

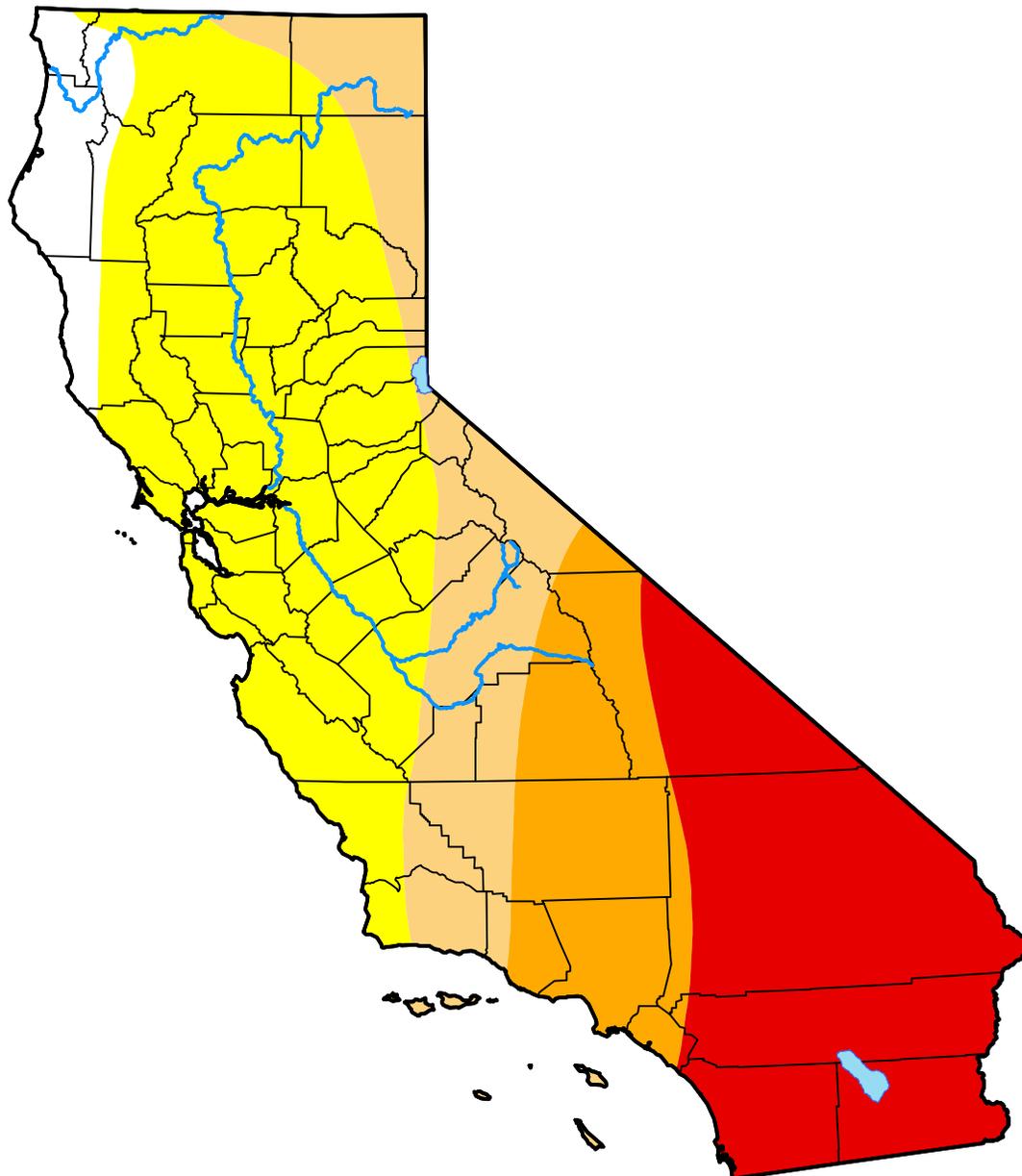
U.S. Drought Monitor California

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

| | None | D0 | D1 | D2 | D3 | D4 |
|--|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------|
| Current | 4.99 | 38.36 | 16.63 | 13.71 | 26.32 | 0.00 |
| Last Week <i>08-08-2002</i> | 5.23 | 38.55 | 16.17 | 14.00 | 26.05 | 0.00 |
| 3 Months Ago <i>05-16-2002</i> | 53.27 | 9.41 | 10.72 | 26.05 | 0.55 | 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>08-16-2001</i> | 54.82 | 17.99 | 7.41 | 9.47 | 10.31 | 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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