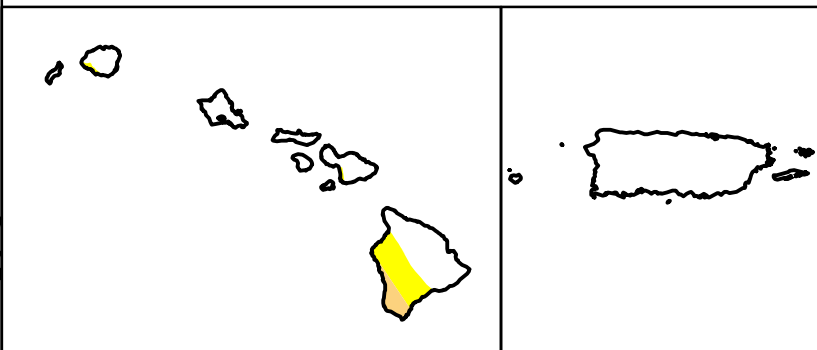
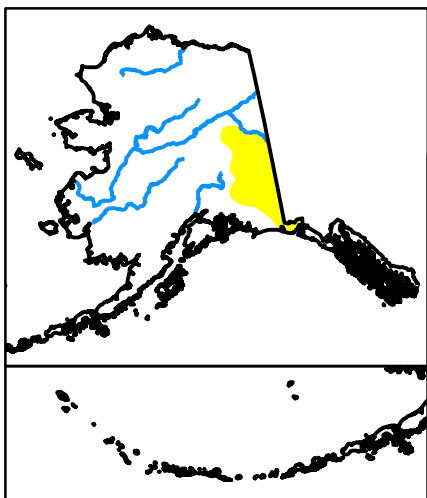
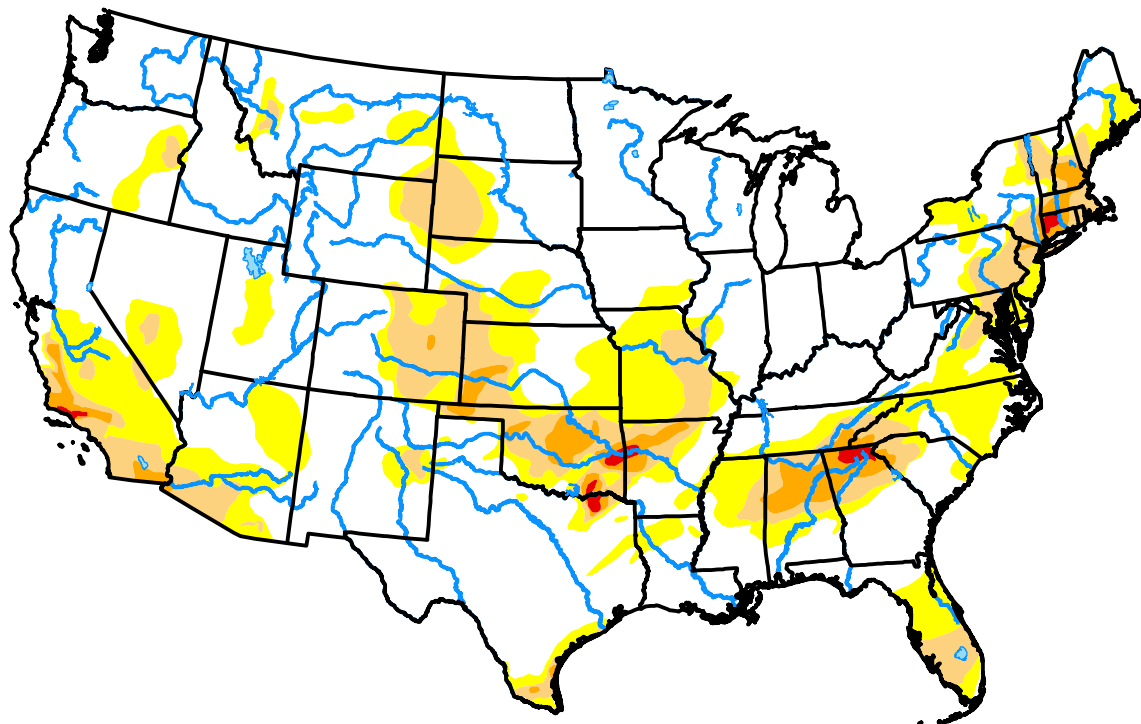


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	71.99	28.00	11.32	2.65	0.29	0.00
Last Week 02-07-2017	72.55	27.44	11.92	2.84	0.29	0.00
3 Months Ago 11-15-2016	55.05	44.94	25.18	12.07	5.35	1.97
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	59.70	40.29	18.83	7.21	2.63	0.80
Start of Water Year 09-27-2016	61.21	38.78	15.84	6.77	2.67	0.97
One Year Ago 02-16-2016	71.16	28.82	12.70	6.47	3.41	1.83

Intensity:

None	D2 Severe Drought
D0 Abnormally Dry	D3 Extreme Drought
D1 Moderate Drought	D4 Exceptional Drought

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