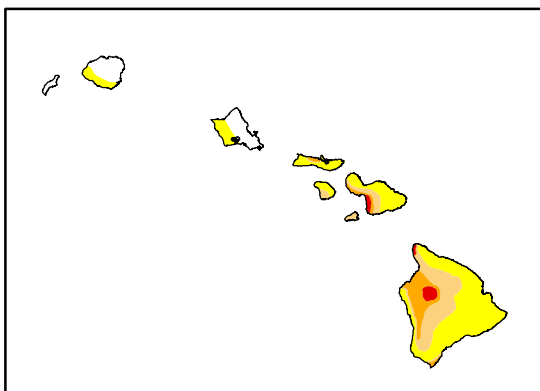
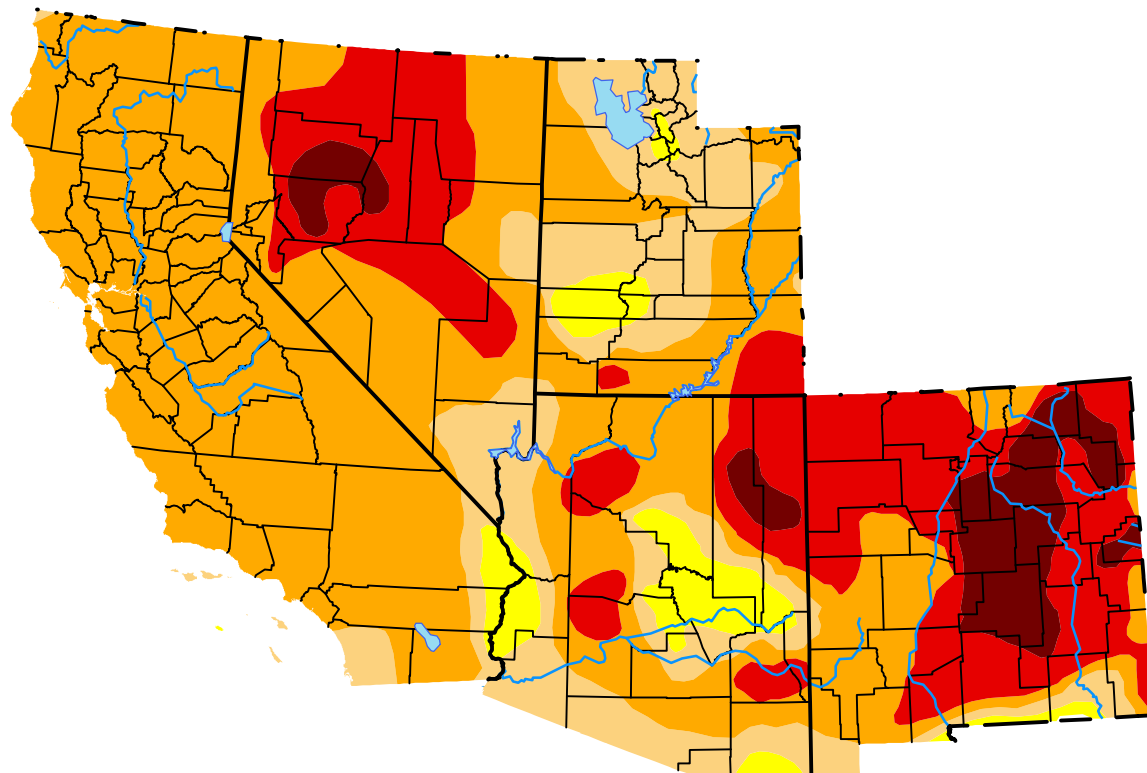


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

August 6, 2013
 (Released Thursday, Aug. 8, 2013)
 Valid 8 a.m. EDT



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	0.16	99.84	94.80	78.36	26.84	5.79
Last Week 08-01-2013	0.16	99.84	94.95	78.25	25.75	6.65
3 Months Ago 05-09-2013	0.21	99.79	94.20	64.96	22.86	8.14
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	8.61	91.39	86.03	53.71	14.38	0.20
Start of Water Year 09-27-2012	3.42	96.58	91.28	47.35	12.19	0.13
One Year Ago 08-09-2012	3.32	96.68	89.64	65.79	17.98	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.

Author:

Brian Fuchs
 National Drought Mitigation Center



droughtmonitor.unl.edu