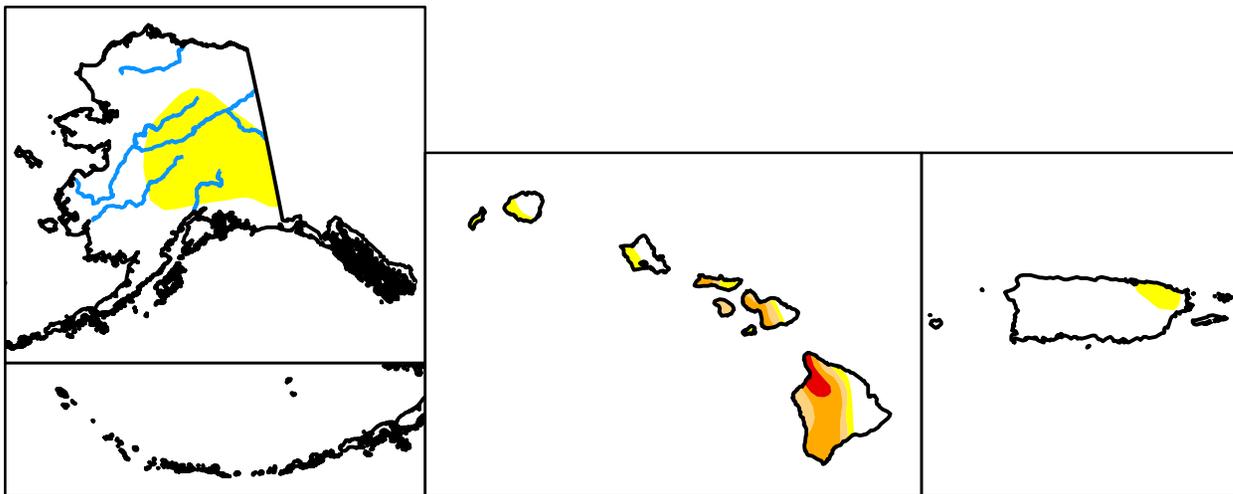
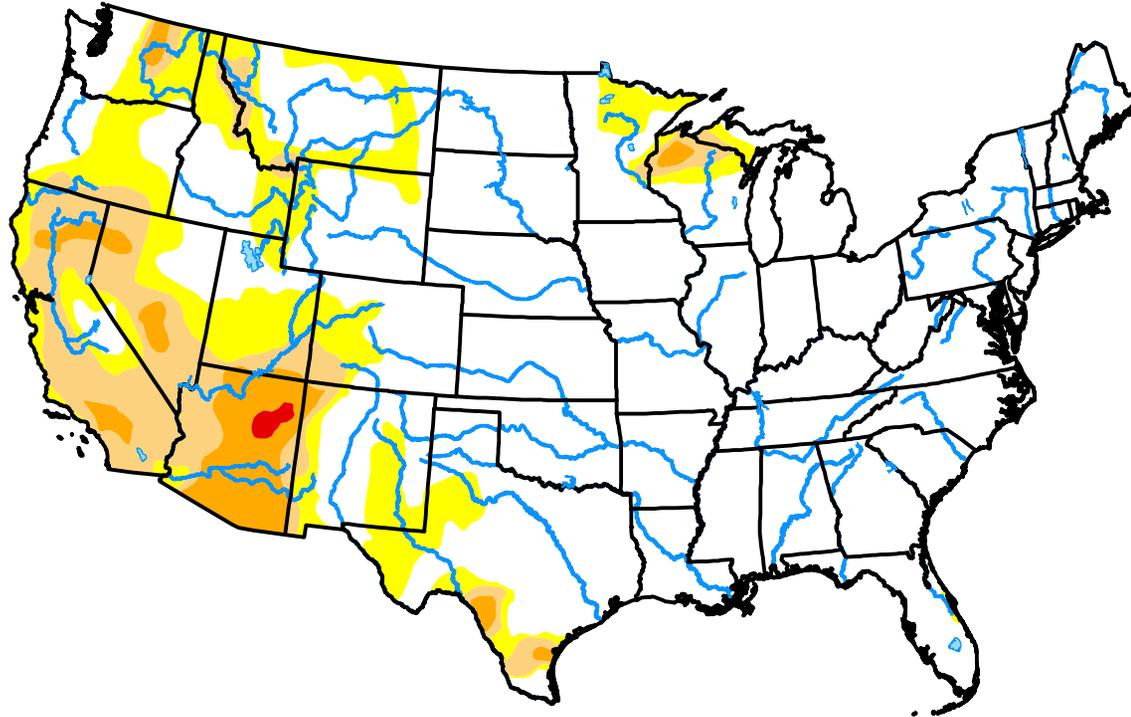


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U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	71.93	16.90	7.57	3.42	0.17	0.00
Last Week <i>12-29-2009</i>	71.93	17.60	6.86	3.42	0.17	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>10-06-2009</i>	70.14	17.58	7.46	4.17	0.52	0.11
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	71.93	17.60	6.86	3.42	0.17	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	68.40	18.98	7.38	4.13	0.86	0.23
One Year Ago <i>01-06-2009</i>	60.73	23.12	11.13	3.99	0.72	0.31

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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