

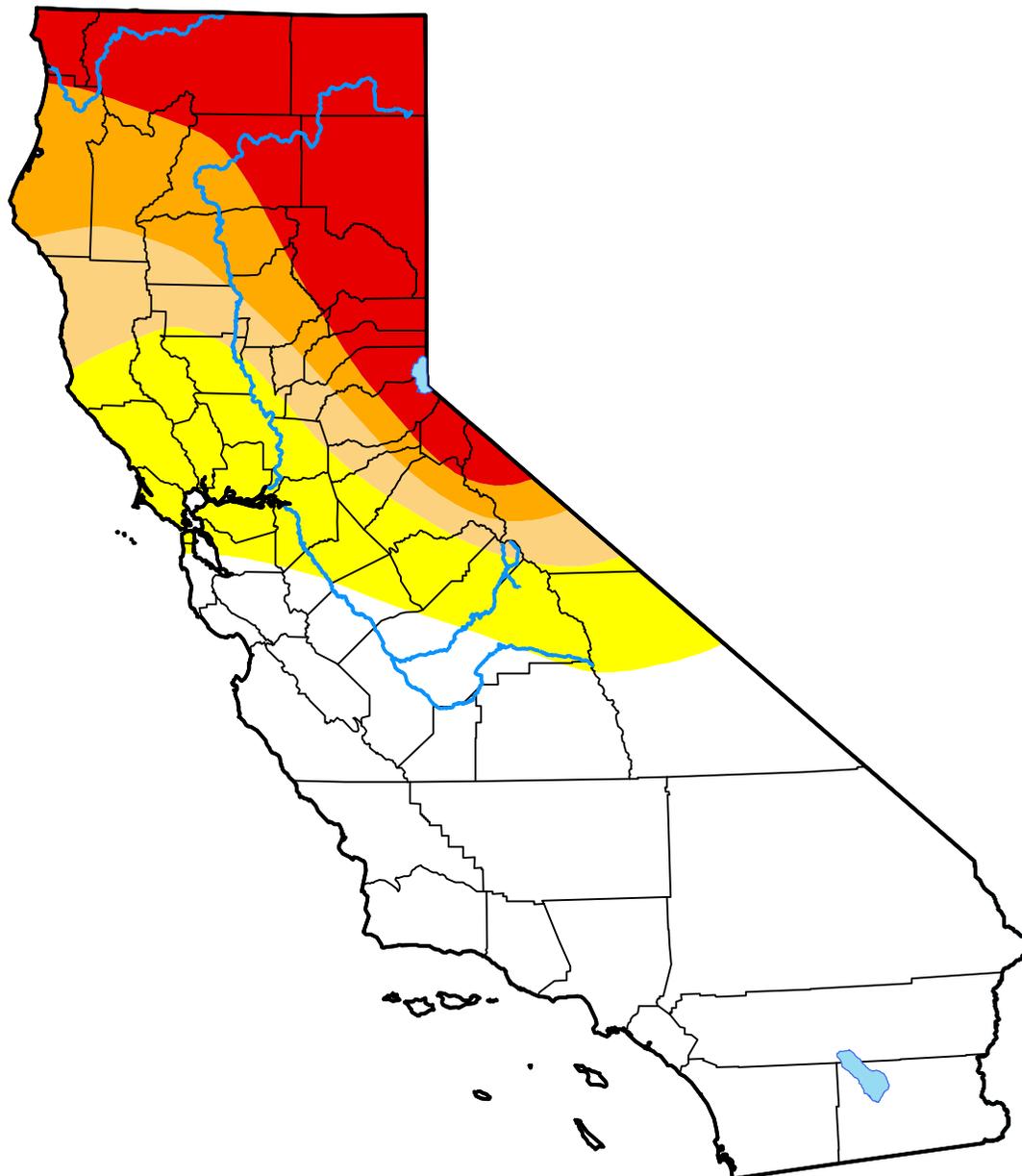
# U.S. Drought Monitor California

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	53.00	14.84	6.97	8.93	16.26	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>08-16-2001</i>	54.82	17.99	7.41	9.47	10.31	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>05-24-2001</i>	59.65	23.12	13.79	3.39	0.05	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-04-2001</i>	69.13	30.87	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-28-2000</i>	87.30	12.70	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>08-24-2000</i>	75.09	23.92	0.99	0.00	0.00	0.00



***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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