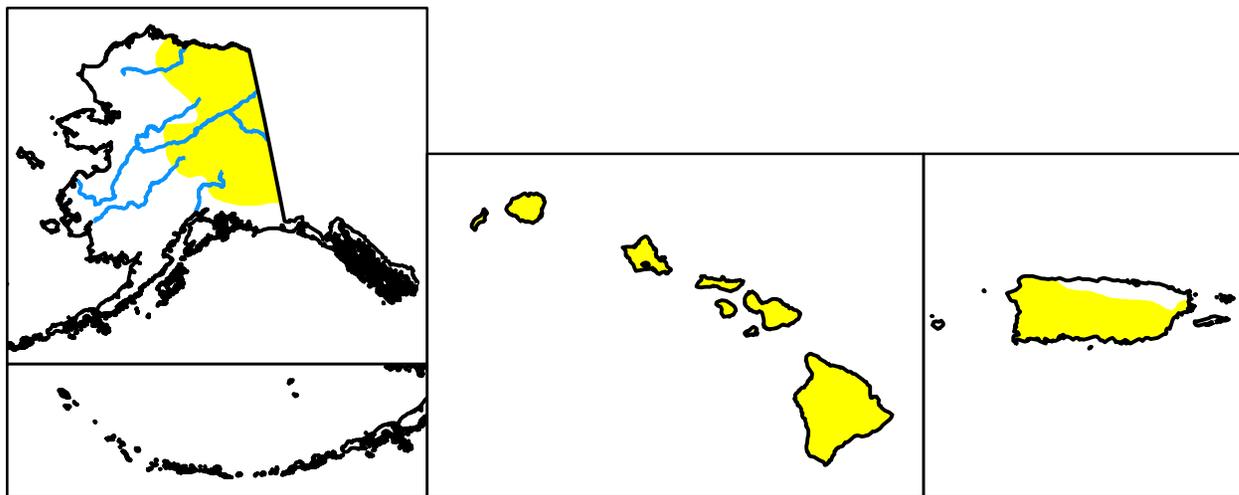
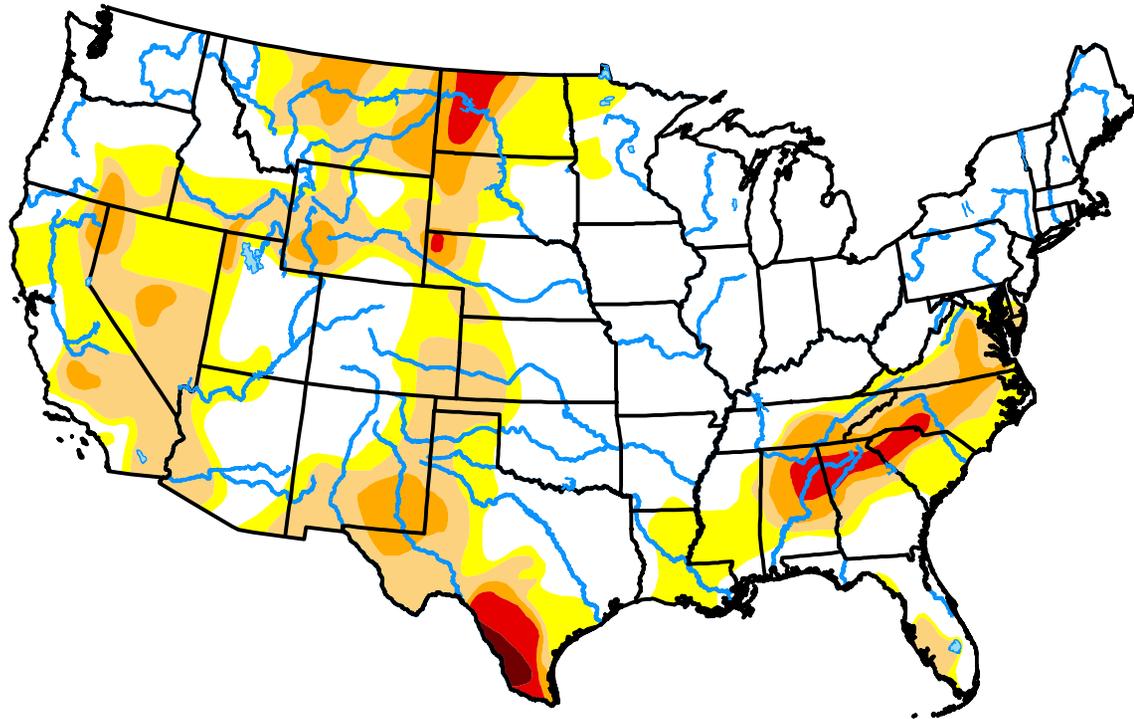


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	56.47	21.15	14.34	6.06	1.72	0.24
Last Week <i>04-08-2008</i>	55.89	21.85	15.57	4.49	2.19	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-15-2008</i>	46.72	23.46	13.79	12.32	1.89	1.82
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-01-2008</i>	49.26	21.52	12.17	12.23	2.82	1.99
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2007</i>	47.86	15.33	11.71	15.22	7.96	1.90
One Year Ago <i>04-17-2007</i>	53.97	19.78	15.14	8.22	2.88	0.00

Intensity:



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