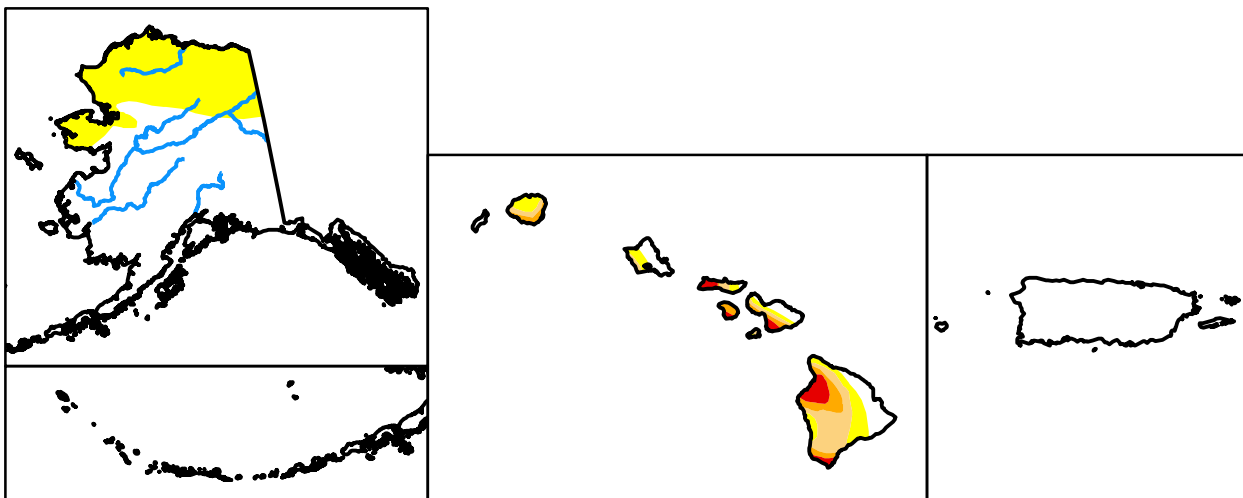
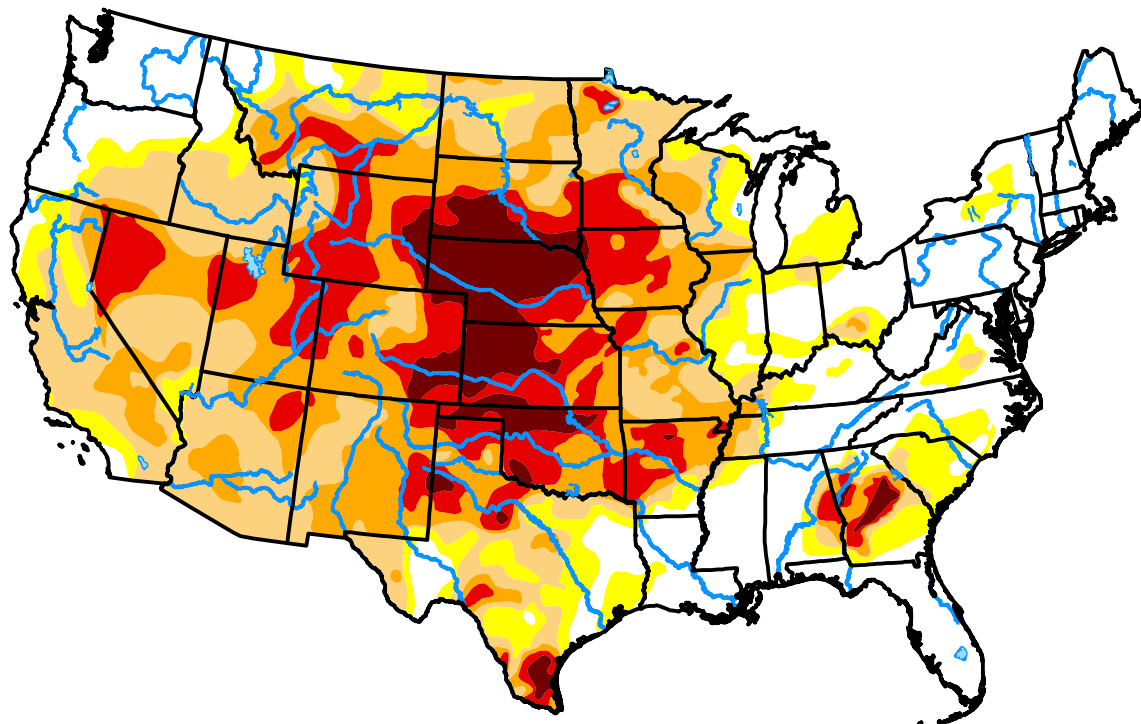


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	34.22	65.77	50.35	32.01	15.92	4.91
Last Week <i>10-23-2012</i>	32.97	67.01	51.72	32.32	16.33	4.88
3 Months Ago <i>07-31-2012</i>	28.77	71.22	52.65	38.12	18.62	2.52
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2012</i>	58.47	41.52	26.73	15.78	8.51	2.77
Start of Water Year <i>09-25-2012</i>	31.10	68.89	54.78	35.24	17.97	5.12
One Year Ago <i>11-01-2011</i>	63.87	36.11	27.32	20.38	14.82	7.40

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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