

U.S. Drought Monitor California

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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	58.56	12.44	18.82	10.12	0.05	0.00
Last Week <i>04-10-2003</i>	40.14	27.13	21.34	11.22	0.17	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>01-16-2003</i>	60.71	8.48	5.42	8.31	17.07	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-02-2003</i>	58.39	9.39	6.17	8.87	17.19	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>10-03-2002</i>	6.12	42.13	13.56	14.58	23.61	0.00
One Year Ago <i>04-18-2002</i>	52.61	9.15	8.86	29.37	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

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