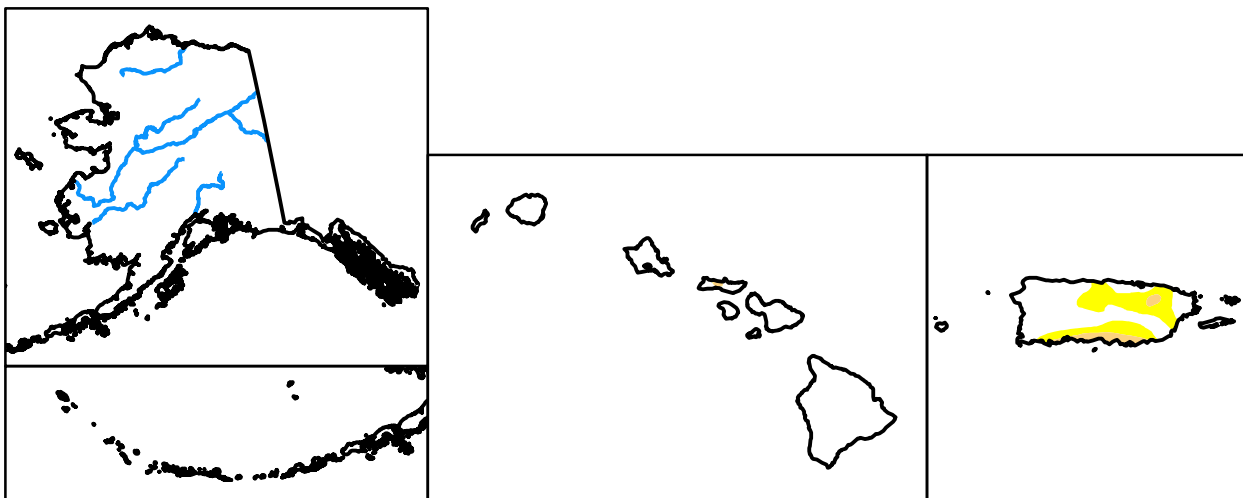
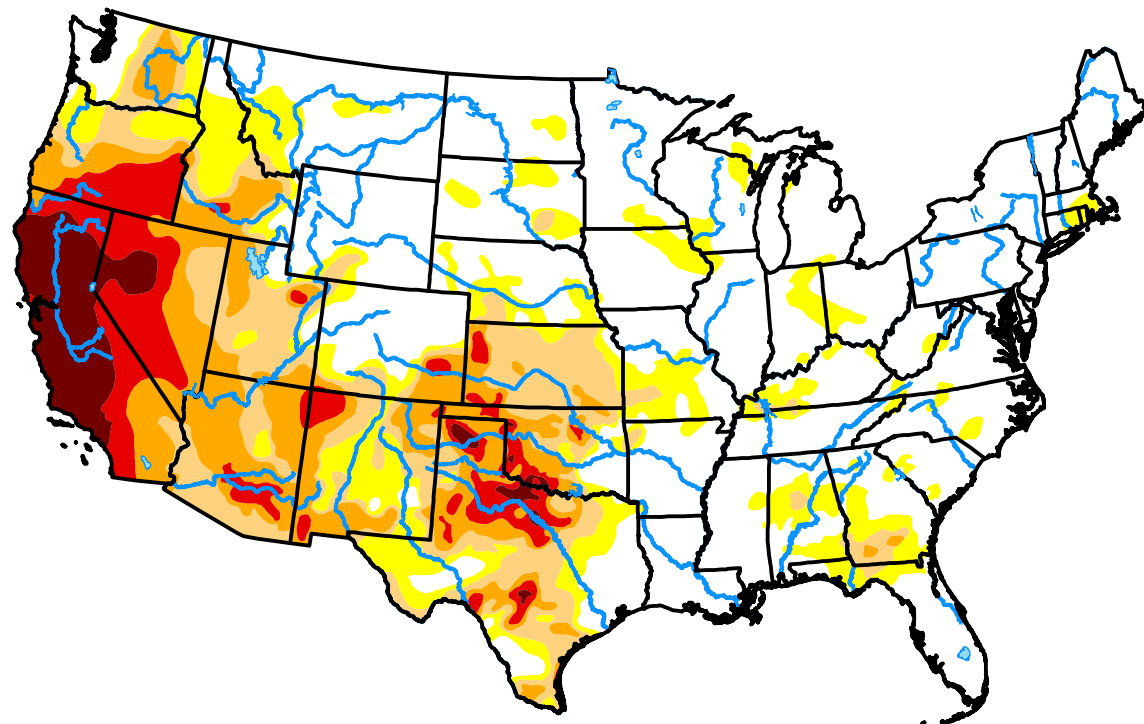


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	59.79	40.19	28.04	18.06	8.45	3.18
Last Week 08-12-2014	60.54	39.45	28.09	18.41	8.55	3.17
3 Months Ago 05-20-2014	59.66	40.33	31.85	23.64	12.08	4.17
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2013	54.20	45.79	26.01	13.96	3.31	0.31
Start of Water Year 10-01-2013	44.20	55.79	37.21	17.33	2.56	0.24
One Year Ago 08-20-2013	41.08	58.91	42.64	28.07	8.81	1.10

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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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