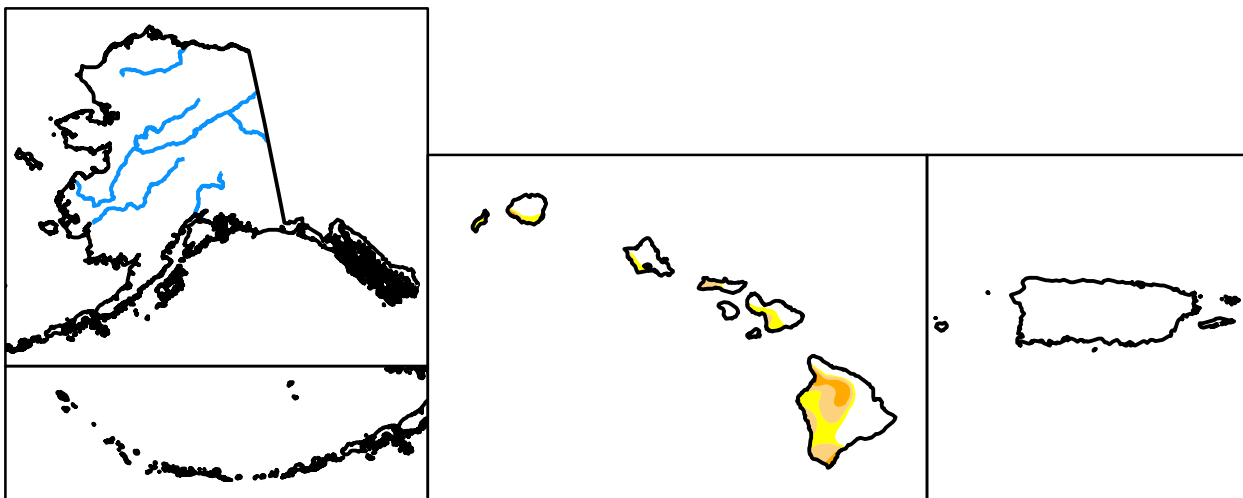
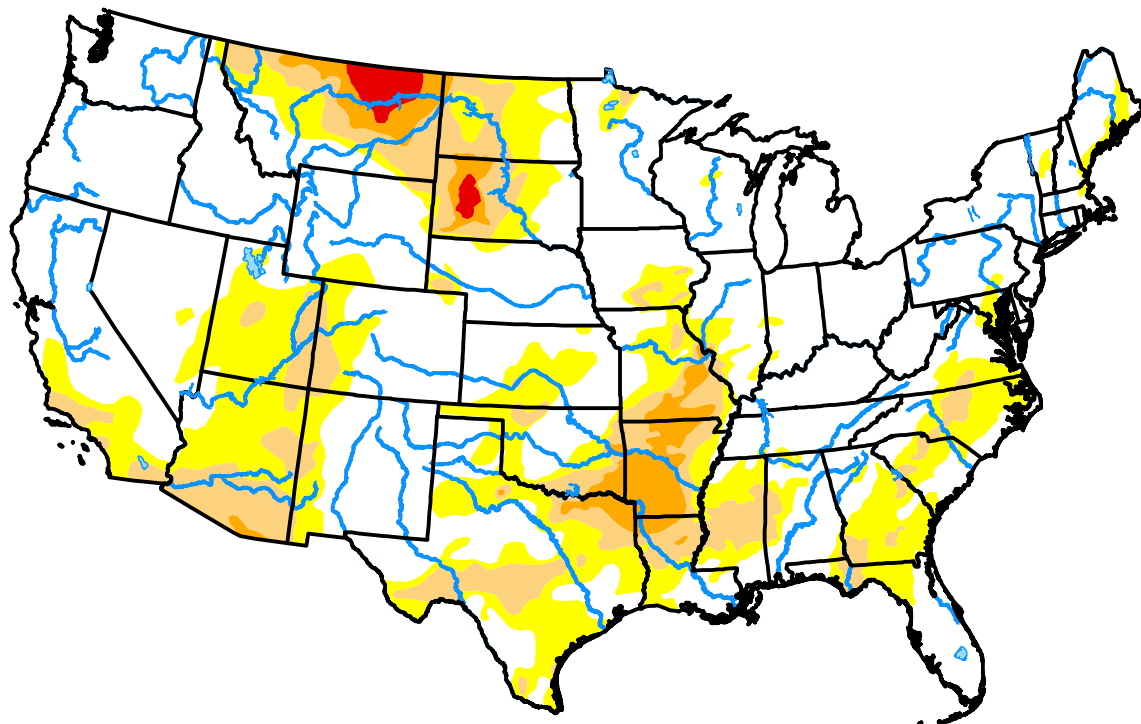


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	69.14	30.84	12.91	3.47	0.63	0.00
Last Week 11-14-2017	70.64	29.35	10.96	2.95	0.63	0.00
3 Months Ago 08-22-2017	75.18	24.81	10.23	4.61	2.03	0.49
Start of Calendar Year 01-03-2017	59.70	40.29	18.83	7.21	2.63	0.80
Start of Water Year 09-26-2017	68.97	31.02	11.65	4.19	1.97	0.72
One Year Ago 11-22-2016	52.54	47.45	26.02	14.26	6.90	2.28

Intensity:

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

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