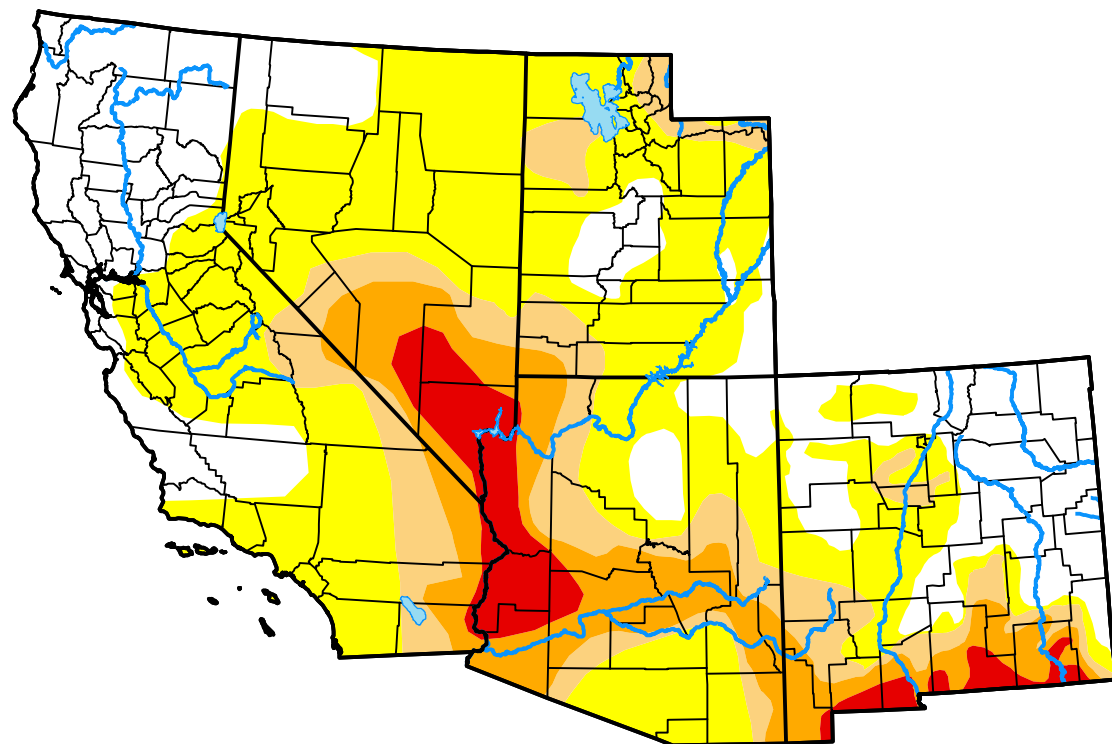


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USDA Southwest Climate Hub

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	27.04	72.96	29.92	16.55	5.28	0.00
Last Week <i>12-03-2024</i>	31.24	68.76	29.34	16.24	3.95	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>09-10-2024</i>	21.37	78.63	25.89	4.53	0.54	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2024</i>	54.68	45.32	31.32	22.64	8.94	1.32
Start of Water Year <i>10-01-2024</i>	21.92	78.08	25.07	4.54	0.57	0.00
One Year Ago <i>12-12-2023</i>	55.45	44.55	32.65	24.18	9.95	1.32

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

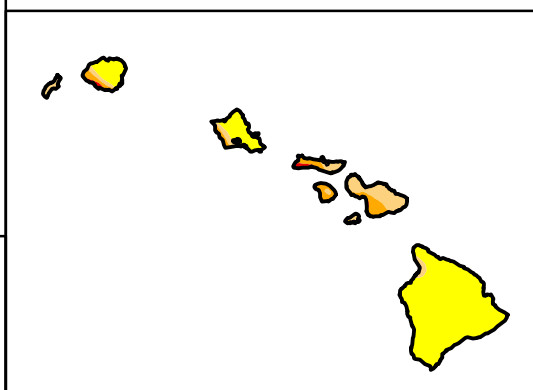
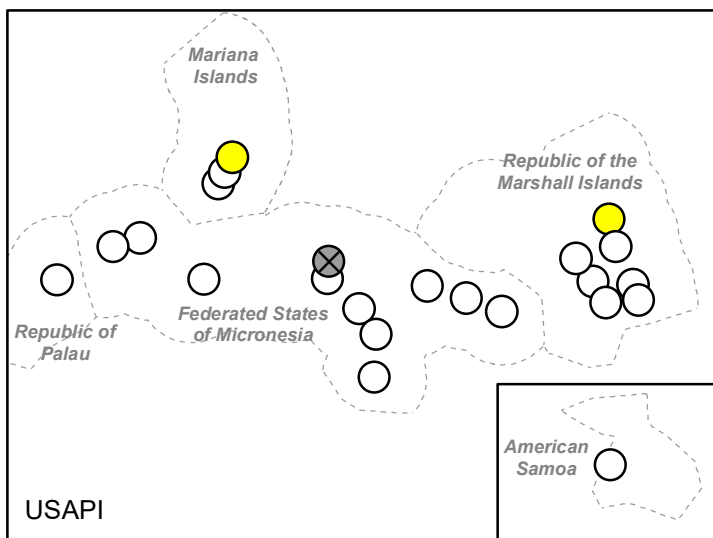
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