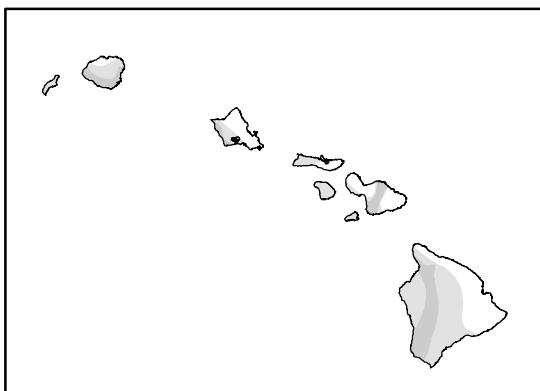
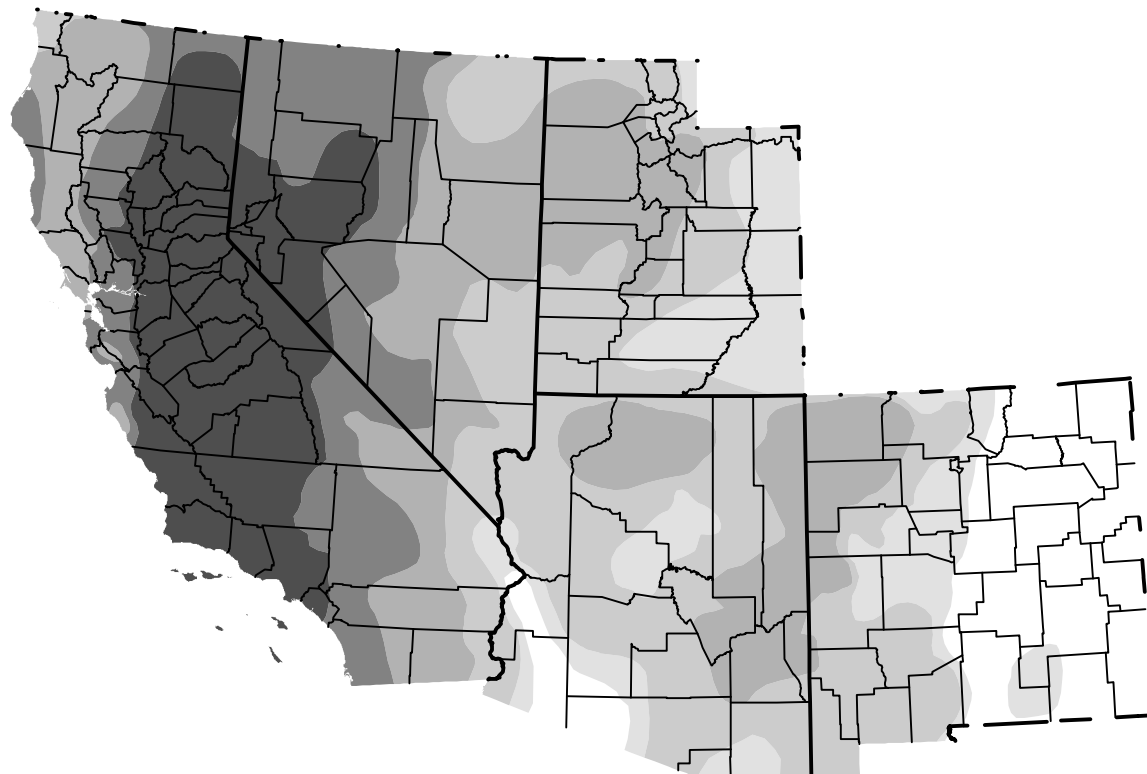


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	11.51	88.49	77.22	51.90	28.06	15.50
Last Week <i>06-04-2015</i>	11.53	88.47	80.66	54.03	28.99	15.82
3 Months Ago <i>03-12-2015</i>	4.11	95.89	87.61	48.00	27.27	14.02
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-31-2014</i>	5.87	94.13	81.75	52.28	31.17	10.76
Start of Water Year <i>10-02-2014</i>	6.10	93.90	82.03	53.46	33.11	17.72
One Year Ago <i>06-12-2014</i>	2.12	97.88	93.75	77.70	37.14	8.19

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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