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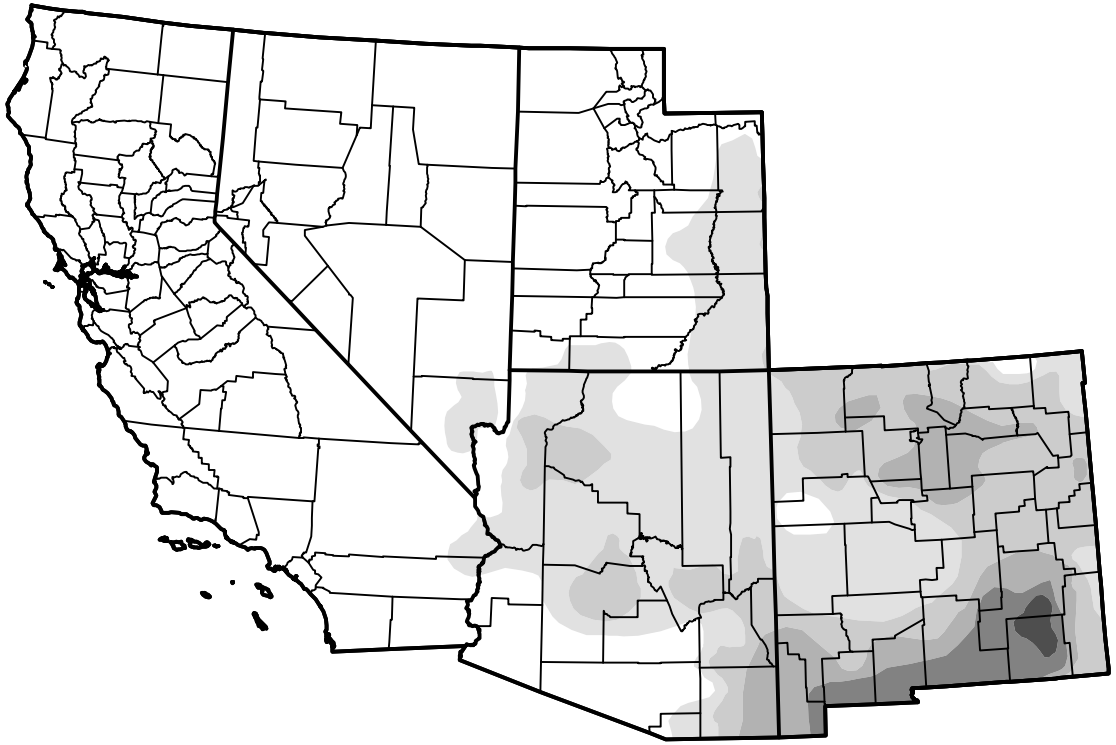

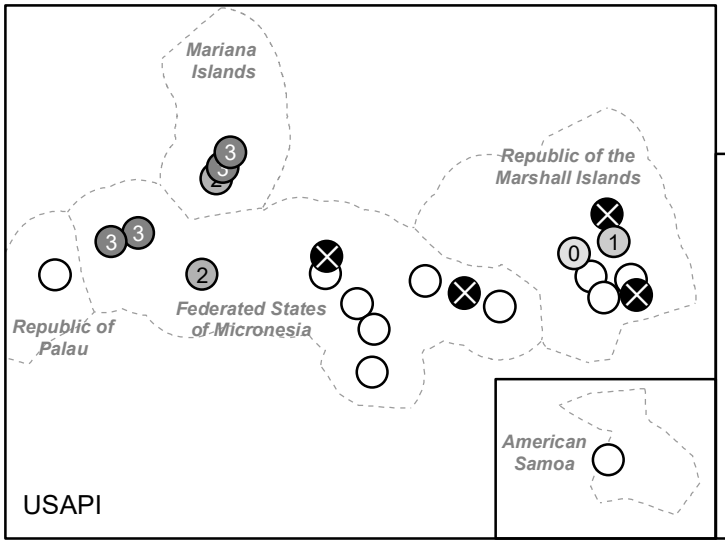

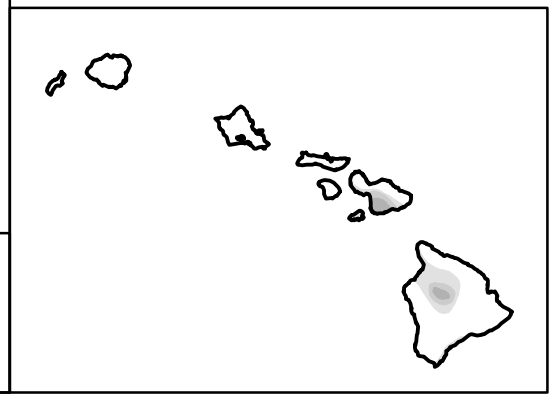

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	61.79	38.21	18.96	7.40	2.55	0.31
Last Week *05-21-2024*	61.67	38.33	19.04	7.40	2.55	0.31
3 Months Ago *02-27-2024*	53.15	46.85	28.22	13.24	4.29	0.72
Start of Calendar Year *01-02-2024*	54.68	45.32	31.32	22.64	8.94	1.32
Start of Water Year *09-26-2023*	55.08	44.92	30.65	18.31	7.62	1.40
One Year Ago *05-30-2023*	57.62	42.38	13.14	3.82	0.12	0.00

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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