

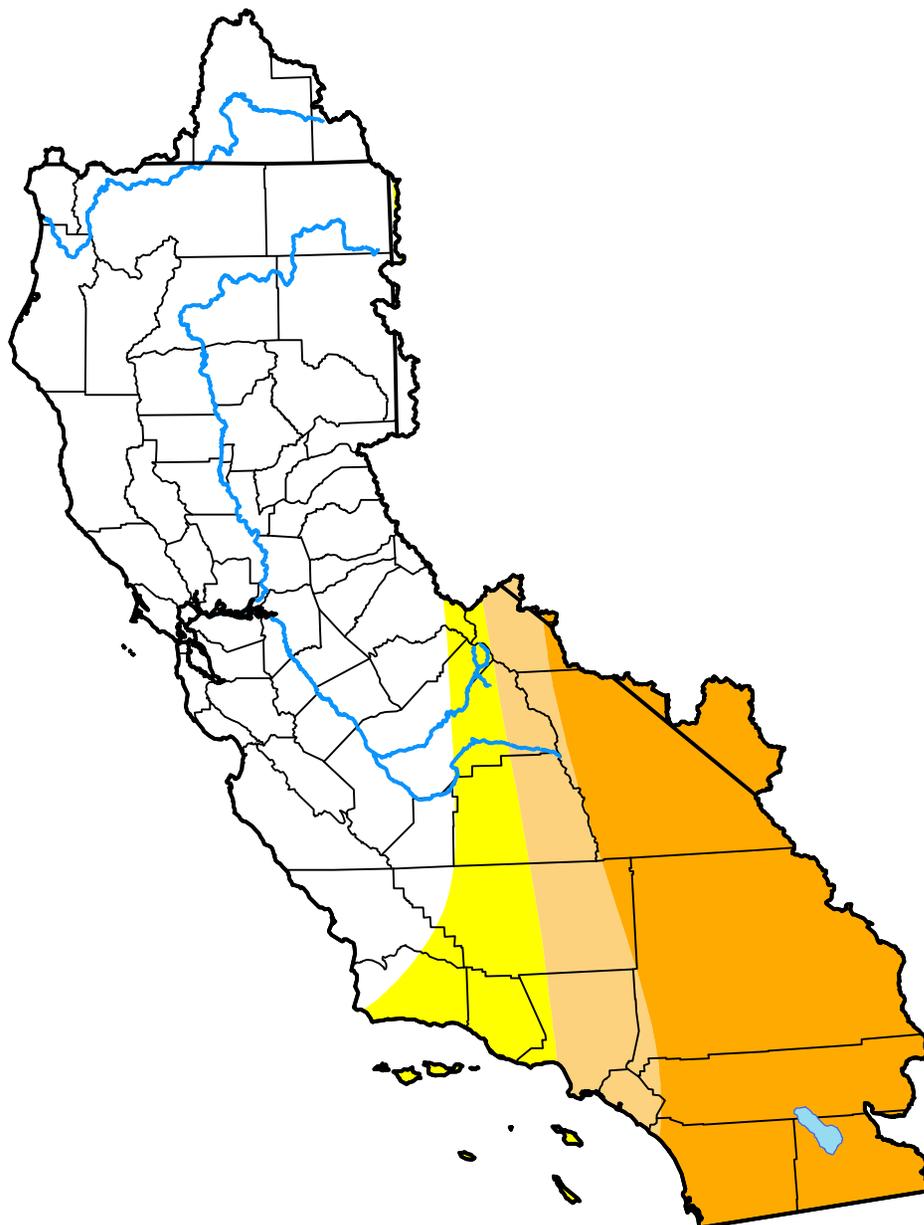
# U.S. Drought Monitor California Watershed

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*Drought Conditions (Percent Area)*

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
<b>Current</b>	55.49	8.59	8.71	27.21	0.00	0.00
<b>Last Week</b> <i>04-18-2002</i>	55.27	8.61	8.67	27.45	0.00	0.00
<b>3 Months Ago</b> <i>01-24-2002</i>	82.37	17.41	0.22	0.00	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Calendar Year</b> <i>01-03-2002</i>	73.41	12.73	7.15	6.71	0.00	0.00
<b>Start of Water Year</b> <i>09-27-2001</i>	30.60	19.40	13.90	14.58	21.51	0.00
<b>One Year Ago</b> <i>04-26-2001</i>	64.03	18.25	10.43	3.79	3.50	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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