

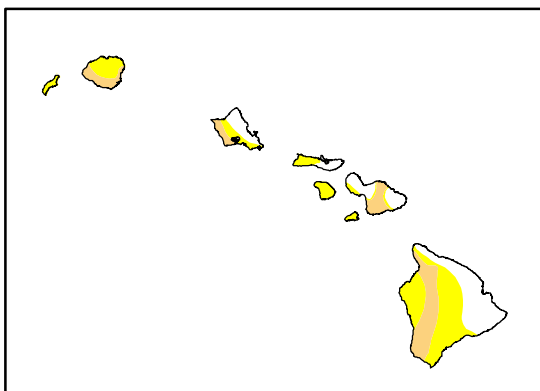
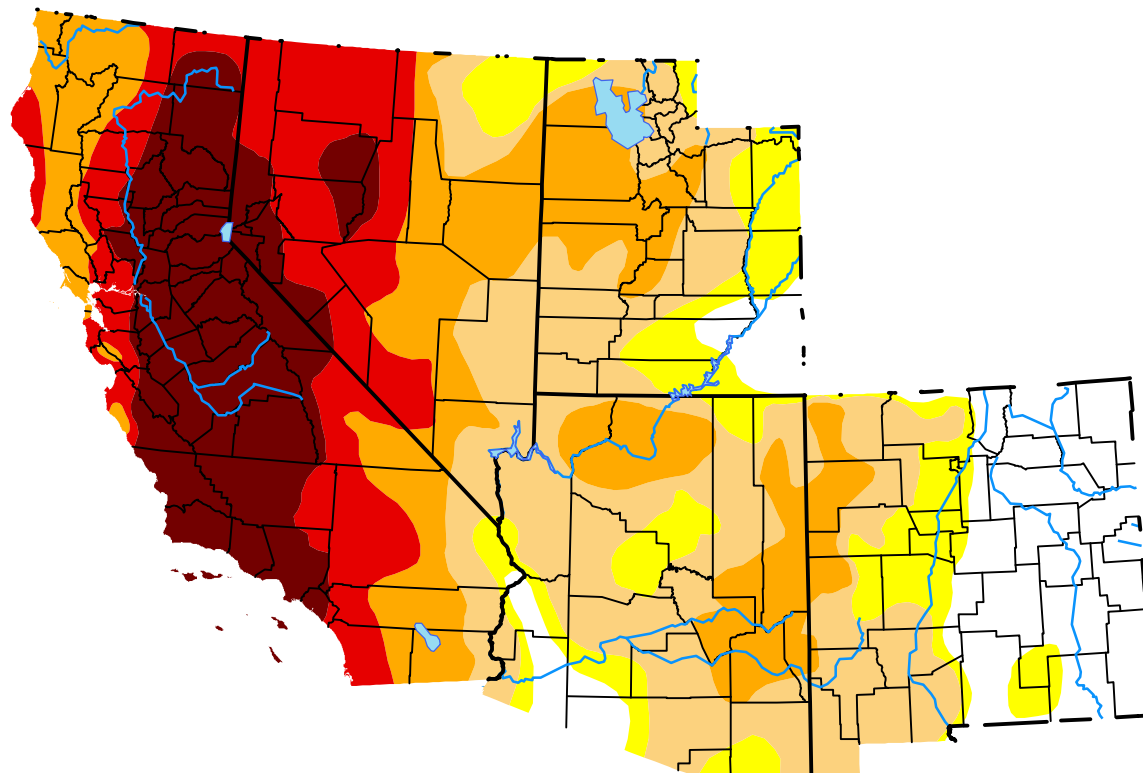
U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	13.21	86.79	74.98	49.17	27.70	14.47
Last Week 06-11-2015	11.51	88.49	77.22	51.90	28.06	15.50
3 Months Ago 03-19-2015	4.18	95.82	88.66	49.68	27.27	14.02
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	5.87	94.13	81.75	52.28	31.17	10.76
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	6.10	93.90	82.03	53.46	33.11	17.72
One Year Ago 06-19-2014	2.12	97.88	93.86	77.67	37.14	10.90

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. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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