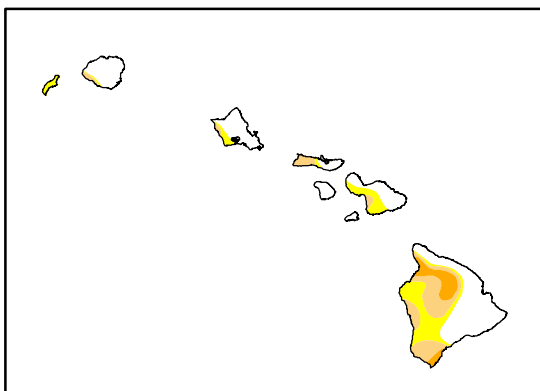
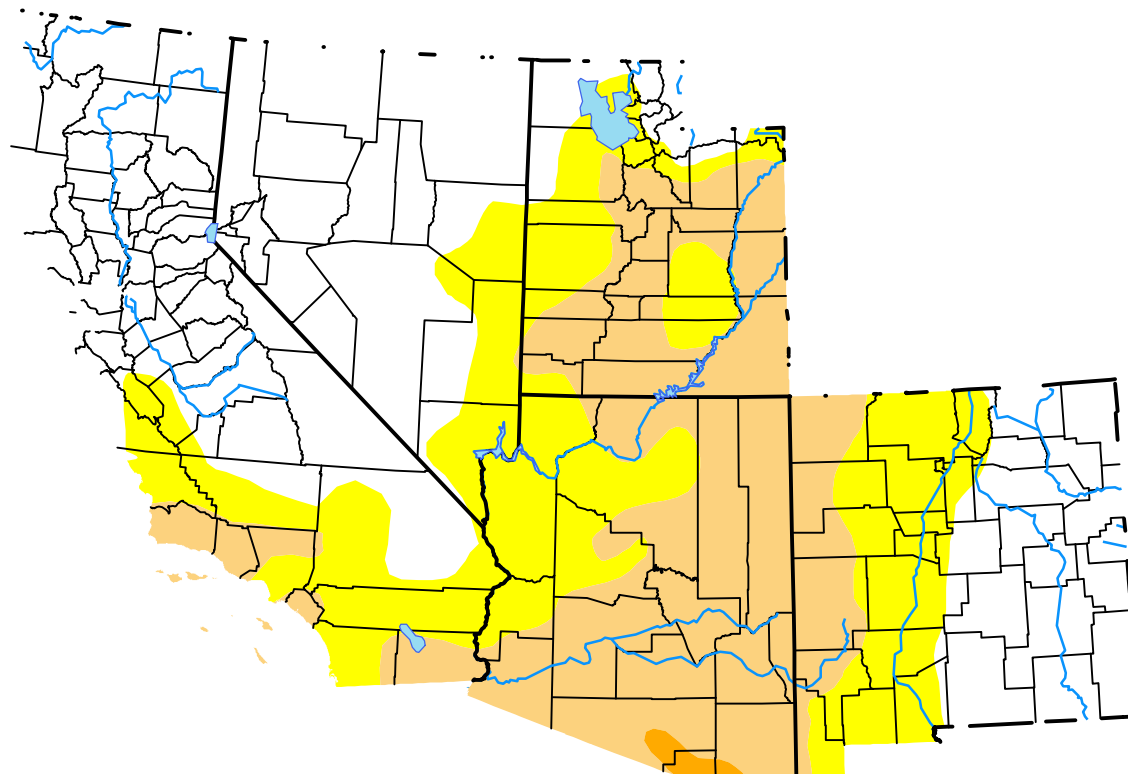


U.S. Drought Monitor

USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	46.52	53.48	27.22	0.47	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>11-22-2017</i>	57.70	42.30	14.50	0.47	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>08-31-2017</i>	83.44	16.56	5.83	0.17	0.02	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-05-2017</i>	40.36	59.64	31.73	16.38	10.17	4.86
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2017</i>	72.26	27.74	6.03	0.16	0.03	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-01-2016</i>	27.32	72.68	37.42	18.56	11.42	5.59

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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