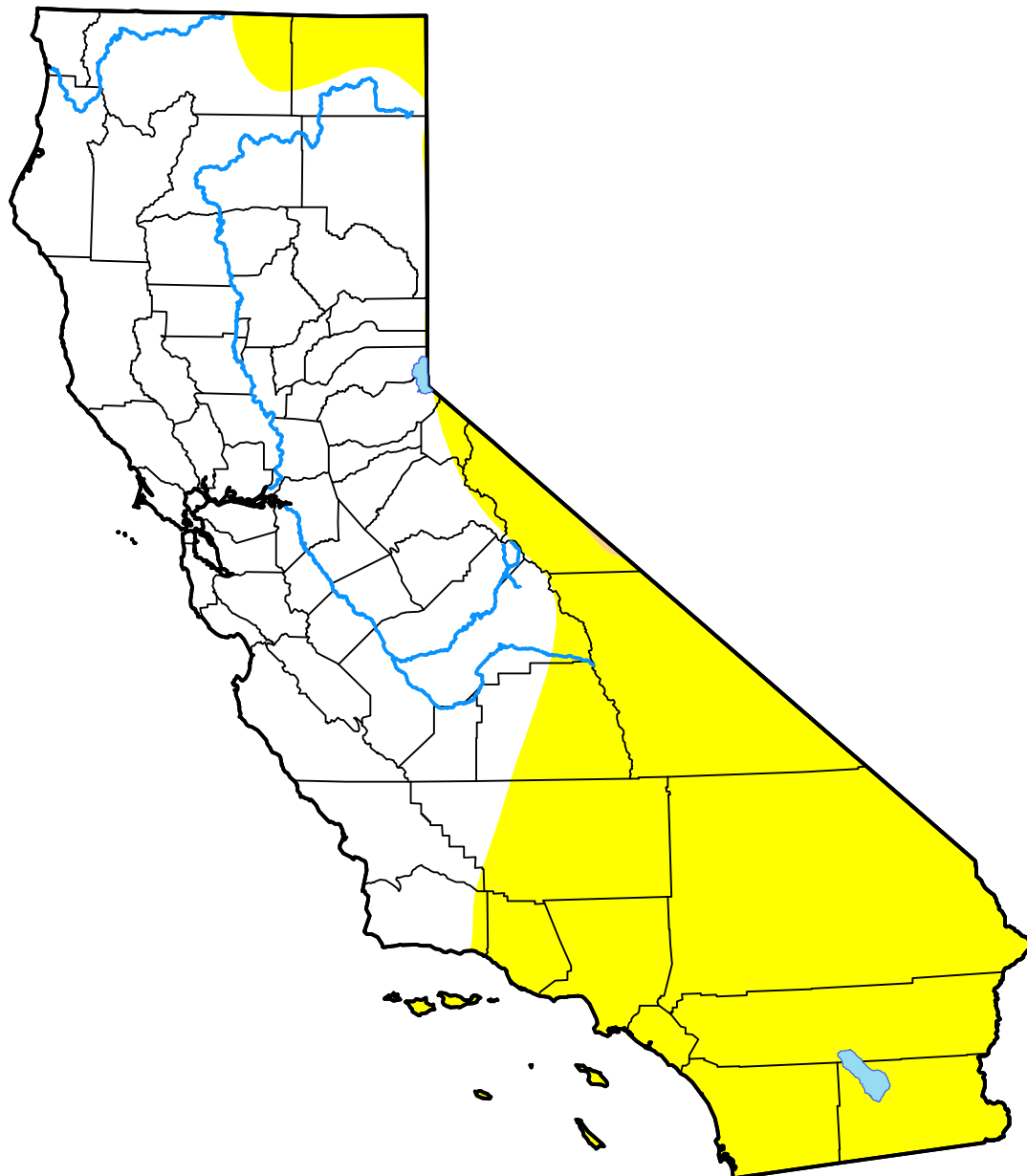


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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	54.76	45.17	0.07	0.00	0.00	0.00
Last Week <i>02-14-2002</i>	53.96	45.76	0.28	0.00	0.00	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>11-21-2001</i>	29.62	22.84	16.89	12.42	18.22	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-03-2002</i>	77.42	11.50	6.15	4.92	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-27-2001</i>	33.99	18.47	13.95	14.64	18.95	0.00
One Year Ago <i>02-22-2001</i>	68.10	29.61	2.28	0.00	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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

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