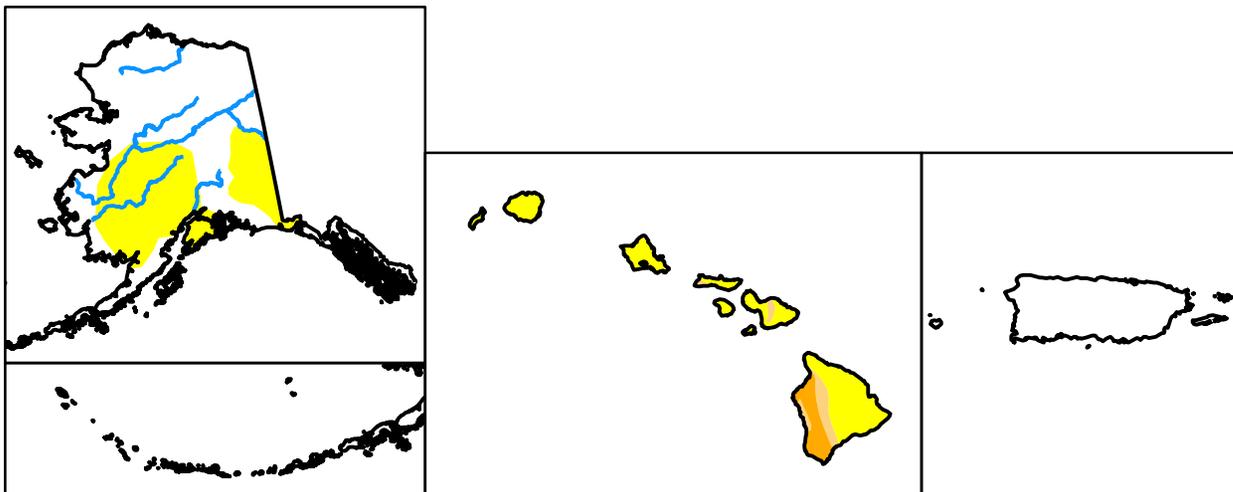
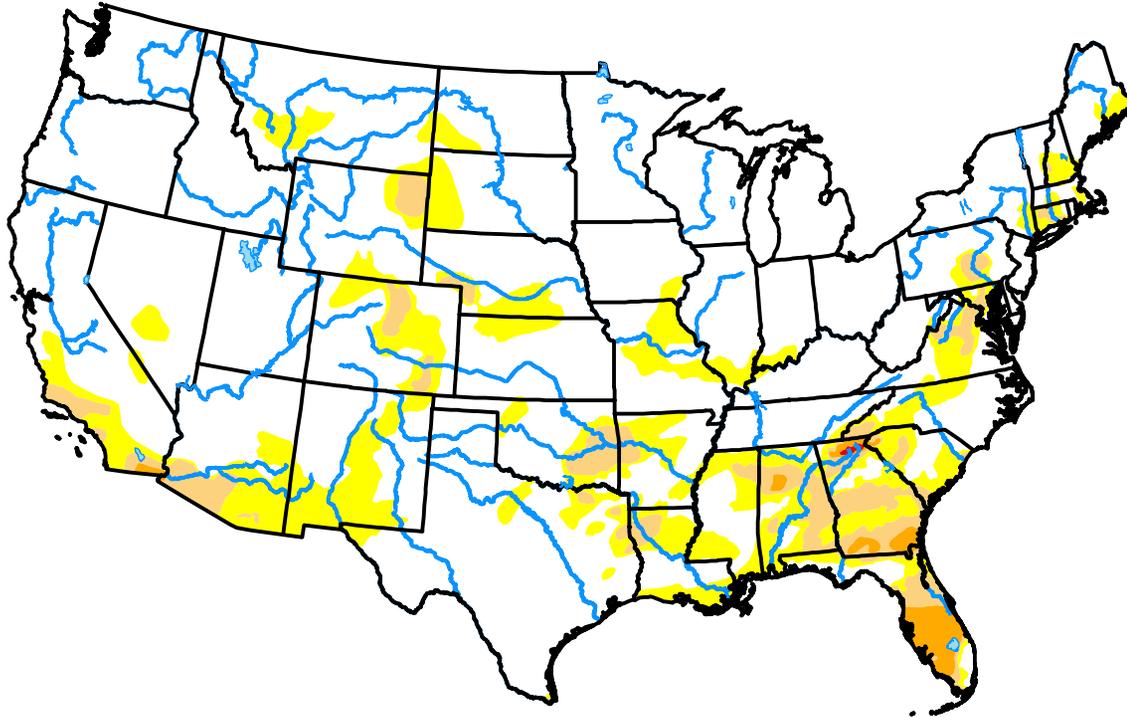


# U.S. Drought Monitor

## U.S. States and Puerto Rico

**April 25, 2017**  
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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
<b>Current</b>	76.37	23.61	5.15	0.92	0.03	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-18-2017</i>	71.96	28.03	6.91	1.24	0.07	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-24-2017</i>	71.05	28.94	13.47	3.72	0.37	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2017</i>	59.70	40.29	18.83	7.21	2.63	0.80
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2016</i>	61.21	38.78	15.84	6.77	2.67	0.97
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-26-2016</i>	63.02	36.97	12.99	5.00	2.88	0.92

**Intensity:**



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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