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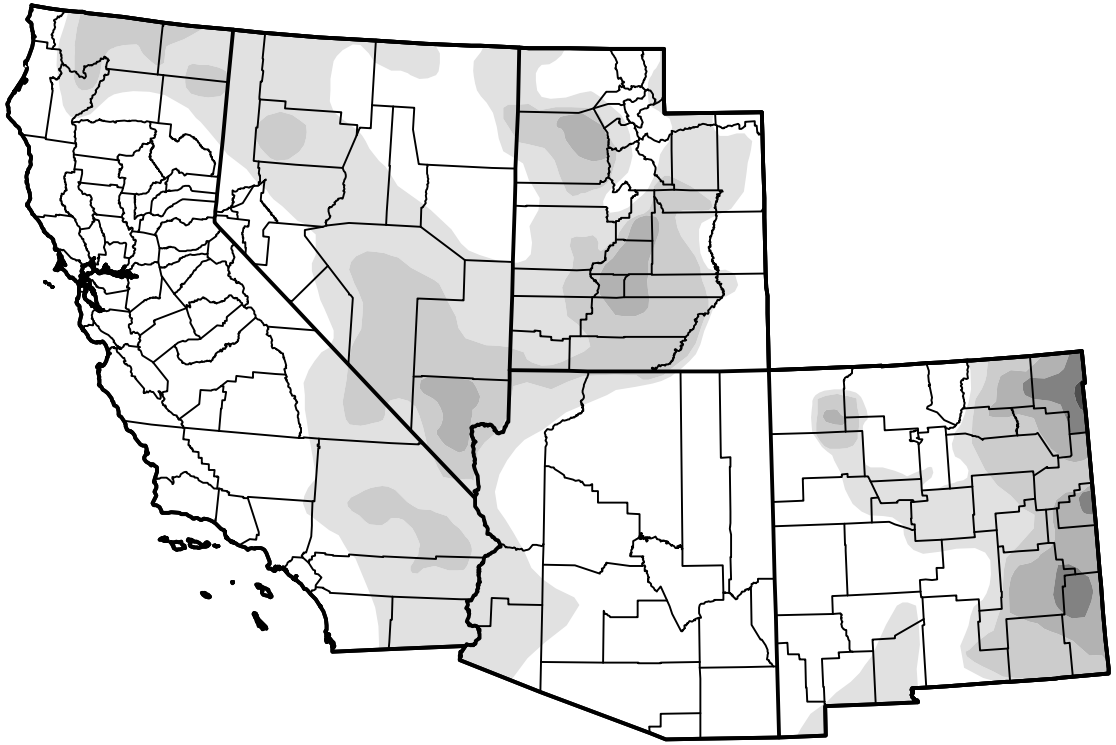

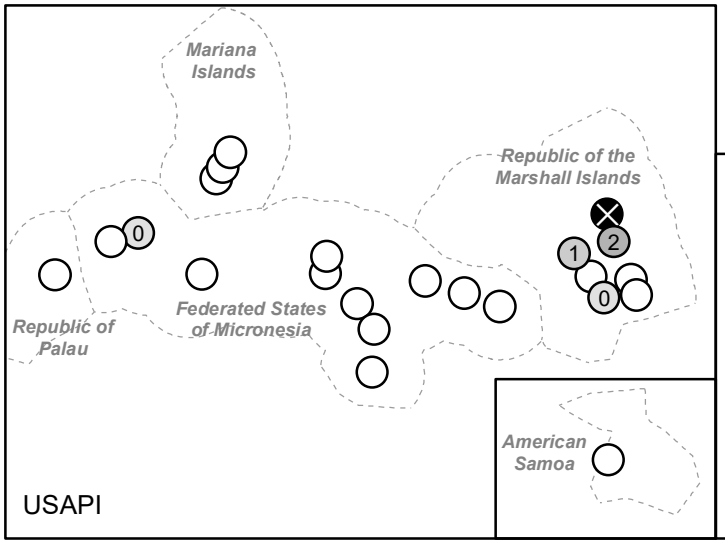

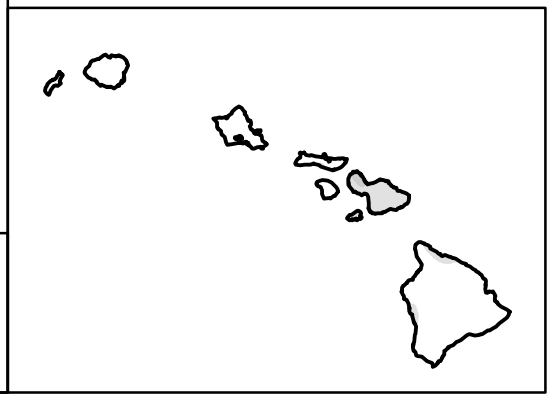

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	54.24	45.76	18.55	4.77	0.85	0.04
Last Week *04-04-2023*	46.44	53.56	24.86	5.32	0.86	0.04
3 Months Ago *01-10-2023*	7.47	92.53	72.31	42.22	9.14	0.04
Start of Calendar Year *01-03-2023*	4.56	95.44	74.39	51.15	16.43	0.31
Start of Water Year *09-27-2022*	0.23	99.77	86.71	67.59	28.88	4.92
One Year Ago *04-12-2022*	0.11	99.89	96.89	88.94	38.62	2.86

Note: Statistics do not include areas represented by points.

Intensity:

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

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx

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