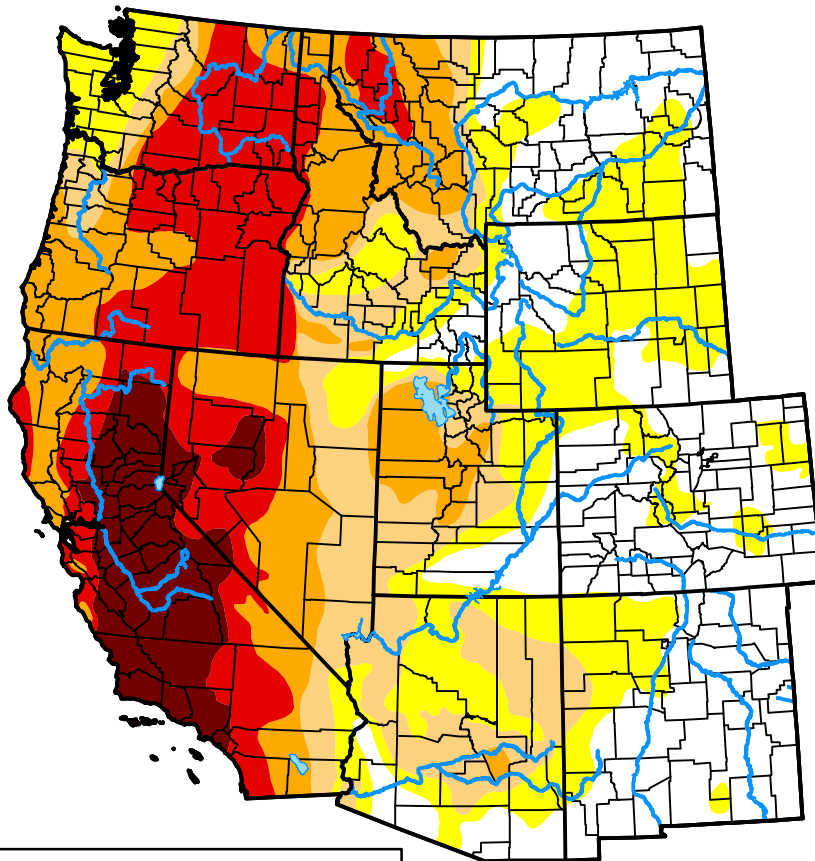


# U.S. Drought Monitor West Climate Region

**November 17, 2015**  
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Valid 7 a.m. EST



Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	43.42	22.37	9.00	10.87	9.77	4.58
<b>Last Week</b> <i>11-10-2015</i>	44.30	20.08	9.80	11.48	9.77	4.58
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>08-18-2015</i>	27.35	26.61	17.95	12.25	10.74	5.09
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>12-30-2014</i>	56.29	7.30	14.03	9.90	8.87	3.61
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-29-2015</i>	34.41	25.78	11.46	10.64	12.62	5.09
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>11-18-2014</i>	56.31	6.93	14.11	10.11	6.88	5.65

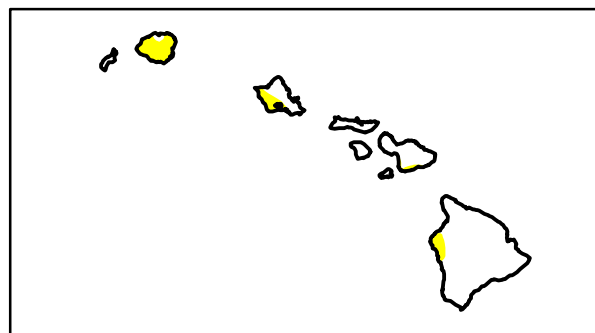
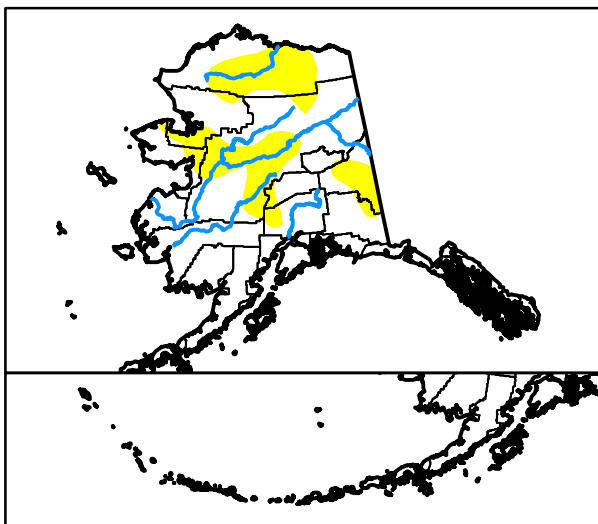
Intensity:

- 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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