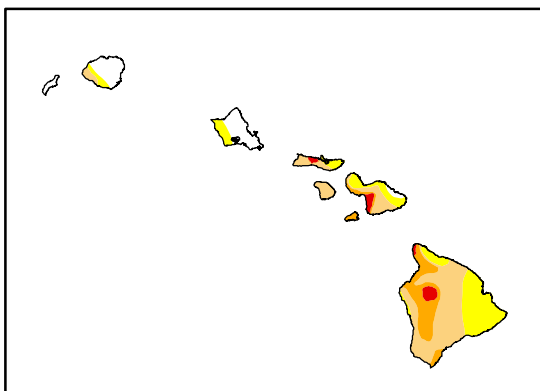
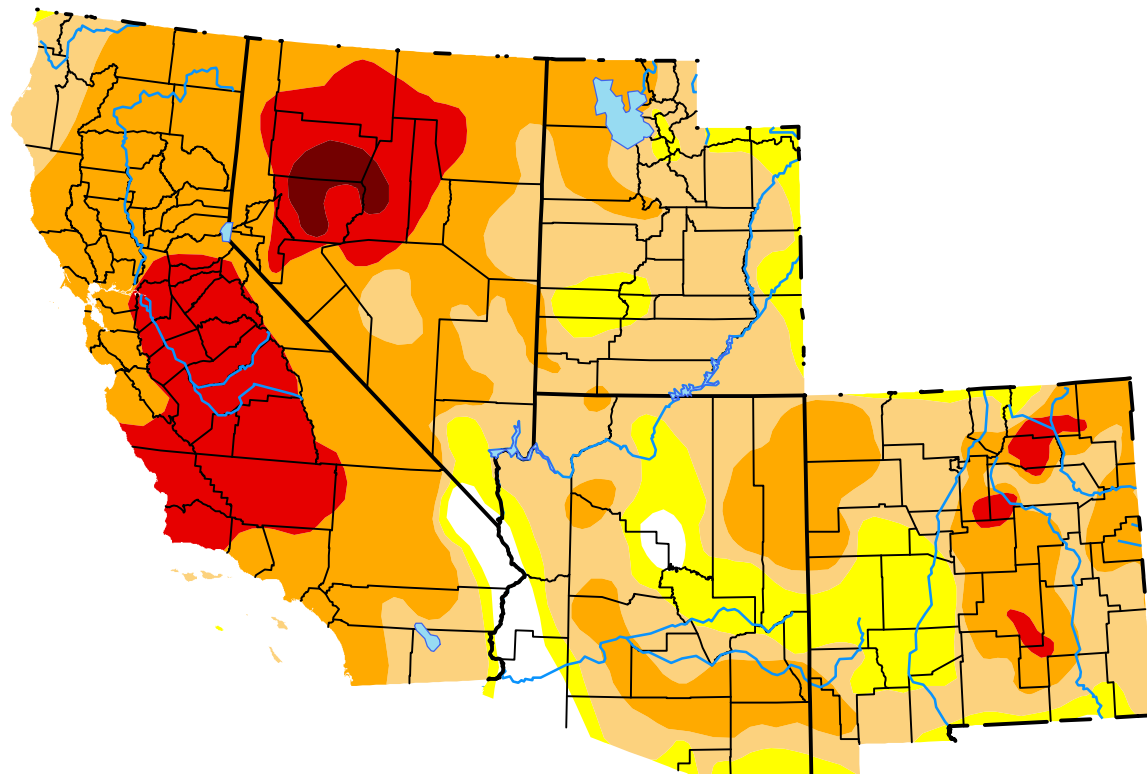


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	2.69	12.09	33.09	38.66	12.48	1.00
Last Week 11-14-2013	4.04	13.15	30.68	43.09	8.05	1.00
3 Months Ago 08-22-2013	0.27	5.09	15.48	53.47	22.08	3.61
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2013	8.61	5.37	32.31	39.34	14.18	0.20
Start of Water Year 10-03-2013	4.05	12.33	31.50	43.08	8.05	1.00
One Year Ago 11-22-2012	1.30	9.34	39.17	35.06	14.93	0.20

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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