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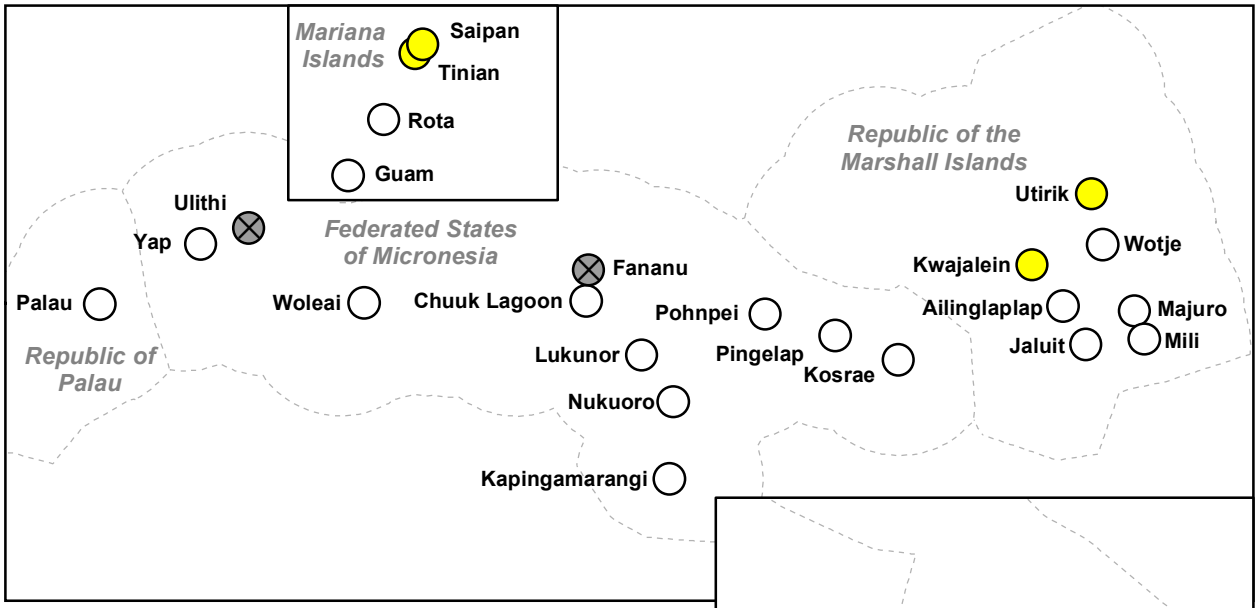

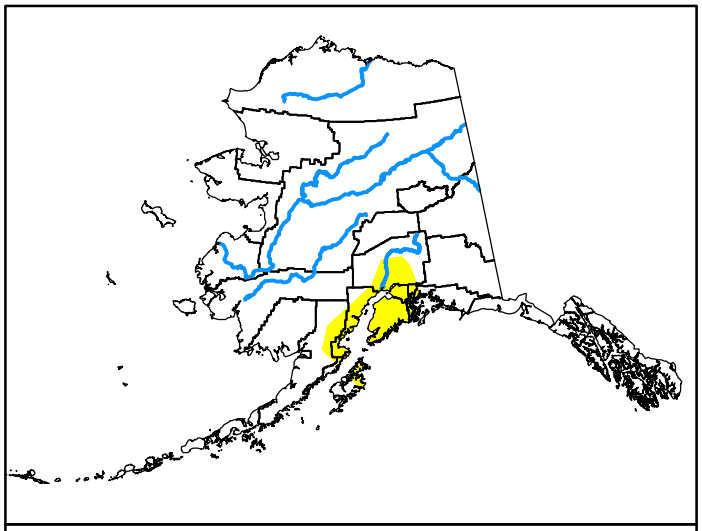

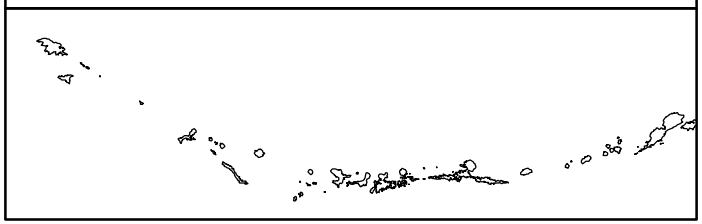

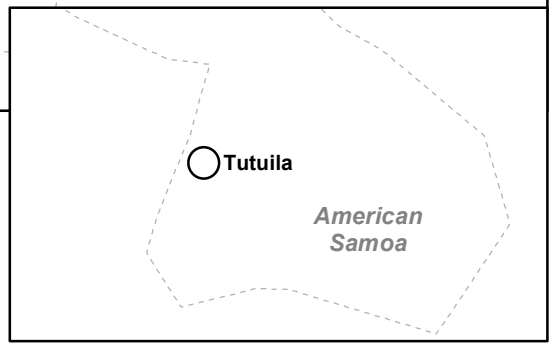

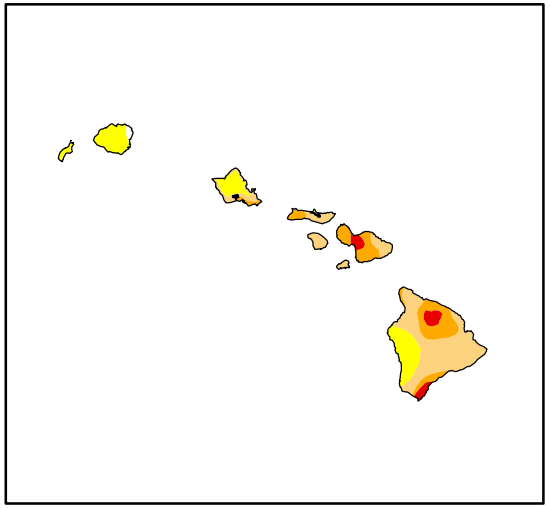

Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	93.30	6.70	0.79	0.30	0.06	0.00
Last Week *12-09-2025*	98.93	1.07	0.93	0.35	0.06	0.00
3 Months Ago *09-16-2025*	90.16	9.84	0.73	0.25	0.03	0.00
Start of Calendar Year *01-07-2025*	93.17	6.83	1.07	0.20	0.05	0.00
Start of Water Year *09-30-2025*	98.93	1.07	0.75	0.28	0.05	0.00
One Year Ago *12-17-2024*	98.93	1.07	0.43	0.13	0.03	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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