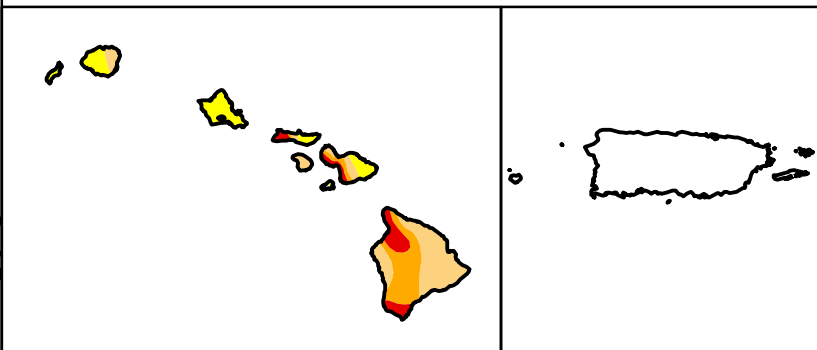
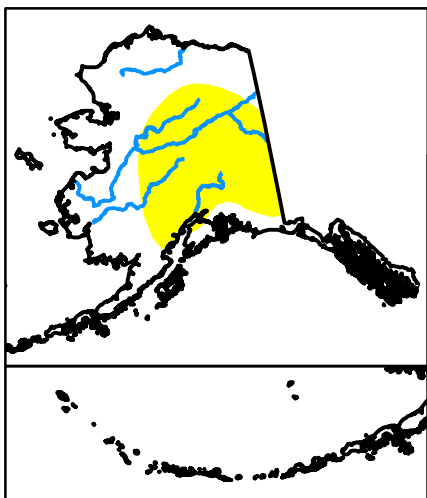
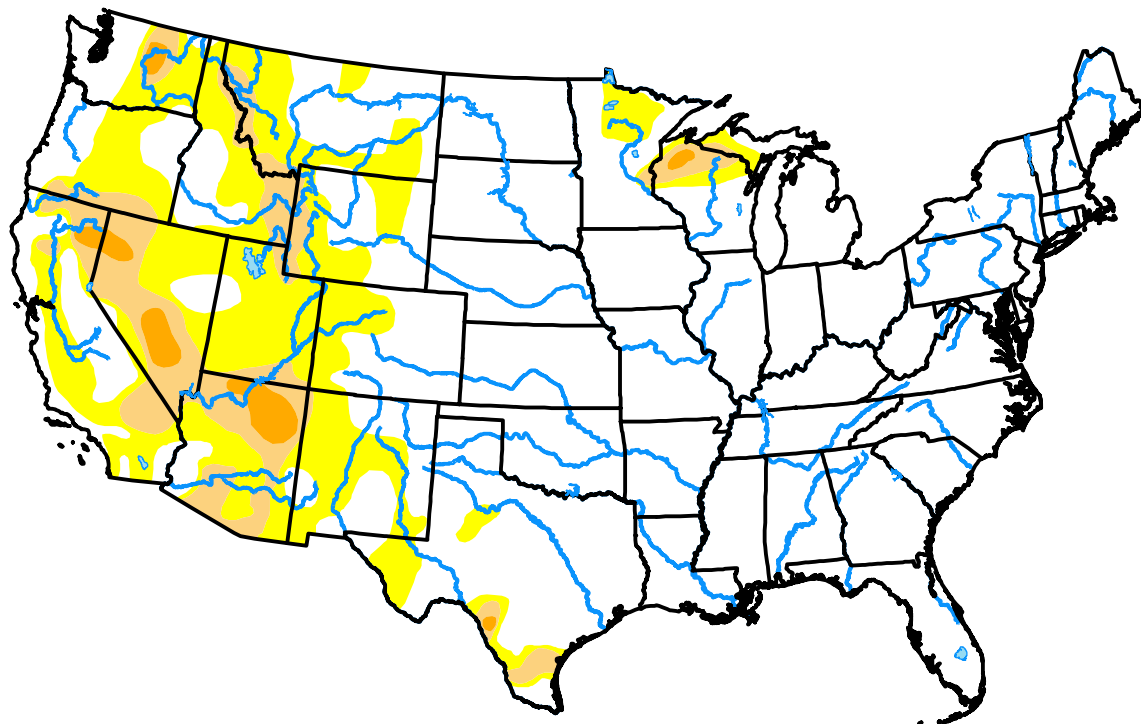


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U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	70.88	29.10	7.21	1.23	0.02	0.00
Last Week <i>01-26-2010</i>	70.19	29.80	7.75	1.40	0.13	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-03-2009</i>	77.85	22.13	10.70	3.84	0.40	0.07
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-29-2009</i>	71.93	28.06	10.46	3.59	0.17	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-29-2009</i>	68.40	31.59	12.61	5.22	1.09	0.23
One Year Ago <i>02-03-2009</i>	59.22	40.76	18.27	7.98	2.41	0.49

Intensity:



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