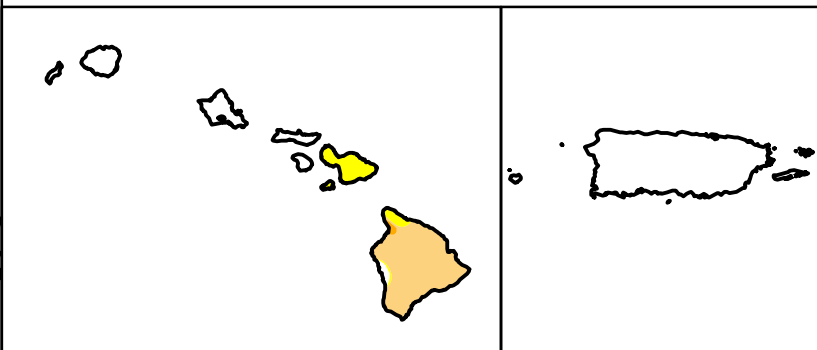
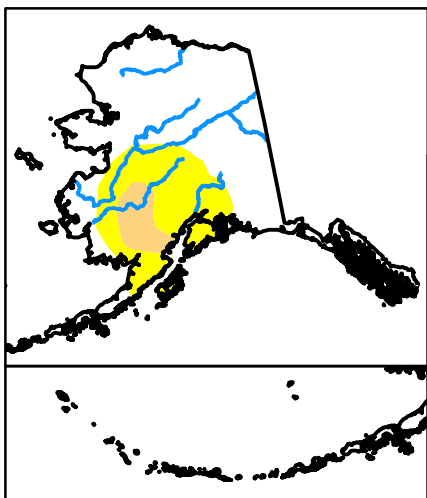
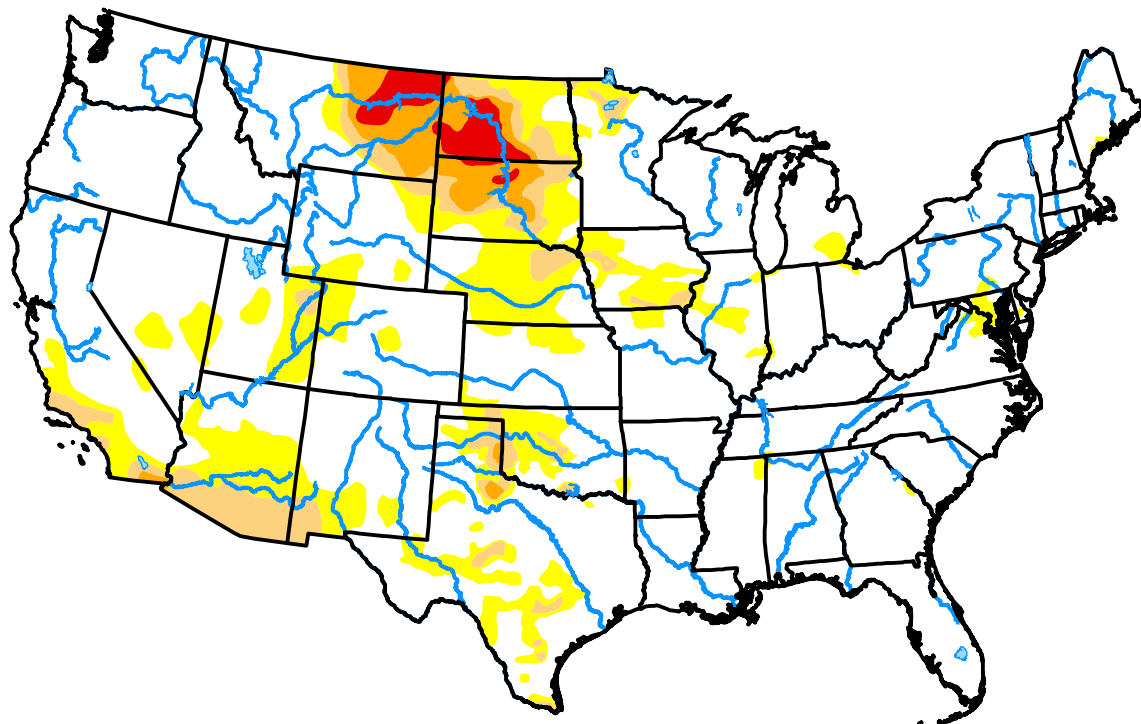


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	76.17	23.82	8.13	3.20	1.19	0.00
Last Week <i>06-27-2017</i>	76.79	23.20	7.75	2.72	0.81	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>04-04-2017</i>	69.96	30.02	8.26	1.28	0.09	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2017</i>	59.70	40.29	18.83	7.21	2.63	0.80
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2016</i>	61.21	38.78	15.84	6.77	2.67	0.97
One Year Ago <i>07-05-2016</i>	59.30	40.68	14.89	5.05	2.10	0.92

Intensity:

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

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