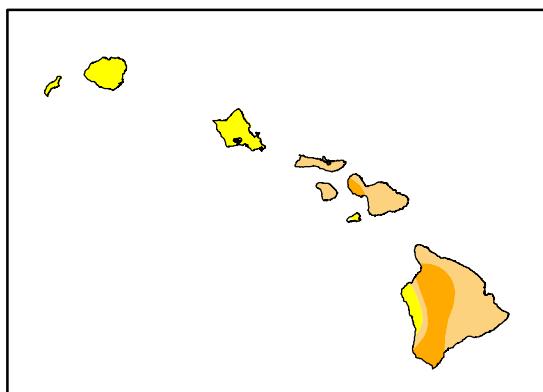
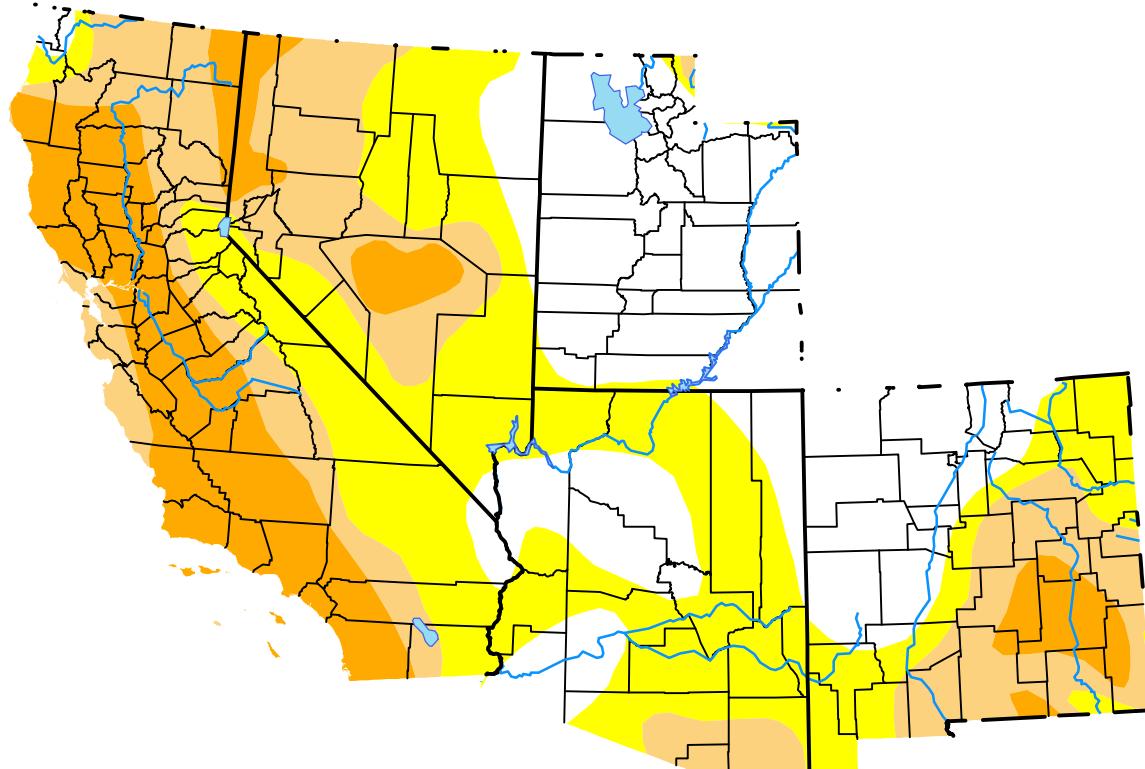


# U.S. Drought Monitor

# USDA Southwest Climate Hub



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## Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	30.75	32.00	21.28	15.98	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> 06-04-2009	30.58	32.31	21.37	15.73	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> 03-12-2009	30.70	35.24	25.58	8.43	0.04	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> 01-01-2009	34.00	23.69	24.60	16.85	0.86	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> 10-02-2008	38.93	17.60	24.57	18.26	0.65	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> 06-12-2008	26.08	30.98	34.89	7.80	0.25	0.00

## 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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