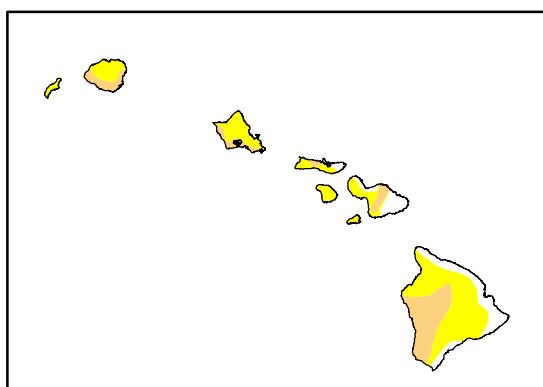
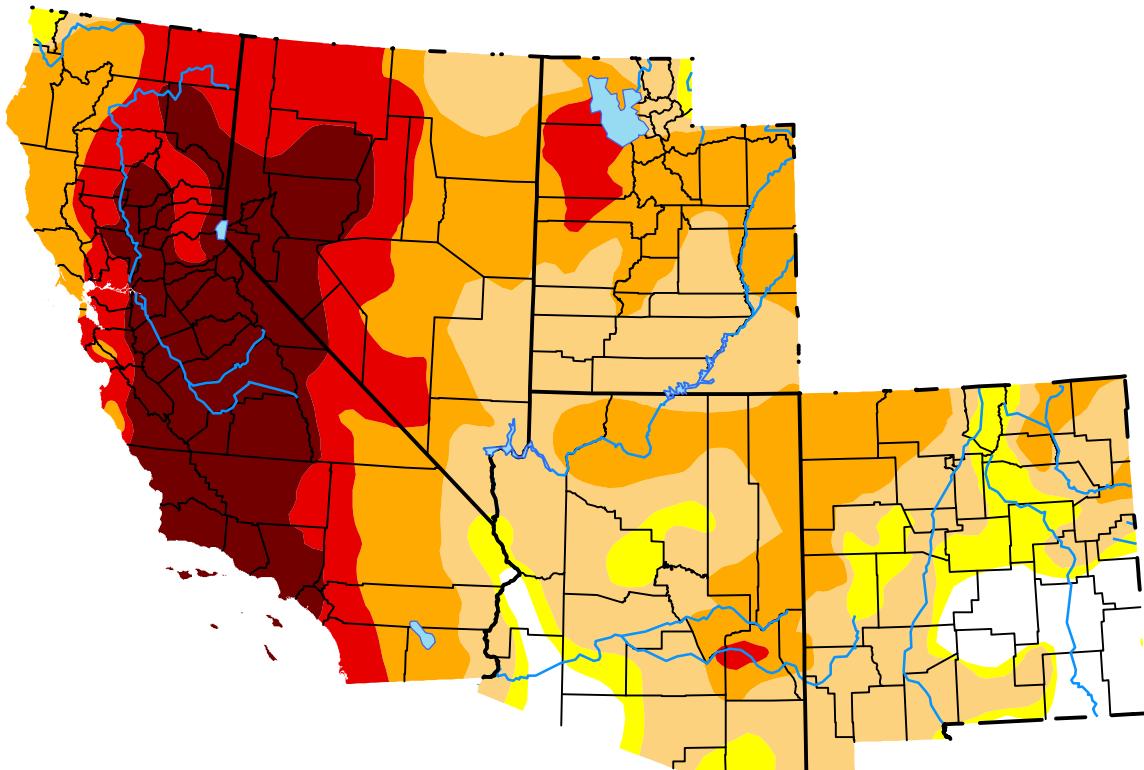


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	5.56	94.44	87.05	56.44	28.11	14.41
Last Week 03-26-2015	5.52	94.48	87.05	51.66	28.11	14.41
3 Months Ago 12-31-2014	5.87	94.13	81.75	52.28	31.17	10.76
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2014	5.87	94.13	81.75	52.28	31.17	10.76
Start of Water Year 10-02-2014	6.10	93.90	82.03	53.46	33.11	17.72
One Year Ago 04-03-2014	0.84	99.16	91.22	67.10	30.51	7.77

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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