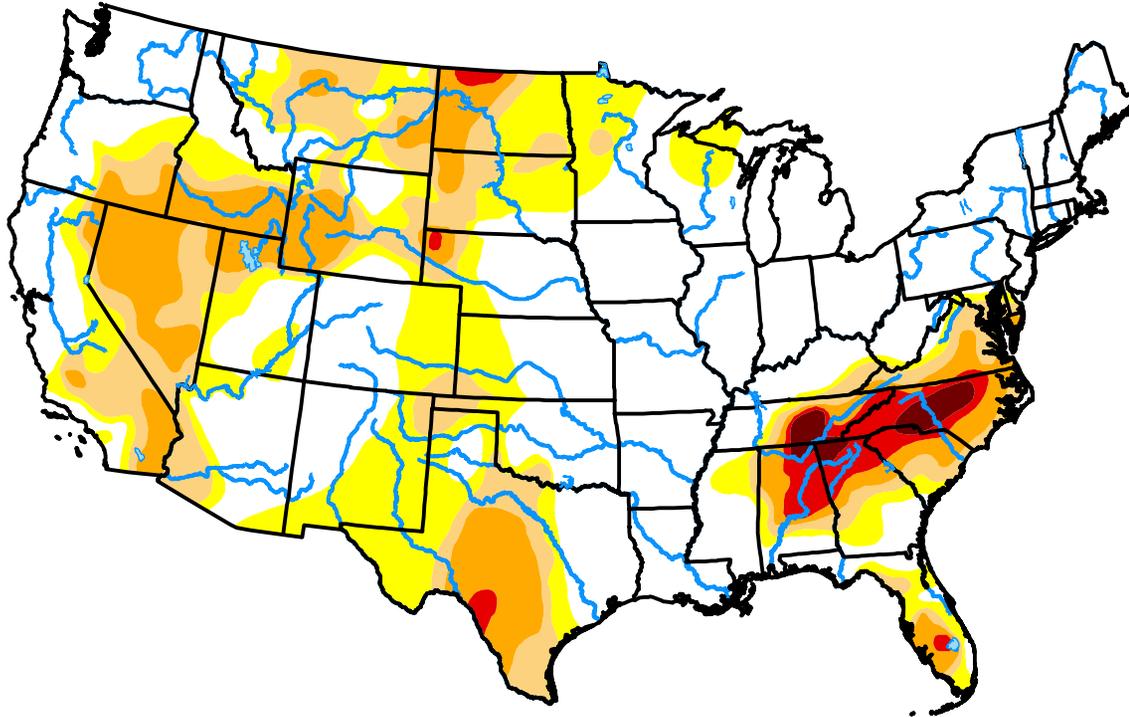


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**March 4, 2008**  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	52.91	47.08	23.77	12.75	2.74	0.75
<b>Last Week</b> <i>02-26-2008</i>	51.41	48.57	24.38	12.58	2.80	0.91
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>12-04-2007</i>	48.08	51.91	30.37	17.28	5.14	2.71
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-01-2008</i>	49.26	50.73	29.21	17.04	4.81	1.99
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-25-2007</i>	47.86	52.13	36.80	25.09	9.86	1.90
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>03-06-2007</i>	58.48	41.51	19.69	10.12	3.23	0.15

**Intensity:**



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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