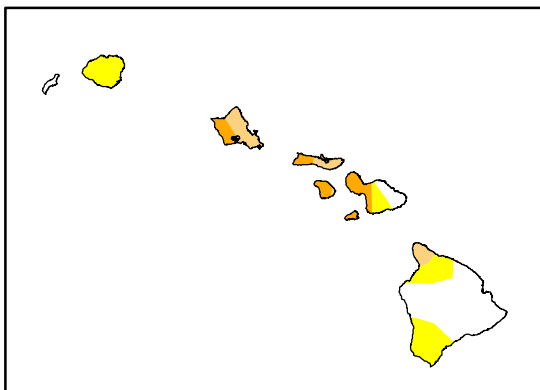
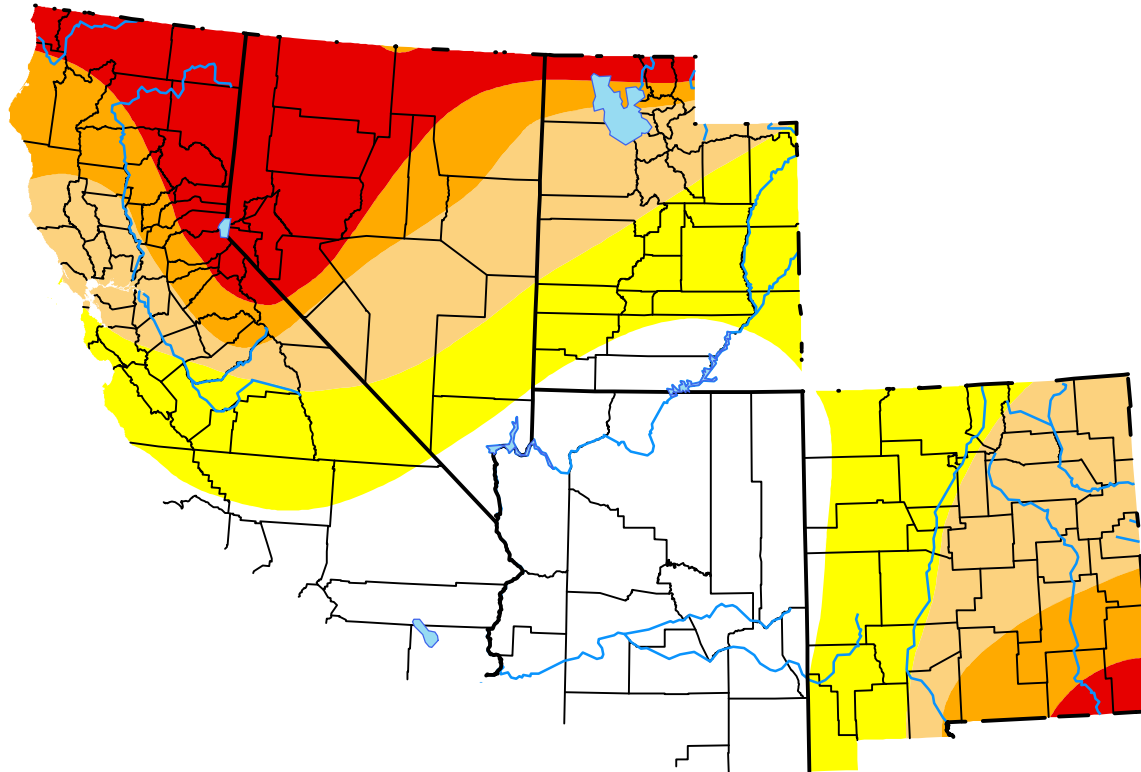


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	31.82	23.27	20.85	10.40	13.67	0.00
Last Week <i>11-08-2001</i>	31.82	23.19	21.45	9.88	13.67	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-16-2001</i>	57.96	15.32	8.73	7.46	10.52	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-04-2001</i>	83.72	14.98	1.30	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	42.72	18.14	16.78	9.07	13.29	0.00
One Year Ago <i>11-16-2000</i>	88.70	9.67	1.63	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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