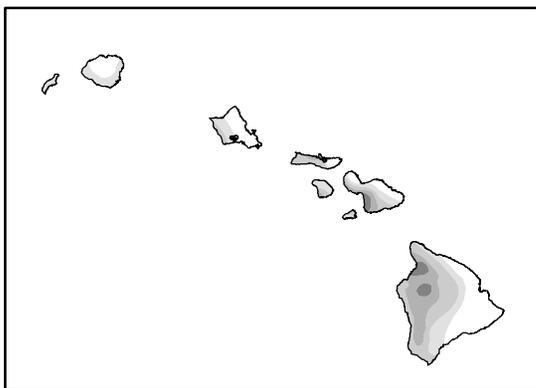
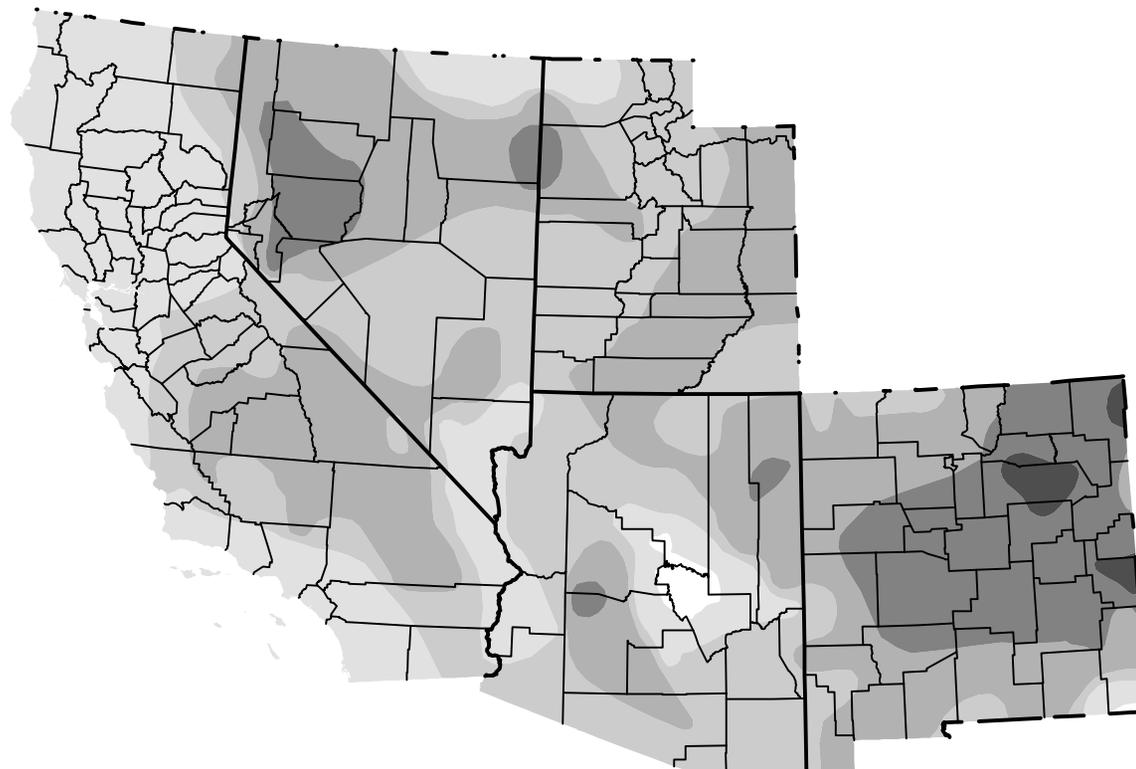


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USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.99	99.01	78.98	47.59	13.12	0.89
Last Week <i>03-28-2013</i>	0.99	99.01	79.00	47.68	13.13	0.89
3 Months Ago <i>01-03-2013</i>	8.61	91.39	86.03	53.71	14.38	0.20
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2013</i>	8.61	91.39	86.03	53.71	14.38	0.20
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2012</i>	3.42	96.58	91.28	47.35	12.19	0.13
One Year Ago <i>04-05-2012</i>	3.13	96.87	82.21	46.46	7.57	1.84

Intensity:



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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