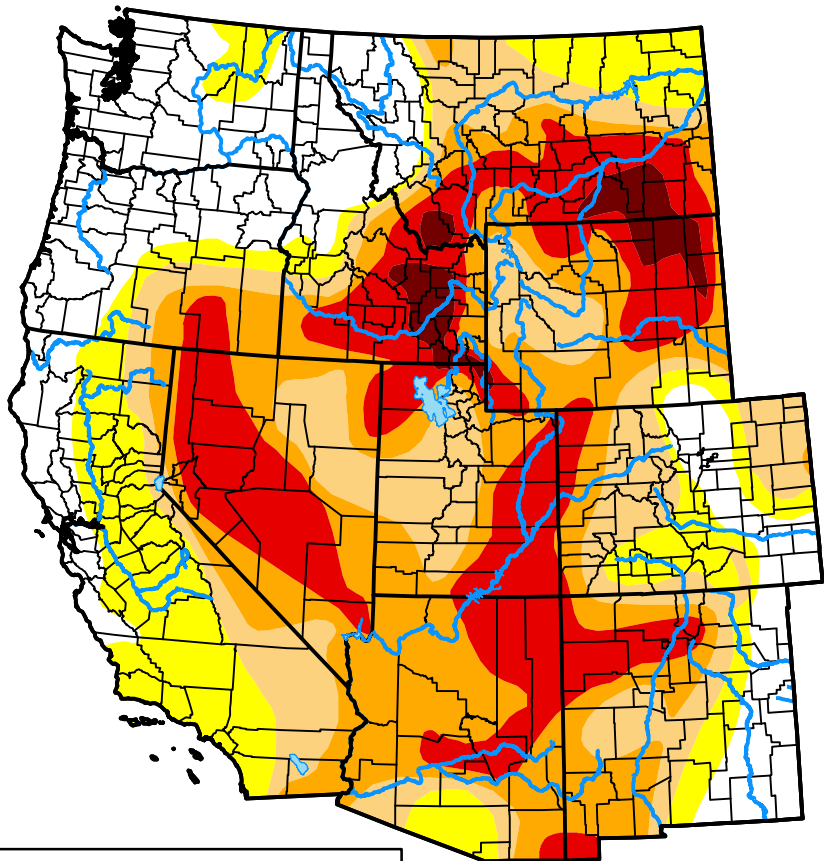


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0-D4	D1-D4	D2-D4	D3-D4	D4
Current	39.58	60.42	42.34	29.60	14.13	1.58
Last Week <i>10-26-2004</i>	39.56	60.44	43.16	29.70	14.12	1.58
3 Months Ago <i>08-03-2004</i>	21.78	78.22	50.35	36.23	17.36	2.33
Start of Calendar Year <i>12-30-2003</i>	38.32	61.68	52.32	42.86	21.92	5.76
Start of Water Year <i>09-28-2004</i>	39.77	60.23	45.46	33.68	16.19	1.58
One Year Ago <i>11-04-2003</i>	35.61	64.39	55.40	45.79	26.85	4.41

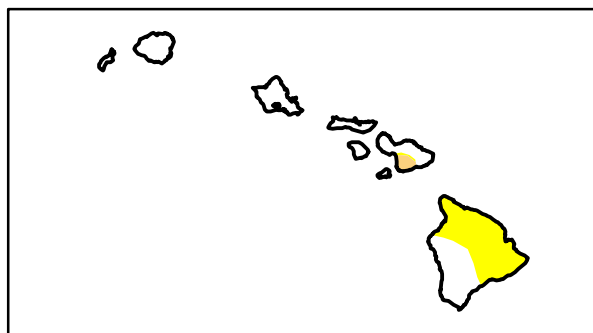
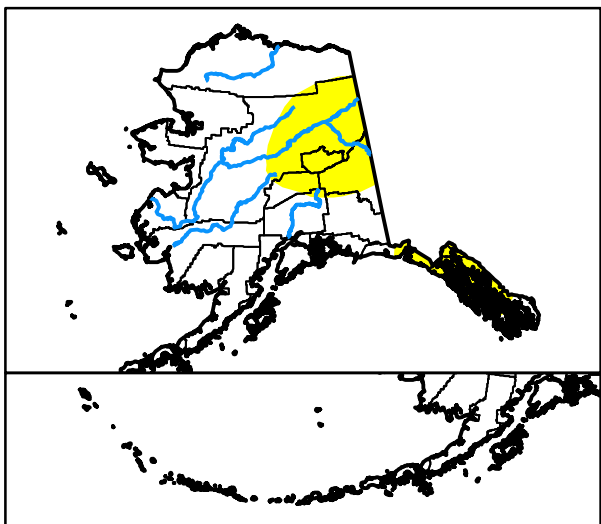
Intensity:

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

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