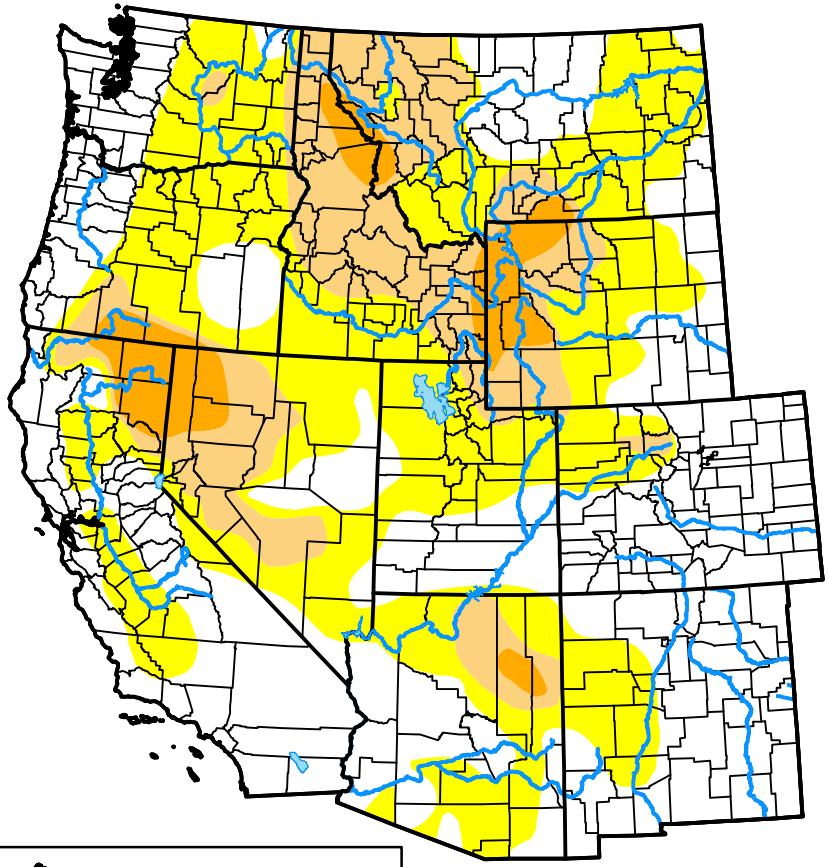
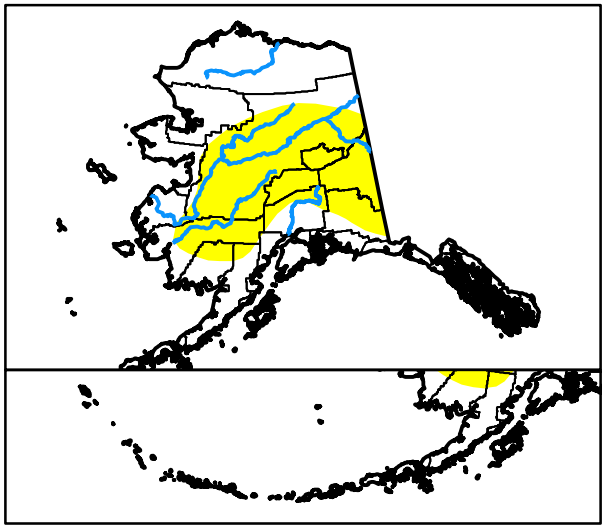
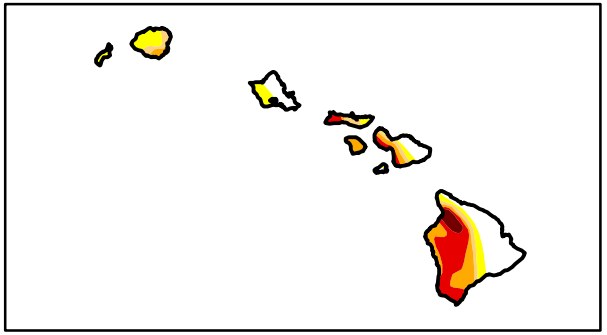
U.S. Drought Monitor

West Climate Region







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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	50.05	49.95	13.34	3.43	0.09	0.01
Last Week *04-13-2010*	48.26	51.74	13.57	3.14	0.09	0.01
3 Months Ago *01-19-2010*	41.97	58.03	21.45	9.25	0.65	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *12-29-2009*	50.87	49.13	19.19	6.72	0.34	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-29-2009*	57.34	42.66	15.43	5.10	0.02	0.00
One Year Ago *04-21-2009*	52.51	47.49	17.37	5.26	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

- None
- D0 Abnormally Dry
- D1 Moderate Drought
- D2 Severe Drought
- D3 Extreme Drought
- D4 Exceptional Drought

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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