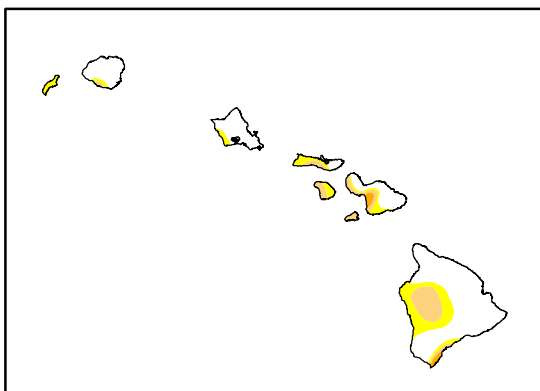
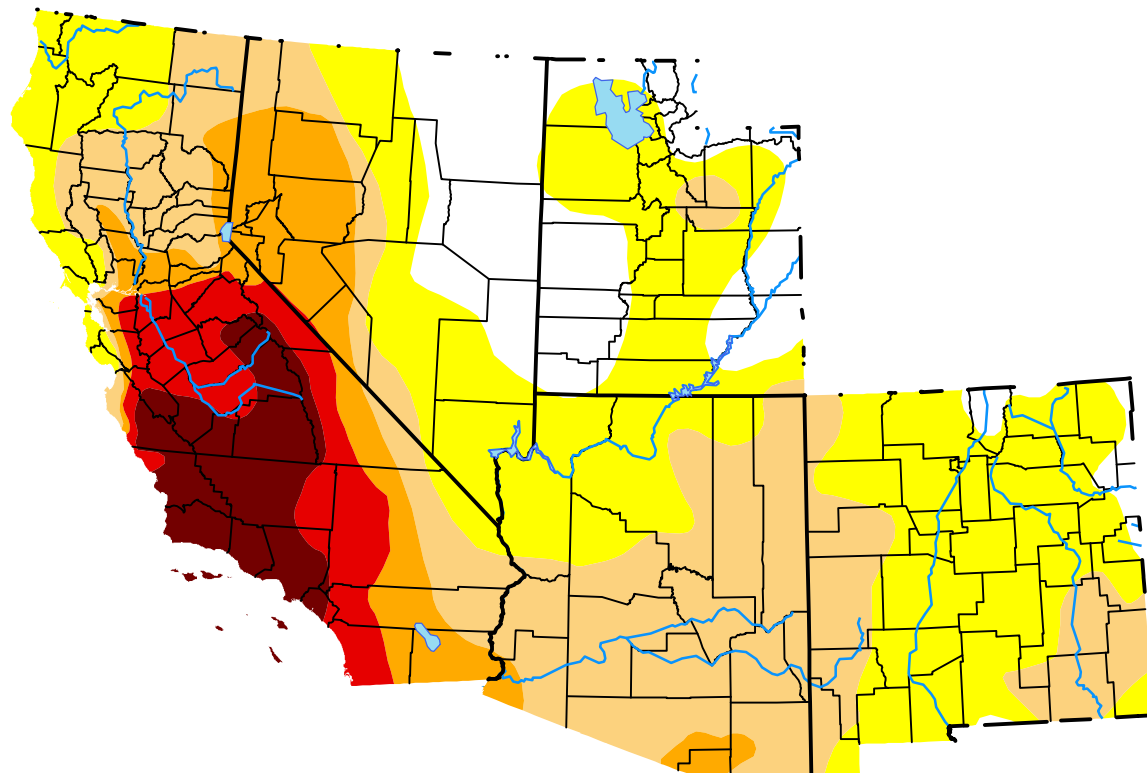


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USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	14.14	85.86	48.64	20.47	11.41	5.59
Last Week 07-28-2016	13.73	86.27	47.59	21.43	11.41	5.59
3 Months Ago 05-05-2016	10.83	89.17	59.17	27.58	17.41	5.59
Start of Calendar Year 12-31-2015	21.87	78.13	56.46	38.84	24.23	13.64
Start of Water Year 10-01-2015	16.35	83.65	66.03	43.10	25.84	15.17
One Year Ago 08-06-2015	13.54	86.46	71.29	44.98	26.28	14.27

Intensity:



The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. See accompanying text summary for forecast statements.

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