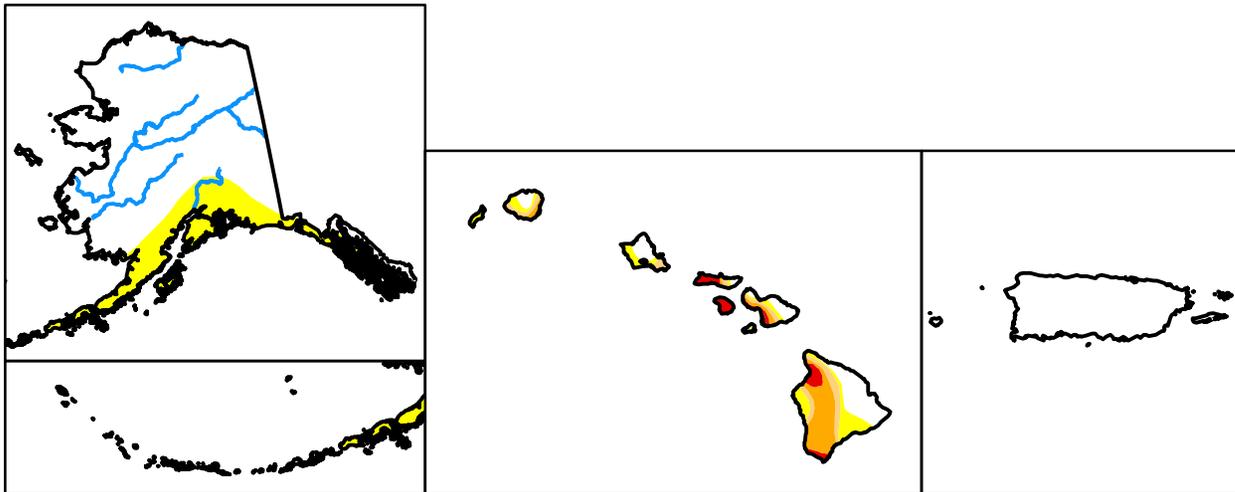
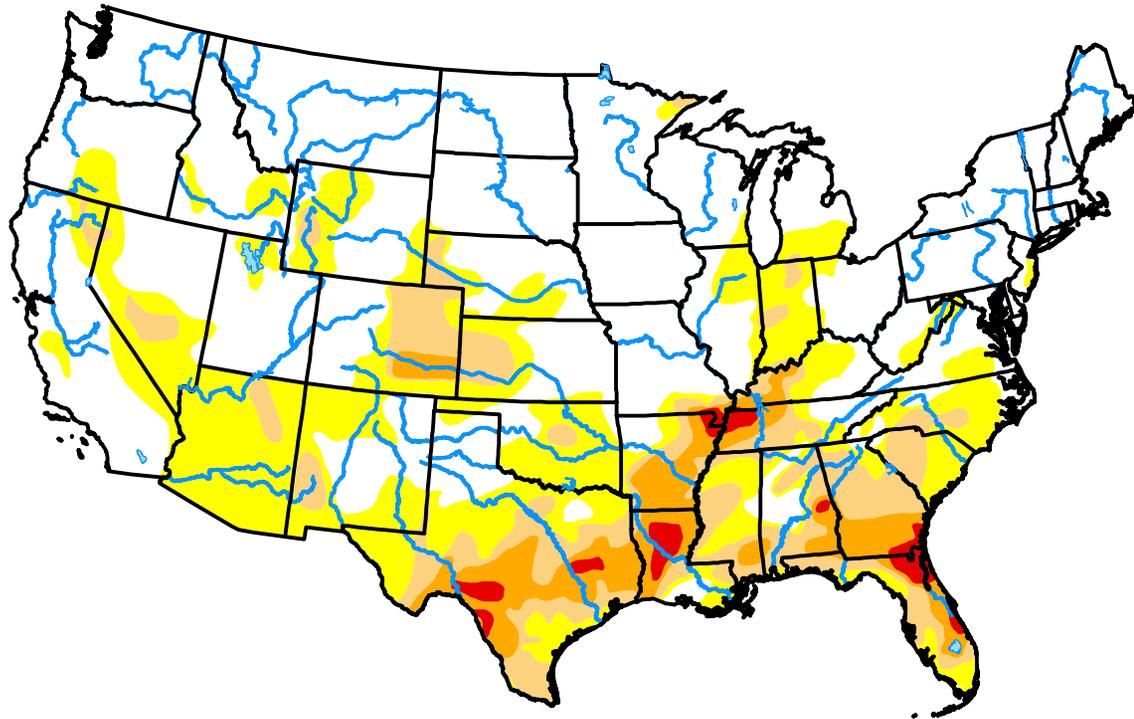


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U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	61.18	23.84	9.08	4.78	1.10	0.00
Last Week <i>11-30-2010</i>	61.11	24.86	8.91	4.42	0.68	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-07-2010</i>	72.53	19.67	6.18	1.37	0.23	0.01
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>09-28-2010</i>	61.92	26.95	8.46	2.36	0.30	0.01
One Year Ago <i>12-08-2009</i>	76.32	12.80	6.45	4.07	0.34	0.00

Intensity:



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