

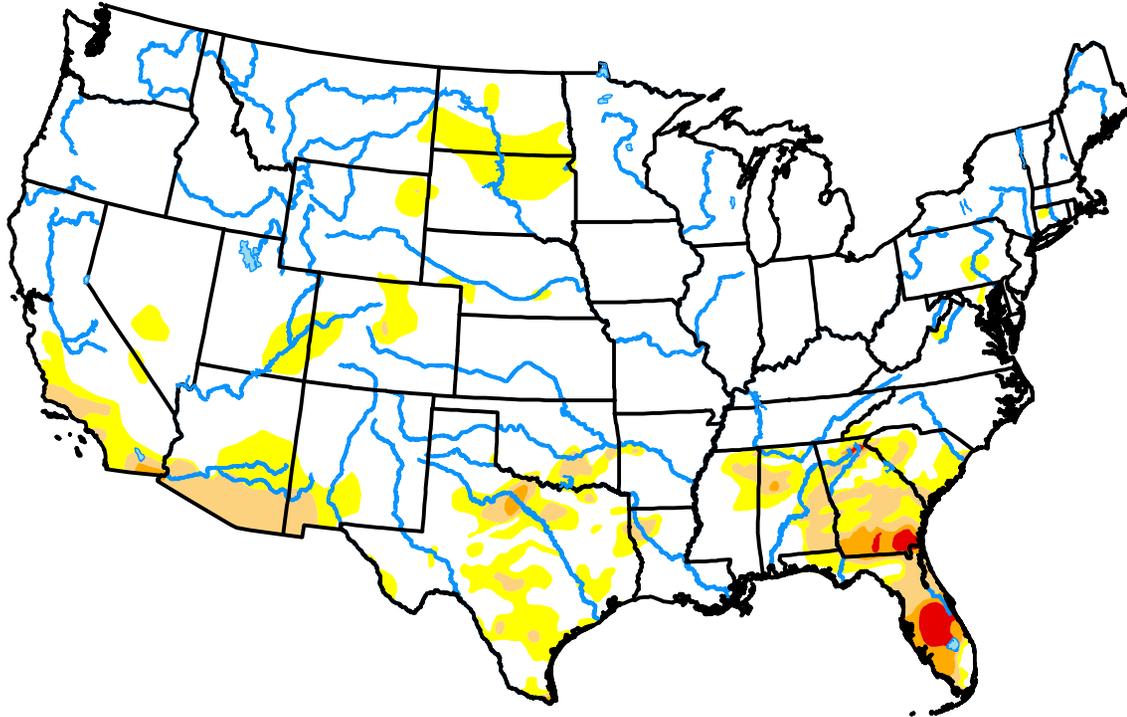
U.S. Drought Monitor

U.S. States and Puerto Rico

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	80.73	19.26	4.73	1.15	0.36	0.00
Last Week <i>05-09-2017</i>	81.95	18.04	4.41	1.10	0.23	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-14-2017</i>	71.99	28.00	11.32	2.65	0.29	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	59.70	40.29	18.83	7.21	2.63	0.80
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	61.21	38.78	15.84	6.77	2.67	0.97
One Year Ago <i>05-17-2016</i>	71.98	28.00	11.70	4.06	2.06	0.92



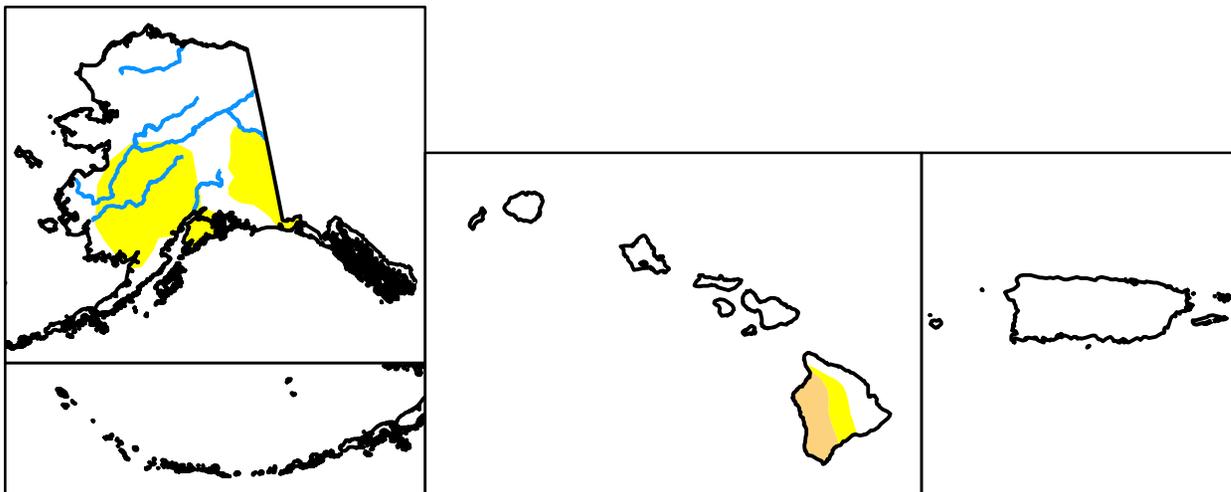
Intensity:



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