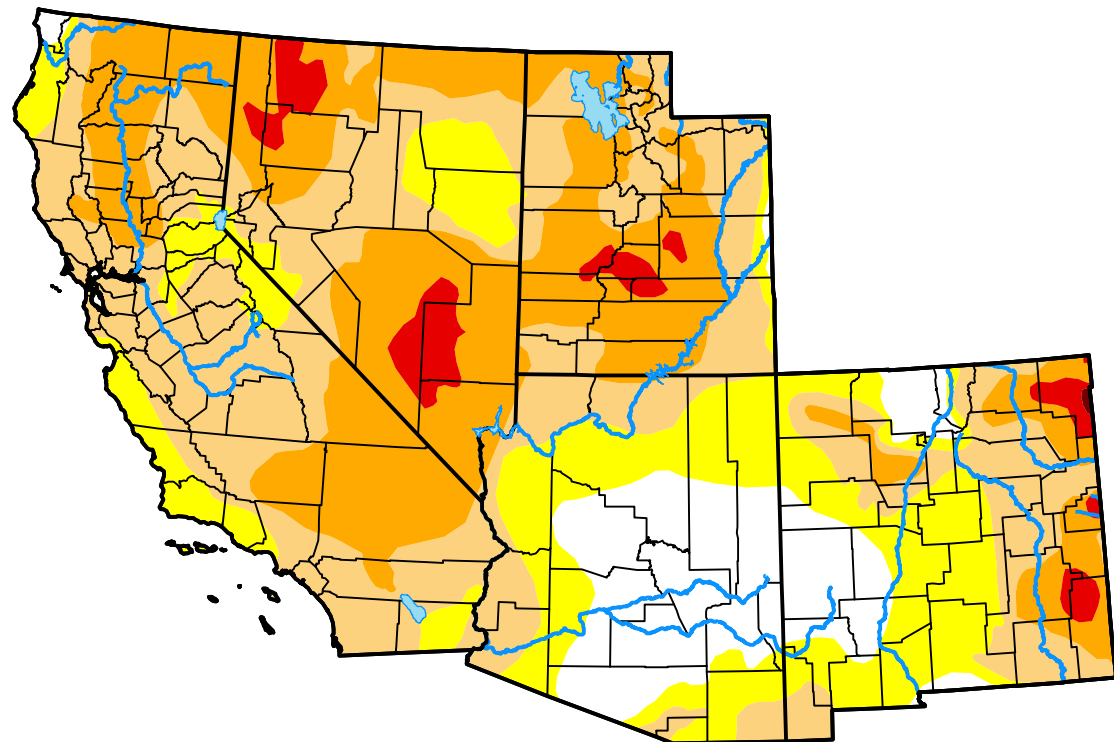


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USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	12.43	21.36	35.02	27.91	3.24	0.04
Last Week <i>01-31-2023</i>	12.29	17.66	35.28	27.92	6.81	0.04
3 Months Ago <i>11-08-2022</i>	1.82	21.12	15.29	34.08	22.97	4.71
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2023</i>	4.56	21.05	23.24	34.72	16.12	0.31
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2022</i>	0.23	13.06	19.12	38.71	23.96	4.92
One Year Ago <i>02-08-2022</i>	0.00	9.23	26.42	48.08	14.36	1.91

Note: Statistics do not include areas represented by points.

Intensity:

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

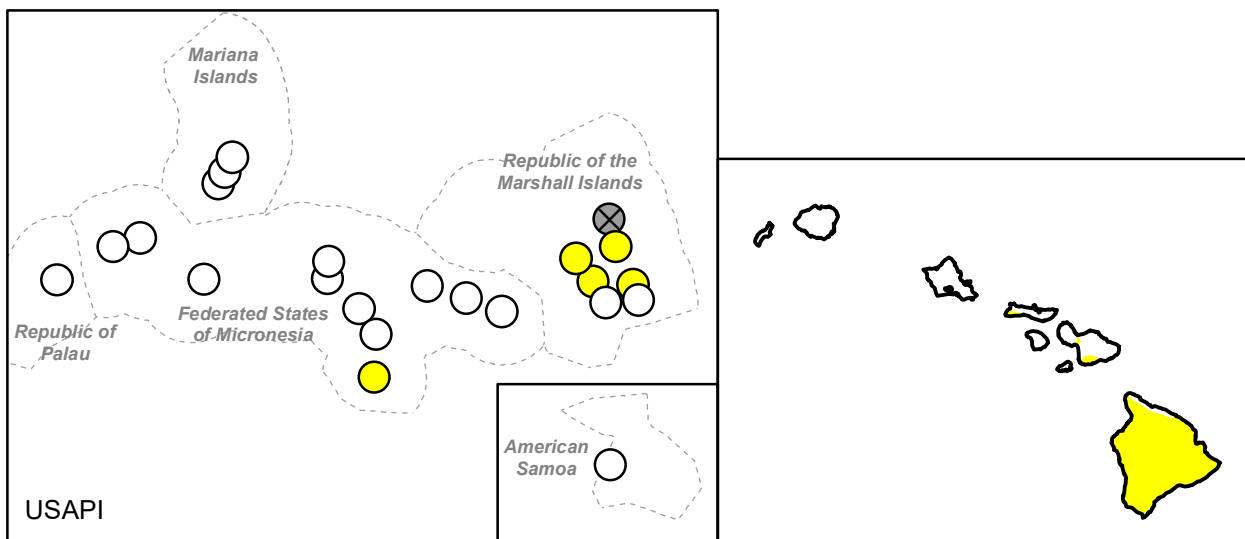
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