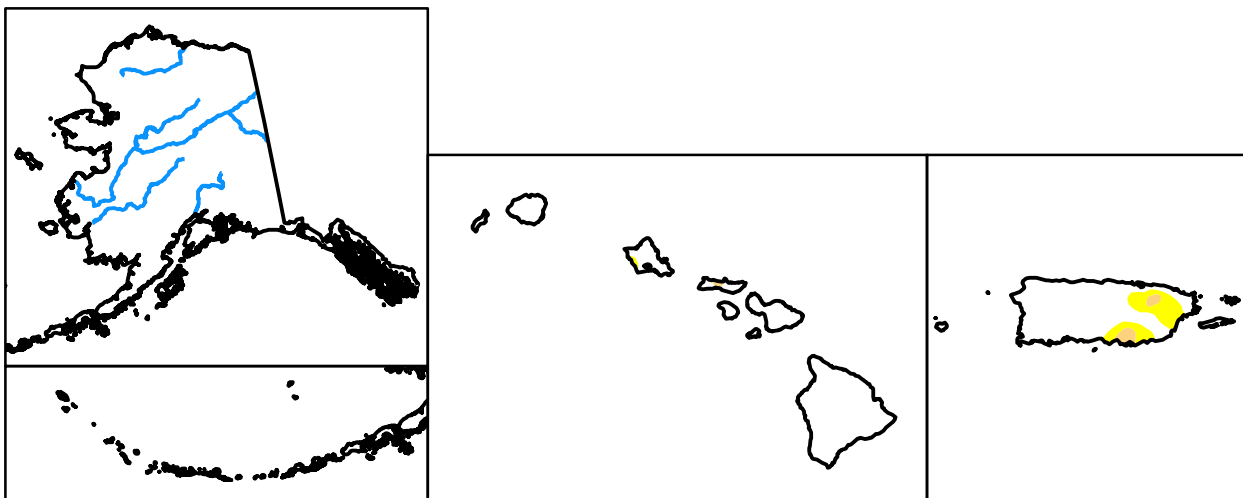
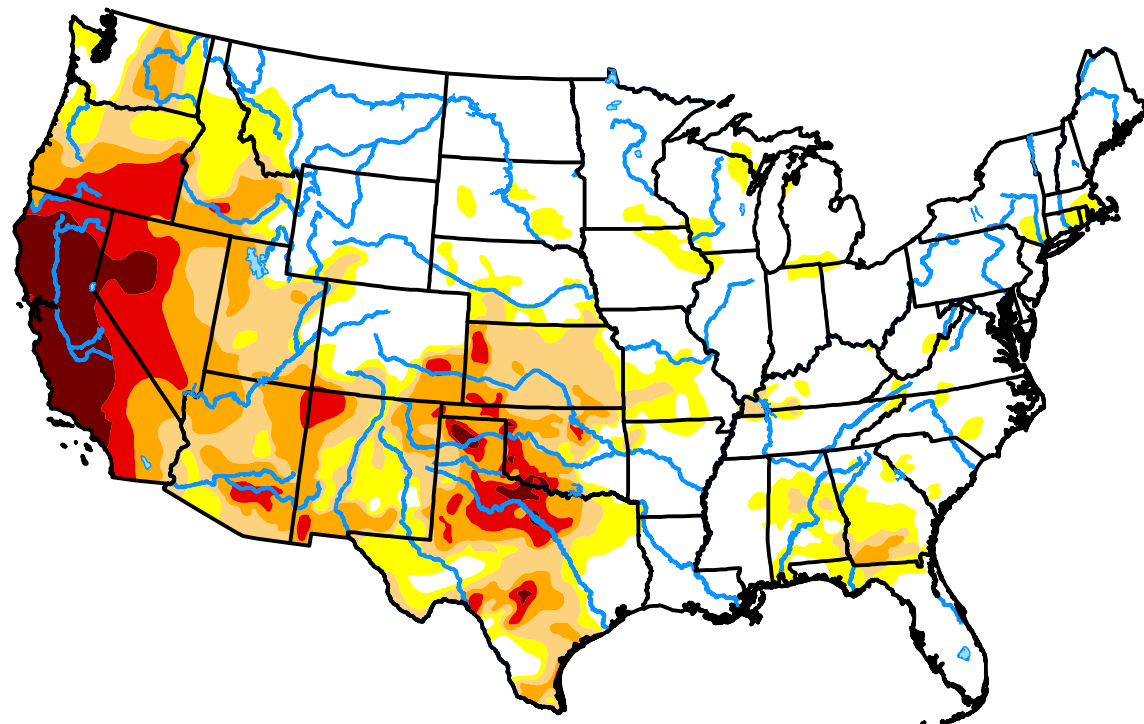


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	60.06	39.92	28.29	18.01	8.42	3.18
Last Week 08-19-2014	59.79	40.19	28.04	18.06	8.45	3.18
3 Months Ago 05-27-2014	59.47	40.52	31.68	23.16	11.40	2.80
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 08-27-2013	39.10	60.89	46.35	29.03	8.81	1.10

Intensity:

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

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